

## JIGNESH PANCHAL

b 1981 Ahmedabad, India. Lives and works in Ahmedabad, India.

#### **VITA**

### Education

2001 - 2006 Painting - Sheth C.n. College Of Fine Arts - Ahmedabad - IN

#### Solo Exhibitions

2017

 $50\ Contemporary\ Artists$  by Enter Art Foundation - Multipolster - Berlin - DE

2016

Gallery Struempfe - Mannheim - DE

RE:BUILT - Le Corbusier Mill Owner's Building - Ahmedabad - IN

2015

After works - Bei Trockles - Berlin - DE

2013

Indian Vocabulary - Lalit Kala Academy - New Delhi - IN

2012

The 9th Supper - Gallery Struempfe - Mannheim Germany - DE

Urban Dialogues - Gujarat State Lalit Kala Academy - Ahmedabad - IN

2011

Civic Clutter - Gujarat State Lalit Kala Academy - Ahmedabad - IN

2010

From Surroundings - Bajaj Capital Art House - New Delhi - IN

2009

City Revisited - Art Maestros - New Delhi - IN

# Group Shows

2015

In The Course Of Time - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

2014

White~ Absence And Opulence - Kanoria Gallery For Arts - Ahmedabad - IN

2013

Art Affair - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

2012

Paintings - Rathaus Mannheim - Mannheim - DE

2011

Fragrance Of Eternity - Smart Art Hub - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

Discrete Phenomena - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

Spring - Hutheesing Visual Art Centre - Ahmedabad - IN

Painted Poems - Int. Art Festival - Ahmedabad - IN

2010

Ganesha Adorn - Lemongrass Hooper - Ahmedabad - IN

Canvas Cult - India International Art Fair - New Delhi - IN



The One Square Foot Show: A Charity Show For Animals - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

Smart Show - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

Art Spotting - Art Positive - New Delhi - IN

Art Clique - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

The New Vanguard - Amdavad Ni Gufa - Ahmedabad - IN

Paintings Show - Faculty Of Fine Arts - M S University - Baroda - IN

18 Avenues - Montage Arts - New Delhi - IN

2009

Online Group Show - Tangerine Art Space - Bangalore - IN

2008

Group Show - Lansdown Gallery - Mumbai - IN

Delhi Friends Round Table - New Imperial Hotel - New Delhi - IN

Group Show - Beyond Arts - Ahmedabad - IN

2007

Paintings - Contemporary Art Gallery - Ahmedabad - IN

#### Grants

2012 Grant - Gujarat State Lalit Kala Academy - Govt. Of Gujarat

2010 Grant - Gujarat State Lalit Kala Academ - Govt. Of Gujarat

2009 Grant - Gujarat State Lalit Kala Academy - Govt. Of Gujarat

#### ARTIST STATEMENT

I grew in very dense, intense vernacular (linguistic, aesthetic and cultural) atmosphere. bombarded with lots of images, objects and subjects in everyday life. definition of what is "everyday life" or vernacular or in between is vary and contradicting from people to people and culture to culture. so those elements became part of my practice. and then i came up with the series called "remapping" where i used urban elements from city life as multilayered idiom. the process of manipulating what's in front of us, to create a representation of what was there. In this way my work becomes documentation and manipulation at the same time. making an image of an image of an image, the image I make ends up appearing in so many ways: real, not real. There are infinite ways of being as there are people. So I point to layers, and the many ways of seeing an element, as a process to get underneath things.