

b. 1984, Karachi, Pakistan. Lives & Works between Toronto & Pittsburgh.

EDUCATION & SELECTED RESIDENCIES

MacDowell Artist Colony Fellow / New Hampshire, USA / 2018

Akademie Schloss Solitude, Film/Video Fellow / Stuttgart, Germany / 2016-2017

Santa Fe Art Institute / Santa Fe, New Mexico / January – February, 2016

MAWA Artist Residency / Winnipeg, Canada / June-July 2013

Nes Artist Residency / Skagastrond, Iceland / April 2012

Master of Arts in Cinema and Media Studies / Diploma in Asian Studies

York University, Toronto, Canada / 2007 – 2009

Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Film Studies

Brock University, St. Catharines, Canada / 2003 – 2007

SELECTED SCREENINGS & EXHIBITIONS

2018

Images Festival / Toronto

AKA Artist Space / Saskatoon, Canada

Berlinale: Forum Expanded / Germany

Gallery TPW / Toronto

2017

Fermenting Feminism curated by Lauren Fournier / Critical Distance Centre for Curators / Toronto

HERE: Locating Contemporary Canadian Artists curated by Swapnaa Tamhane / Aga Khan Museum / Toronto

Altered Aesthetics Film Festival / Minneapolis, USA (nominated for Creative Vision Award)

Nord Schauspiel / Stuttgart, Germany

38th Rhubarb Festival / Toronto

2016

Cinema Outsider / Columbus, Ohio

Les Complices* Artists Space / Zurich, Switzerland

The Centre for Art Tapes / Dalhousie Art Gallery / Halifax, Canada

25 East Gallery / The New School Parsons / New York

2015

Complex Social Change / Doris McCarthy Art Gallery / Scarborough, Canada

Articule / Montreal, Canada

Gallery44 / Toronto

Memories of the Future (curated by Noa Bronstein & Katherine Dennis) / Toronto

Art Gallery of Windsor (curated by Srimoyee Mitra) / Windsor, Canada

2014

Word on the Street Festival / Toronto, Canada
Museo de la Ciudad / Guadalajara, Mexico
Altered Aesthetics Film Festival / Minneapolis, USA
Entzaubert Queer Film Festival / Berlin, Germany
The Images Festival Off-Screen / Toronto, Canada
Bristol Radical Film Festival / Bristol, U.K.
Ice Follies Festival / North Bay, Canada
We Can't Compete: A Feminist Art Gallery (FAG) Satellite Project / Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada

2013

Seoul International Extreme Short Image & Film Festival / Seoul, South Korea
Tag Team: Gay Premises / Canadian Lesbian & Gay Archives / Toronto, Canada
Asni Gallery / Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Queeristan / Amsterdam, Netherlands
The 8Fest / Toronto, Canada

2012

Video Fag / Toronto, Canada
Access Gallery / Vancouver, Canada
No Place: Queer Geographies / London, Canada
Vasakh Film Festival / Lahore, Pakistan
Asian Women's Film Festival / Goa, India

2011

Nuit Blanche / Toronto, Canada
Winnipeg Film Group Cinematheque / Winnipeg, Canada
7th Asian Women's Film Festival / New Delhi, India

2010

Corsica Studios / London, UK
F13 Gallery / Toronto, Canada
Underwire Film Festival / London, UK
(SAVAC) South Asian Visual Arts Centre's Monitor 6 / Toronto, Canada

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Contemporary Citizenship, Art and Visual Culture. Routledge, 2017
Desire Change: Contemporary Feminist Art in Canada, Published by MAWA, ed. Gina Badger
December 2017
HERE: Locating Contemporary Canadian Artists, Published by The Aga Khan Museum, 2017

Scanning the Archives, Interview between Bambitchell and Mohreshin Allahyari. Prefix Magazine, Fall/Winter 2016

CMagazine128, Citizenship. Inventory by Bambitchell, Winter 2016

Mobile Desires: The Erotics and Politics of Mobility Justice eds. Melissa White and Liz Montegary

Kapsula Magazine: Bad History 1/3, January 2014

No More Potlucks, Issue 30: Graphic, *Queer Cartographies: Re-Printing Toronto's Harbour*. Interview with Dr. Deborah Cowen. November & December 2013

FUSE Magazine 35-1 Forms of Struggle, December 2011

SELECTED TALKS

Artist Talk / Queerness, Reconstruction & Mimicry / University of Pittsburgh / March 2018

Panel Discussion / Gallery TPW / Toronto, Canada, January 2018

Artist Talk / Memory and Migration / University of Pittsburgh / September, 2017

Panel Discussion / Creative Time Summit / Toronto, Canada, September 2017

Panel Discussion / *We Have Rather Been Invaded* at Vertical Features / Toronto, Canada, April 2017

Artist Talk / Centre for Drama, Theatre and Performance Studies / Toronto, Canada, March 2017

Artist Talk / Modern Fuel / Kingston, Canada, October 2016

Artist Talk / Zurich University of the Arts / Switzerland, May 2016

Panel Discussion / Biographies and the Production of Space / Akademie Schloss Solitude / Stuttgart, Germany, May 2016

Artist Talk / *Articule Gallery* / Montreal / October 2015

Artist Talk / *Gallery 44* / Toronto / October 2015

Artist Talk / *The Oncoming Corner* / New York, USA / February 2015

Panel Discussion / *What is Feminist Art?* / MAWA / Winnipeg, Canada / October, 2014

Artist Talk / Images Festival / Toronto, Canada / April, 2014

Symposium / *Evolve or Perish: Media Arts Symposium* / Ottawa, Canada / November 2013

Artist Talk / Indus Valley School of Art and Architecture / Karachi, Pakistan / February 2013

SELECTED AWARDS AND GRANTS

Canada Council for the Arts Production Grant / 2016

Toronto Arts Council / Media Arts Production Grant / 2016

Chalmers Foundation Professional Development Grant / 2014

Ontario Arts Council / Exhibition Assistance Grant / 2011 / 2013 / 2015 / 2017

Canada Council for the Arts / Travel Grant / 2014 / 2013 / 2012

Steam Whistle Homebrew Award / Images Festival / 2014

Ontario Arts Council / Access and Career Development Grant / 2012

OTHER RELATED ACTIVITIES

Board of Directors / VTape / Toronto, Canada / 2013 – 2017

Canadian Jury Member / The Images Festival / Toronto, 2017

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Artistic Director / (SAVAC) South Asian Visual Arts Centre / Toronto, Canada / 2011 –
2015

Advisory Committee / 37th Rhubarb Festival / Toronto, Canada / 2015

Advisory Committee / Progress Festival of Performance and Ideas / Toronto, Canada / 2015

Board of Directors / Pleasure Dome Film and Video Collective / Toronto, Canada / 2011 -
2015

Programming Committee / Toronto Nepali Film Festival 2013 / Toronto, Canada

Jury Member / Toronto Reel Asian International Film Festival 2012 / Toronto, Canada

Jury Member / Inside Out LGBTQ Film Festival 2012 / Toronto, Canada

Mentor / Queer Video Mentorship Project / Inside Out LGBTQ Film Festival 2012 /
Toronto, Canada