

Galia Offri

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D.O.B: Jun 15th 1978, Israel.

Bio:

Galia Offri is an Israeli artist and illustrator. Offri explores new possibilities for creative subjectivity within the political structures of the art world, the commercial constraints of the illustration world and the collective objectivity ethos of the online world. Her work has been published in the New York Times and Haaretz among other publications, and has been exhibited and sold in New York, Europe and Israel. Offri is based in New York and Tel Aviv.

Selected Group Exhibitions:

2011 *A Strange Affinity to the Beautiful and the Dreadful*, Hendershot Gallery, Manhattan, NY.

2010 *Superstition*, 6×6 Gallery, Manhattan, NY.

2009 *Digital Z Print*, Yes Gallery, Brooklyn, NY.

2009 *Once Upon A Time*, ISE Foundation Gallery, Soho, NY.

2008 *Fresh Paint*, Israeli art fair, Tel Aviv, Israel.

2007 *Christmas Machine*, MFK gallery, Berlin.

2006 *Drafted Art*, Maarav Art Magazine, an online exhibition.

2003 *Something Local*, The Israeli Center of Digital Art, Holon, Israel.

2002 *Selected Works*, Bezalel Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Solo/Duo Exhibitions:

2008 *A Need to Worry* (with Sandra Mack-Valencia), Abrazo Gallery, Manhattan, NY.

2008 *Necrosis* (with Nivi Alroy), 207 Gallery, Manhattan, NY.

Gallery Events and Projects:

2011 Wikipedia Illustrated project launch with Mushon Zer Aviv at the Transmediale Festival Berlin, Germany.

2008 *Storytelling and Artist Talk*, ISE Foundation Gallery, Soho, NY.

2008 *Discover Emerging Artists*, NURTUREart's benefit event and exhibition, James Cohan Gallery, Chelsea, NY.

2008 *Open Doors - Kislak Gallery*, Newark Arts Council, Newark, NJ.

2008 *Hammer*, live auction and exhibition (Israeli Contemporary Art), Tel Aviv university Art Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.

2007 *Night of 1000 Drawings*, benefit event, Artists Space, New York.

2006 *Artist Talk*, Brooklyn, New York.

2005 *Continents*, video-performance, in collaboration with Shual Studio, the Israel Festival, Jerusalem.

Bibliography:

Cover article *Manhattan Times*. (New York, Jan 08)

Calcalist. (Israel, Feb 08)

Yediot Aharonot. (Israel, Mar 08)

Haaretz. (Israel, Mar 08)

Yediot Aharonot. (Israel, Mar 08)

Professional Experience:

2003-2005

Senior Art Instructor at *The Petah Tiqva Museum of Art*, Petah Tiqva, Israel. Created and led art workshops for students. Led gallery tours and conducted “gallery talk” discussions. Developed and led lecture programs for a wide variety of audiences.

2002-2004

Freelance Art Instructor.

Education:

2009-2010 Illustration studies, *Parsons The New School for Design*, New York, NY.

1999-2003 Bachelor of Fine Arts, *Bezalel Academy for Art and Design*, Jerusalem, Israel.