

Sarah-Mecca Abdourahman

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Education

2016-2020 Concordia University (BFA in studio arts)

Solo & Duo Exhibitions

2023 Chez soi, Gallery B, Bouclair Griffintown

2022 L'exil, MIFO Galerie d'art Eugène-Racette

2022 Le dernier des toutistes, Gallery 101

2022 Les lauréats, La Maison d'Haïti

Group Exhibitions

2023 In Living Colour: Showing the Creative ACB Experience in Ottawa, Ottawa City Hall

2023 Tales, Senate of Canada

2022 Formats à emporter, Institut National Art contemporain

2022 Shifting Ground, DARC Project Space (Digital Arts Resource Centre)

2022 Plethora, The Holy Art Gallery

2022 Alhamdu Muslim Futurism, Rubenstein Arts Center at Duke University

2022 Exposition Entre, La P'tite Porte

2022 Collectif Union Urbaine, Galerie Espace Urbain

2022 Trait D'Union, Centre culturel Marocain à Montréal

2022 Dos à dos, face à face, Institut National Art contemporain

2022 Double Dutch, Wallack Galleries

2021 Artch, Dorchester Square

2021 Carved Reflections, Filtered, Ottawa Art Gallery

Awards / Grants / Residencies

2022 Bouclair Residency in Digital Arts, Art Volt

2021 Awarded grant and exhibition space, Artch

2021 Project funding by the Youth in Culture Pilot Program, City of Ottawa

2020 Artist in residence for CBC Arts: Exhibitionists

2019 Awarded grant with the Silk Road Institute, Ground Breaking Artistic Projects

Workshops / Presentations

2022 Workshop with Ottawa Art Gallery for summer campers

2022 Artist talk with Gallery 101

2022 Workshop with Somerset West Community Health Centre

2021 Workshop with the Carlton Community Centre

2021 Artist talk for summer campers at Ottawa Art Gallery

Auctions / Donations

2022 Donated work for Ottawa Arts Council's LUCK! 2022
2021 Auctioned work with *Encans de la quarantaine*

Murals / Public Art

2022 Galerie des placotoirs de la rue Castelnau, City of Montreal
2021 Lansdowne and the Glebe Art Cubes mural artist
2021 Filtered exhibition at OAG, collaborated on 3 part mural and sound installation
2021 Mural design *Programme FrancoFun* for Vanier Community Service Centre

Press / Publications

2022 Revue Relations, *Vivre sans statut au Québec*
2022 Gallery 101, *People... Places.. Fragments.. memories.. piecing together to make whole*
2022 CBC, *Sarah-Mecca Abdourahman creates new art work for CBC Ottawa's community newsletter*
2021 *Ottawa Inshallah*
2021 C2 Montreal, *Artch: A creative springboard for emerging artists in the great economic restart*
2021 Capital Current, *'A living thing': The capital's museums and galleries kept their fires burning during the pandemic lockdown*
2021 Ottawa Citizen, *Ottawa Inshallah: Anthology of Muslim artists pictures a bright future*
2021, Terremoto, *"Carved Reflections" by Sarah-Mecca Abdourahman and Laurena Finéus at Ottawa Art Gallery, Canada*
2021 Radio Canada, *Nouvelle murale à la Galerie d'art d'Ottawa*
2020 Affirmative Girls, *Sarah-Mecca – Master of Many Art Mediums*
2014 Muslim Link, *Young Artist Competes to Create a Masterpiece*

Public Collections

2021 City of Ottawa Art Collections
2023 Art Volt Collections