

#### MAJD KURDIEH

Majd Kurdieh's practice incorporates painting, drawing, and literature using recurring figures that stand to tell a story, usually carrying a strong moral and positive reinforcement that the artist projects into the world.

Majd Kurdieh has been featured in retrospective exhibitions at As-Safir, Beirut (2023) and at Azad Art Gallery, Cairo (2020). Kurdieh has featured in solo and group exhibitions at MADS Gallery, Milan, Italy (2021); Azad Art Gallery, Cairo (2021; 2020); Egypt Art Fair (2023; 2022; 2021; 2020); BBA Gallery, Berlin (2019), DAR Art (2021, 2022); Fann À Porter, Jordan (2021; 2020, 2019); Fann À Porter, Dubai (2022; 2021; 2020, 2019, 2018, 2016), El-Sawy Culture Wheel, Cairo (2019), and Athar Al Farasheh, Aleppo (2011), Sikka Art Fair, Dubai (2018) and Art Bahrain, Manama (2019, 2018). His works are housed in public and private collections in the Middle East and abroad, including HE Dr. Zaki Nusseibeh's private collection and the Atassi Foundation.

Born in 1985, Aleppo, Syria Lives and works in Amsheet, Lebanon

#### Education

2008	Damascus University of Fine Arts
Solo Exhibitions	
2023	"Retrospective", Assafir Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
2022	"One Wound, One Smile", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2021	"Watermelon Peace", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE "Summer Exhibition", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2020	"Hold onto the Flower", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE "New Works", Fann À Porter, Amman, Jordan "New Works", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2019	"Surrender to Love", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2018	"Stealing Sadness", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2016	"Land Needs Ironing", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE



# **Group Exhibitions**

2023	"Works on Paper", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE "Reality Show", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2022	"We the People", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2021	"Emotive Journeys", Azad Art Gallery, Cairo, Egypt "Works from the Fann À Porter Collection", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE "Works on Paper", Fann À Porter, Dubai, UAE
2019	"Narratives from the Middle East", BBA, Berlin, Germany

# Residencies

# Awards

#### Collections

HE Dr. Zaki Nusseibeh Private Collection Atassi Foundation