DEEPTI CHHABRIA

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PROFILE

Contemporary fine artist based in Mumbai, trained in Boston (College of Fine Arts), with lived and professional experience across Africa. Working in painting and mixed media, the practice explores identity, spirituality and cross-cultural symbolism through symbolic and surrealist imagery.

ARTISTIC PRACTICE

- **Mediums:** Oils and Acrylic, Charcoal, Oil Sticks, Ink
- **Themes:** Cultural hybridity, human-animal relationships, spirituality and self-discovery
- **Approach:** Integration of realism and abstraction, symbolic imagery and surrealist influences
- **Influences:** Nature, Mythology, cross-cultural visual traditions

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- Inema Arts Center, Rwanda – 2014
- Kiki's Art Gallery, Zimbabwe – 2013
- Shamwari Art, Zimbabwe – 2011
- Ikebana Association, Zimbabwe – 2007
- Boston University Exhibitions, Boston, USA – 2003-2006
- Innerspace Gallery, Zimbabwe – 2001

RESIDENCIES & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Resident Artist, Inema Arts Center, Rwanda
- Curated and developed artworks and visual displays for a wildlife sanctuary project for Sun International Hotels, South Africa
- Designed visual identities for mining and cosmetic companies, Zimbabwe

SELECTED COMMISSIONS

- *Convergence* – Private Collector, Mumbai
- *Durga* – Private Collector, Mumbai
- *Shakti* – Private Collector, Delhi
- *Eye of the Leopard* – First Rand Bank, Mumbai
- *Tree of Life* – Private Family Commission, Zimbabwe
- Traditional animal portrait series – Private Collection, US Embassy, Zimbabwe
- Nature-inspired series – Private Collector, London

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA - Painting)
Minor in Art History
Boston University, College of Fine Arts,
USA – 2006

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Painting & Mixed Media techniques
- Drawing
- Photography (Black & White)
- Printmaking
- Visual Storytelling