

# Amirhadi Shirzadi

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## EDUCATION

### Bachelor in Photography

University of Tehran, Faculty of Fine Art

Final project subject: On Background (photobook)

Link to the project:

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1r8s8oAPdOvznbGLEjZx1Hshzl7ew-bdQ/view?usp=share\\_link](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1r8s8oAPdOvznbGLEjZx1Hshzl7ew-bdQ/view?usp=share_link)

2015 - 2020

### Diploma in Humanities

Motahari highschool of Tabriz

2011 - 2014

## EXPERIENCE:

### Executive secretary of the Fourth Annual Photo Exhibition of the University of Tehran

Apr 2019 - Dec 2019

The Annual Photo Exhibition of the University of Tehran was held by the scientific association of this major since 2016. Initially, this event aimed to study the state of academic photography in the context of Iranian art.

### Supervisor of the art education department in Sky children's studio

Sep 2021 - Mar 2022

During my cooperation with the studio, I announced six creative and interactive art courses and workshops for children aged four to ten.

### Member of the central council of the Fifth Annual Photo Exhibition of the University of Tehran

Jun 2020 - Feb 2021

### Member of the Student Association of Photography at the faculty of Fine Arts, University of Tehran

Apr 2018 - Apr 2019

The Photography Association holds various events such as group exhibitions, participatory projects, artist talks, and many other extracurricular programs in the Faculty of Fine Arts.

### Member of central council of the Third Annual Photo exhibition of the University of Tehran

Jul 2018 - Dec 2018

### Editor at NEVESHTART platform

2017 - 2020

Link to this platform: <http://neveshtart.com/>

NeveshtArt takes a look at the Iranian Contemporary Art; some notes on what happens today in the art scene.

## EXHIBITION:

### .Group exhibition in Aria gallery (Enqelab)

2022

Tehran, Iran

Enqelab is the name of a major street in Tehran, Iran and I collaborate with a team of artists and writers to create interdisciplinary projects that narrate stories about the street in a one-year project.

### Group exhibition in Granze Arsenali photography festival

2021

Verona, Ital

My bachelor's final project has been selected for the exhibition by the curator Mr. Simmon Azooni.

Link to this festival: <https://www.grenzearsenalifotografici.com/>

### Group exhibition "10 Days with Iranian Photographers" in Iranian Artists Forum

2020

Tehran, Iran

Iranian National Photography Association nominated forty young photographers around the country and exhibited their projects during the festival. The nominators have selected my photo installation project, including twenty-eight snapshots.

About this festival: <https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/442876/10-Days-with-Iranian-Photographers-wraps-up>

**Virtual exhibition in the fifth annual photo exhibition of Tehran University with two projects**

2020

Web based exhibition

I participated in the open call of the exhibition with two projects, both of which were selected for the show by the jury team.

**Group exhibition in Aria gallery (Shariaty)**

2020

Tehran, Iran

Shariaty is the name of another major street in Tehran, Iran, and I collaborate with a team of artists and writers to create interdisciplinary projects that narrate visual stories about the street in a one-year project; my artwork was presented as several QR codes, and the content was a combination of sound and image showing my significant memories of encountering the street during a year.

Link to the project: [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1MErHGx8Mn\\_S2Vv69vuLWsteK\\_-7RB4MU/view?usp=share\\_link](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1MErHGx8Mn_S2Vv69vuLWsteK_-7RB4MU/view?usp=share_link)**Third experience group exhibition in Aria, Hashat Cheshme and Zie galleries**

2019

Tehran, Kashan and Shiraz, Iran

This touring exhibition contained fourteen visual projects by a group of photography students at the University of Tehran.

**Group exhibition in the third annual photo exhibition of Tehran University in Iran hall gallery**

2018

Tehran, Iran

My project was a combination of image and text with a social documentary approach which was selected as the second project of all the participants by the jury team.

Link to the project: <https://utphotoex.ir/amirhadi-shirzadi3/>**Group exhibition in the second annual photo exhibition of Tehran University in Iran hall gallery**

2017

Tehran, Iran

My presented project was a visual story about personal isolation during student life in a dormitory.

Link to the project: <https://utphotoex.ir/amirhadi-shirzadi-2nd/>**Group exhibition "Manipulated landscapes" in Naji gallery**

2016

Tabriz, Iran

Six landscape photography artworks were elected and exhibited by Tabriz Photography Association.

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**ACTIVITIES****Teacher of an interactive workshop based on photography and contemporary experiences in Mariwan**

2021

Kurdistan, Iran

More than twenty urban photography projects of Kurdish artists were reviewed and criticized in an interactive workshop, which was held during the 15th Mariwan International Street Theater Festival, I was one of the three instructors.

**Published three critical essays in Cheshmak magazine**

2020 - 2021

The essays described and criticized some of the selected final projects of Iranian photography alumni.

\*Cheshmak is a Persian academic magazine that investigates the art world, especially photography. This magazine is published quarterly.

Link to the magazine:

<https://cheshmag.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/Cheshmak.9.pdf>

**Lecturer at the opening conference of sixth annual photo exhibition of Tehran University**

2021

Online meeting

A lecture about the situation of annual exhibitions in the present circumstances of Iran's contemporary art was held, and I was one of six lecturers.

**Artist talk at "10 Days with Iranian Photographers" festival in Iranian Artists Forum**

2020

Tehran, Iran

During the meetings, I discussed my approach to the medium in detail, and also I responded to questions from the audiences and critics.

**Published four Collaborative and one solo photobooks**

2017 - 2021

These photobooks are designed and published to document few festivals in which my projects were selected.

**Cooperation with visual artists in their projects.**

Some of my images have taken the attention of two contemporary Iranian artists, Jinoos Taghizadeh and Mitra Tabrizian so they used my photos as a part of visual materials to advance their projects.

## Job Experiences

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.Art Director at FUJIFILM company in IRAN

June2020 - June2021

Architectural photographer at BEHSAMAN company

Apr 2018 - Mar 2019

## Language

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.Azerbaijani (Native)

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.Turkish(Fluent)

.English(Fluent)

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