**Khaled Hafez**

Khaled Hafez is born in Cairo, Egypt in 1963 where he currently lives and works. He studied medicine and followed the evening classes of the Cairo fine arts in the eighties. After attaining a medical degree in 1987 and M.Sc. as a medical specialist in 1992, he gave up medical practices in the early nineties for a career in the arts. He later obtained an MFA in new media and digital arts from Transart Institute (New York, USA) and Danube University Krems (Austria). Hafez practice spans the mediums of painting, video, photography, installation and interdisciplinary approaches.

21 Solo Exhibitions

International group exhibitions include:  
11th Havana Biennale, Cuba, 2012  
9th Bamako Photo Biennale, Mali, 2011  
8th Mercosul Biennale, Brasil, 2011  
12th Cairo Biennale, Egypt, 2010   
Manifesta 8, Murcia, Spain, 2010  
2nd Thessaloniki Biennale, Greece, 2009  
3rd Guangzhou Triennale, China, 2008  
7th Sharjah Biennale, UAE, 2007  
1st Singapore Biennale, 2006  
6th & 7th Dakar Biennale, Senegal, 2004 & 2006

Hafez works were shown in:  
State Museum of contemporary art, Thessaloniki, Greece, 2011  
Museum of Contemporary Art, Roskilde, Denmark, 2011  
Instituto Tomie Ohtake, Sao Paolo, Brazil, 2011  
Yuchengco Museum, Manila, Philippines, 2011  
The Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art , Icatha, NY, USA, 2010  
Centre George Pompidou, Paris, France, 2010  
The New Museum NY, USA, 2010  
Casa Arabe, Madrid, 2010  
Saatchi Gallery, London, UK, 2009  
The Queens Museum, NY, USA, 2008  
Institut du Monde Arabe, Paris, France, 2008  
Tate Modern, London, UK, 2007  
MuHKA Museum of Art, Antwerp, Belgium, 2007 & 2011  
Kunstmuseum Bonn, Germany, 2007   
Bamako National Museum of Art, Mali, 2007, 2011  
Museum of Contemporary Art, Roskilde, Denmark, 2007 & 2011

Film Festivals Include:  
41st Rotterdam International Film Festival 2012  
15th International Short Film Festival Winterthur, Switzerland, 2011  
CPH:DOX/ Copenhagen Film Festival, Denmark, 2011  
17th African Film Festival, New Museum, New York, USA, 2010  
1st AMAL Film Festival, Spain, 2007  
8th Ismailia International Film Festival, Egypt, 2004

Awards include:  
Fulbright Fellowship, 2005 (Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, PA) USA  
Rockefeller Bellagio Fellowship, Italy, 2009  
Francophonie Prize, 6th Dakar Biennale, Senegal, 2004  
Fondation Blachere Prize, 9th Bamako Photo Biennale, Mali, 2011

Nominations Include:  
2012 - The 4th Prix Pictet Photography Prize  
2011 - The Sovreign African Art Prize (Shortlisted)

Public Collections: The Saatchi Collection, London, UK   
MuHKA Museum of Contemporary Art, Antwerp, Belgium   
Ars Aevi Museum of Contemporary Art, Sarajevo, Bosnia   
Horcynus Orca Foundation, Messina, Italy   
Mali National Museum, Bamako, Mali   
Maraya Art Centre, Barjeel Art Foundation, Sharjah, UAE  
State Museum of Art, Thessaloniki, Greece