

DEVDATTA PADEKAR

BORN

11 November 1978.

EDUCATION

B.F.A. (Painting) First Class First with Distinction from Sir J.J.School of Art, Mumbai, India- 1999.

M.F.A. (Portraiture) First Class First with Distinction from Sir J.J.School of Art, Mumbai, India- 2001.

M.A. (Drawing) Camberwell College of Arts, London, UK- 2005.

Studied at The Florence Academy of Art, Florence, Italy- 2007.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

The Jehangir Art Gallery, Mumbai - 2002, 2007, 2013, 2017.

Gallerie Ganesha, New Delhi – 2006, 2022.

Shridharani Gallery, Triveni Kala Sangam, New Delhi- 2008, 2012, 2016.

Florence Dance Center, Florence, Italy- 2010, 2016.

Kynkyny Art Gallery, Bangalore - 2014.

SELECTED SCHOLARSHIPS

British Chevening Scholarship from British Council, India- 2004.

Bendre-Husain Scholarship from The Bombay Art Society- 2004.

Late Rao Bahadur M.V.Dhurandhar Memorial Scholarship- 2000.

SELECTED AWARDS

Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Award, Canada- 2006.

Pastel Society Exhibition, Mall Galleries, London, UK- 2005.

12th Annual International Pastel 100 Competition, USA- 2010.

The Art Society of India- 2001, 2003.

All India Fine Arts and Crafts Society (AIFACS),Maharashtra State Exhibition, India- 2001.

The Bombay Art Society- 2002, 2003.

Maharashtra State Art Exhibition- 2002.

Shree Ravi Paranjape Foundation Prize- 2006.

SELECTED AWARDS IN ACADEMIC CAREER

The Art Society of India- 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000.

The Bombay Art Society- 1996.

South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur- 1996.

Maharashtra State Art Exhibition, First Prize- 1998, 2001.

Miss Dolly Coursetjee Competition for Mural, First Prize- 1998, 1999.

Sir J.J.School of Art, Painting Exhibition on 50 Years of India's Independence, First Prize- 1998.

Sir J.J.School of Art Annual Exhibition- 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999*, 2000, 2001.

*Government's First Prize.

Shree N.S.Bendre Foundation Prize- 1999.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Selected among 100 Artists worldwide for an International book published titled "How did you paint that? 100 ways to paint people".

Interview published in Oct 2011 issue of "Pastel Journal", American publication.

Interview published in April/ May 2014 issue of "Pratique des Arts", French publication.

Feature article published in Mar/April 2017 issue of "Pratique des Arts".

Feature article published in Dec. 2018 issue of "Watercolor Artist", American publication.

Feature article published in April/ May 2019 issue of "International Artist", Australian publication.

Featured in "Pure Pastel", North light books, USA, 2019.

Feature article published in August/ September 2019 issue of "Pratique des Arts", French publication.

ARTIST-IN- RESIDENCE

Nes Artist in Residence,Iceland- 2018.

NAIRS Artist in Residence and Fellowship, Switzerland- 2018, 2019.

Nelimarkka Museum Artist-in-Residence, Finland- 2019.

COLLECTIONS

National Gallery of Modern Art, Mumbai and private collections in India and abroad.