

KRISHNA SHAMRAO KULKARNI (b. 1918, Karnataka, India; d. 1994)

EDUCATION

- 1950 Nominated to represent India at the International Arts Program, USA, sponsored by the State Department and the Rockefeller Foundation
- 1943 Research Scholar to Study Indian Painting, Sir Dorabji Tata Trust, Mumbai
- 1942 Post graduation, Sir J.J. School of Art, Mumbai
- 1940 Diploma in Fine Arts, J.J. School of Art, Mumbai

SELECTED POSTHUMOUS EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Rockefeller + India*, Aicon, New York, USA
- 2022 *Line and Form*, Gallerie Ganesha, New Delhi, India
- 2021 *Home and Away*, Aicon, New York, USA
- 2013 *The Naked and the Nude: The Body in Indian Modern Art*, Delhi Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2012-13 *Radical Terrain: Modernist Art from India*, Rubin Museum of Art, New York, USA
- 2011 *Ethos V: Indian Art Through the Lens of History (1900 to 1980)*, Indigo Blue Art, Singapore
- Manifestations VI*, Delhi Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- Goddess, Lion, Peasant, Priest: Modern and Contemporary Indian Art*, from the Collection of Shelley and Donald Rubin at Oglethorpe University Museum of Art, Georgia, USA
- Manifestations V*, Delhi Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- Masterclass*, Dhoomimal Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- Celebrations 2011*, Annual Exhibition, Kumar Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2010 *Manifestations IV*, Delhi Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- Celebration 2010*, Annual Exhibition, Kumar Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2009 *Indian Art After Independence: Selected Works from the Collections of Virginia & Ravi Akhoury and Shelley & Donald Rubin*, Emile Lowe Gallery, New York, USA
- 2008 *Moderns*, Royal Cultural Centre, Amman, Jordan organized by Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi in collaboration with Embassy of India, Amman, Jordan
- Aryan Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2007 Aryan Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2006 *A Rare Artist of Substance: K. S. Kulkarni*, Arushi Arts, New Delhi, India
- 2005 *The Protean Spirit*, Art and Deal
- An Appetite for Life: Paintings from 1970 and 80s by K. S. Kulkarni*, Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2004 *In Memory of Prof. K. S. Kulkarni*, Gallerie Ganesha, New Delhi, India
- Manifestations II: Indian Art in the 20th Century*, Delhi Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2001 *Exhibition of Paintings from 1970-1980*, Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2000 *Exhibition of Paintings Prof. K. S. Kulkarni*, Gallerie Ganesha, New Delhi, India

- 1998 *Paintings and Sculptures by K. S. Kulkarni*, Art Indus, New Delhi, India
- 1997 *Indian Contemporary Art: Post Independence*, Vadehra Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
Light from the Darkness, A Series of Paintings from 1964-66, Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 1996 *K. S. Kulkarni*, Gallerie Ganesha, New Delhi, India
- 1995 *In Homage Exhibition of Paintings by Late Prof. K. S. Kulkarni*, Gallerie Ganesha, New Delhi, India
The Figure in Modern Art, Bose Pacia Gallery, New York, USA
- 1994 *Prof. K. S. Kulkarni – Painter and Sculptor*, ABC Art Gallery, Varanasi, India

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 1988 *Paintings on Glass 'GeetGovinda' by Prof. K. S. Kulkarni*, Vadehra Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 1986 *Retrospective Show of K. S. Kulkarni*, Birla Academy of Art and Culture, Kolkata, India
- 1974 United States Investigation Services (U. S. I. S), Kolkata, India
- 1972 I.I.E. United Nations Plaza, New York, USA
 Russell Sage College, New York, USA
 Saratoga Public Library, New York, USA
- 1971 Hartford Seminary, Connecticut, USA
 Berkshire Museum, Massachusetts, USA
 Dickinson College, Pennsylvania, USA
 Franz Bader Gallery, Washington, USA
- 1970 Saratoga Springs Chamber of Commerce, New York, USA
 Hawthorne Art Gallery, New York, USA
 Penn State University, Pennsylvania, USA
- 1969 Wilson College, Pennsylvania, USA
 Gallery Mayer, New York, USA
 Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
 Triveni Studio, New Delhi, India
- 1968 Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi, India
- 1967 Dhoomimal Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
 Taj Art Gallery, Mumbai, India
 Triveni Studio, New Delhi, India
- 1966 Triveni Studio, New Delhi, India
- 1965 *Kulkarni*, Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 1964 Kala Parishad, Bhopal, India
- 1963-65 Shridharani Gallery, Triveni Kala Sangam, New Delhi, India
- 1963 Triveni Studio, New Delhi, India
 Salar Jung Museum, Hyderabad, India

- Gallery Ashoka, Kolkata, India
- 1962 Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 1961 Gallery Ashoka, Kolkata, India
 Jehangir Art Gallery, Mumbai, India
 Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 1959 Indian Painter, organized by East Europe Federation of Arts, USA
- 1958 Danber Gallery, New York, USA
 Watumall Foundation, Hawaii, USA
 Atelier Art Gallery, Cairo, Egypt
K. S. Kulkarni, Yoseido Gallery, Tokyo
K. S. Kulkarni, Franz Bader Gallery, Washington DC
 Art Unlimited Gallery, California, USA
 Schaefer School of Design, California, USA
- 1957 Franz Bader Gallery, Washington, USA
- 1954-59 Silpa Chakra Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
 Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi, India
- 1952-59 Kumar Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 1951 Arthur Newton Gallery, New York, USA
- 1949 International Art Exhibition, London, UK
- 1949-51 Freemason Hall, New Delhi, India
- 1948 All India Fine Arts and Crafts Society (AIFACS), New Delhi, India

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 1990 *Exhibition of Drawings by Seven Artists*, Gallerie Ganesha, Kolkata, India
- 1963 *Indian Painters*, USSR
- 1960 *Modern Indian Painters*, USA and South America
- 1959 *Indian Painters*, Traveling Exhibition in Europe
International Exhibition, Japan
 World House Galleries, New York, USA
 Sao Paulo Biennale, Sao Paulo, Brazil
 Modern Art Centre, Zurich, Switzerland
 Galería Antonio Souza, Mexico
- 1958 Dunbar Gallery, New York, USA
 Federation of Arts, USA and South America
- 1945, 49 International Art Exhibition, New Delhi, India

HONORS & AWARDS

- 1986 Parishad Sanman, Sahitya Kala Parishad, New Delhi, India
- 1985 Emeritus Fellowship, Department of Culture, Government of India
- 1984 Fellowship for Outstanding Contribution in the Field of Art, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi, India
- 1972-79 Nominated as Chairman, Uttar Pradesh Lalit Kala Academy
- 1972-76 Vice Chairman, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi, India
- 1969-74 Invited by the Government of USA, USSR, Germany, Poland, Mexico, South Korea, Netherlands and UK, as a guest artist
- 1955, 63, 65 National Award, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi, India