### **NAZGOL SOBHANI**

Art Maker

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### **EDUCATION**

2022	MA, Social Design, University of Applied Arts Vienna, AT
	Exchanges, ViCCA, Aalto University, Espoo, Fl Design Investigation Studio, AT
2018	BFA, Fine Arts, Painting, Tehran University of Arts, IR
2017	Undergrad, Graphic Design, Kherad Art School, IR

### **EXHIBITIONS**

2024 Crossboard, Aalto Gallery Space, Espoo, Fl

Mostly Handmade, Plateau Gallery, Vienna, AT

Design Without Borders, Budapest and Bratislava, HU, SK Danube, Design Investigation Studio Space, Vienna, AT

PlatzProblem, Vienna Design Week, Vienna, AT

Installation and sculpture focused on trash management politics and carpet

2023 Mostly not yet defined, WUK, Vienna, AT

Inflatables, Rotterdam, NL

2022 I Miss use, Schleifgasse 11 Space, Vienna, AT

Sculptural and material design for "Body Skin" performance.

Explored bio design and societal/economic aspects of the body and citizenship

2021 Participatory Urbanism, (solo exhibition), Shahed Metro Station, Shiraz, IR

Examined the notion of safe public and private spaces from a political perspective.

2019 Finals, Forbidden Love, (solo exhibition), TUA space, Tehran, IR

2018 Performance against Celebrity oriented art market, Niavaran street, Tehran, IR

2014 Digital exhibition, UNICEF Painting Competition, Toronto, CA

### **GRANTS & AWARDS**

2024	Erasmus Grants, Aalto University, ViCCA program, Fl
2023	Selected, Vienna Design Week, Sweeping Under the Carpet, AT
2021	Nominated, Ö1 Radio, Fixing the Future Prize, AT
2019	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize, 34 <sup>th</sup> National Art and Culture Annual Award, IR
2018	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize, 33 <sup>th</sup> National Art and Culture Annual Award, IR
2014	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize, Third world cup UNICEF Painting Competition, CA

### **PRESS**

Radiokolleg - Reparatur der Zukunft, Vienna, AT,

Oe1, Das globale Casting neuer Ideen, Stefan Niederwieser, (online) 28. Juni 2021 Designed safe spaces and explored concepts of homelessness and playfulness in urban areas.

Herfeh Honarmand Magezine, no. 74, Anonymous reference, Performance as protest, Tehran, IR

# Techne

Material Design, Painting, Drawing, Sculpture, Weaving, Textile Design and sewing, Food Design, Repairing Methods, Structural Design, Bio Design, Paper Mache, Glass molding, Inflatable structure design, Ceramic molding, recycling methods

Photoshop, Illustrator (Ai), InDesign, Blender, Animation (2D), Stop-motion, Digital Painting, Web Design

Project Management, Curatorial Practice, Volunteer Work, Team work, Cooking, Fixing and Building

Languages Persian (Native), English (C1), German (B1+), Arabic (A2)

## Courses to be added