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#### EDUCATION:

- 2015- ongoing, Doctoral Candidate of Arts-programme in Aalto University, School of Arts, Design and Architecture, Departments of Art
- 2011-2013, MA in Fine Art & Post Graduate Certificate in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, Kingston University, London, U.K
- 2011-2013, Fellow member of Higher Education Academy in the UK
- 2011-2013, MA in Aesthetics and Art Theory, CRMEP, Kingston University, London, UK
- 2011-2013, Philosophy and Contemporary Critical Theory, CRMEP, Kingston University, London, UK
- 2007-2010, BA in Fine Art, Plymouth University, Plymouth, U.K
- OTHER QUALIFICATIONS:
- 2006-2007, Foundation degree in Photography & Digital Art, Exeter College, Exeter, U.K
- 2005-2006, City & Guilds Diploma in Digital Photography, Exeter College, Exeter, U.K
- 2004-2005, City & Guilds Diploma in Photography, Exeter College, Exeter, U.K

#### LECTURES AND WORKSHOPS:

- Workshop in *Cultural Diplomacy: Cooking Projects, Action Research Case*, Charsoo Honar institute of Arts & Culture, Tehran, October 2015
- Lecture series, *A Typography Of Aesthetics & Philosophy Of Art*, Charsoo Honar institute of Arts & Culture, Tehran, November 2015
- Workshop in *Cultural Diplomacy: An Introduction To The Politics Of Food, Action Research Case*, Charsoo Honar institute of Arts & Culture, Tehran, December 2015
- A lecture series: *Cultural Diplomacy: An Introduction To The Politics Of Space & Practices Of Everyday Life*, Charsoo Honar institute of Arts& Culture, Tehran, January 2015

- Paper presentation in *Artistic and Curatorial Research Methodology*, Berlin, Flutgraben Art Centre, February 2016
- Public Seminar on a *Communal Intellectual Space*, Berlin, nGbK Art Centre, February 2016

#### EXHIBITIONS:

- 2012- Group Exhibition at Salsali Private Museum, Dubai, organized by Magic of Persia, March 2012
- 2010- Solo exhibition at Exeter Picture House Cinema, commissioned by RSG for refugee week
- 2010- Solo exhibition at Exeter Phoenix Art Gallery
- 2010- Student group exhibition at Exeter Castle
- 2009- Student group exhibition at John Gandy's Restaurant in Exeter
- 2009- Collaboration project with Ruth Gidely, commissioned by New Internationalist Magazine
- 2009- Solo exhibition at Picture House Cinema, commissioned by Refugee support group
- 2008- Solo exhibition at Exeter Central library
- 2006- Solo exhibition, Documentary Photographs commissioned by Refugee Support Group Devon
- 2006- Solo exhibition at Torrington Art Gallery, Devon
- 2005- Solo exhibition at Exeter College, Exeter

#### AWARDS:

- An Honouree Certificate for participation in the *Museums of the Third Millennium* Congress, organised by the Ministry of Arts & Culture, Tehran, Iran, 2015
- The winner of Black & White Photography Magazine's competition, 2009
- The winner of New Internationalist Magazine photo essay, 2009