# **BIOGRAPHY**

Born June 1, 1947 in Punjab now in Haryana (India), studied at the Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi, College of Art, New Delhi, Delhi University and Kanpur University. Founder of **Kali Group**, Haryana.

#### **GROUP SHOWS**

2015	"The Creativist" group show in Visual Art Gallery, IHC, New Delhi
2015	Absolute Art show in Visual Art Gallery, IHC, New Delhi
2014	Participated in Hanzi festival with mixed media on Hanzi paper, Korean Cultural Center, New Delhi.
2014	Participated in 50 years of Camlin Celebration Exhibition in Mumbai
2013	India Korea exhibition in Korean Cultural Center (Kerela workshop), later shifted to Dhoomimal Art Centre, New Delhi
2013	Group show in Art and Aesthetic AAA Gallery, New Delhi
2012	Art fair in Germany by AAA Gallery, New Delhi.
2012	Art Expo in Mumbai
2012	Group show by nine Artist in Alankritha Art Gallery, Hydrabad
2012	Participated and curated Korea India Exchange Exhibition in Seoul
2011	Participated in Pink City Project curated by Song Insang in Jaipur
2010	Annual Exhibition of Birla Academy and Art and Culture, Kolkata
2010	150 years of Income Tax Department of West Bengal at AIFACS, New Delhi
2009	Art Expo Exhibition at Mumbai
2003	Korea India 2003 Seoul Exchange Exhibition, Sejong Art Centre (Tagore Society of Korea), Seoul.
2002	India Korea 2002 Exchange Exhibition by Academy of Visual Media, LKA, New Delhi
2000	'Aprajita' (Orissa Relief Work), Gallery Freedom, New Delhi
2000	Art Magic at Taj Krishna, Hyderabad
1998	Exhibition during Indian History Congress, Museum and Art Gallery, Patiala
1997	Visited and organised an Exchange Exhibition programme of three Indian artists in Artetaz Art Gallery, Vladivostok through ICCR.
1997	Organised and participated in 'Artist at Harmony' in Gandhi Darshan and Samiti Darshan Raj Ghat, New Delhi on 9th August 1997, The Quit India Movement Day.
1991	Participated in International Exhibition of Kala Kumbh in USSR Cultural Centre, New Delhi.
1990	Group show in USSR Cultural Centre, New Delhi.

## **ANNUAL EXHIBITIONS**

1991-1992	Annual Art Exhibition of Sahitya Kala Parishad, New Delhi
1986, 1989	Annual Art Exhibition of Sahitya Kala Parishad, New Delhi
1985	All India Exhibition of Art, State Lalit Kala Akademi, Lucknow
1984-1986	All India Exhibition of Drawings at Government Museum and Art Gallery,
1704-1700	Chandigarh
1983	Atul All India Exhibition of Drawings, Ahmedabad.
Since 1982	Regular participant in National Exhibition of Art, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi.
1981-1983	Annual Art Exhibition of Sahitya Kala Parishad, New Delhi
1981	All India Exhibition of Prints at Government Museum and Art Gallery Chandigarh
1980-1982	All India Exhibition of Drawings at Government Museum and Art Gallery,
1900-1902	Chandigarh
Since 1977	Regular participant in All India Exhibition of Art, AIFACS, New Delhi.

## **ONE MAN SHOWS**

2007, 2011	Metros and Beyond, Visual Art Gallery, IHC, New Delhi by Art Konsult
2006	Metros and Beyond, Gallery HO, Seoul Korea
2003	Exhibition of Paintings at Grand Hyatt Hotel, New Delhi.
2000-2011	Metros and Beyond, Visual Art Gallery IHC, New Delhi by Art Konsult
1998	Exhibition of Drawing and Paintings at Punjabi University Art Gallery, Patiala
1994	Exhibition of Drawing and Paintings at India International Centre, New Delhi
1993	Exhibition of Paintings at Taj Art Gallery, Bombay.
1987, 1993, 1995	Exhibition of Drawings, Paintings at Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi.
1981, 1984, 1986	Exhibition of Drawings at Taj Art Gallery, Taj Mahal Hotel, Bombay.
1978	Exhibition of Drawings at Government Museum and Art Gallery, Chandigarh.
1976-1977, 1981	Exhibition of Drawing and Paintings at Triveni Kala Sangam, New Delhi.

## **CAMPS AND LECTURES**

2015	Workshop, Lecture and Slideshow in Lalit Kala Akademi, Chandigarh
2015	Workshop in IILM, University of Gurgaon
2015	Workshop in AIFACS in March 2015
2015	Art Camp in Jawahar Kala Kendra by Lalit kala Akademi, Rajasthan
2014	Art Camp in Kinner Foundation, Mumbai
2013	Curated and participated in India Korea Workshop and Seminar in Kumarakom Kerela
2012	Workshop in Mandu, Madhya Pradesh by Dhoomimal Art Gallery, New Delhi
2011	Workshop in Vyom Art Centre, Jaipur
2009	Workshop in Sri Lanka by Lantern of Art
2008	Workshop in Moscow
2003	Painting workshop at Kerela, Golden Jubilee Celebration of Maa Amritanandamai Ma.
2003	National level painting workshop at Kurukshetra University
2003	Workshop in Thailand by Sanjeev Kapur

2002-2003	Painting workshop by Urasvati Art Gallery at Kasauli.		
1998	Lecture and Slide show at Punjab University, Patiala.		
1995	Convenor for International Lithography Workshop at Garhi Studios with Tamrind Institute New Mexico (USA).		
1995	Convenor for All India Painting Workshop at Garhi Studios Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi.		

# **AWARDS**

1992, 1997	Award from Lions Club of Delhi, New Delhi
1990-1991	National Award from National Akademi of Art, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi

## **NOMINATIONS**

2015	Curated an Exchange Workshop between India and Korea in Jaipur with Neerja Modi School and an Exhibition titled 'Beyond the Borders in Korean Cultural Center and Art Konsult, New Delhi	
2015	Participated in National Art Camp, Lalit Kala Akademi, Jaipur	
2014	Participated in Jaipur Art Summit	
2014	Participated in Jaipur Art Submit	
2013	Curated an Exchange Workshop in Incheon village and an Exhibition in Seoul Korea.	
2012	HIFA Karamyogi Samman Karnal Haryana.	
2008	In Exchange Exhibition / Workshops between India and Korea at Khujurao, MP	
2008	Trustee and Secretary of Akademi Of Visual Media (Registered trust for the promotion of Art and Photography	
2006	Curated for Asian Art and worked with National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul Korea	
2004	A Group show of four Indian Artists at Hamil Art Gallery, Islamabad, Pakistan	
2003	Curated an Exchange Exhibition, Korea India 2003, at Sejong Art Centre, Seoul, Korea.	
2002	Curated an Exchange Exhibition, India Korea 2002, in LKA Gallery, New Delhi.	
1997	Deputed to renovate the Russian Cultural Centre Art Gallery.	
1997	Curated an Exhibition on 50th Anniversary of India Independence at Vladivostok (Russia) through ICCR.	
1994-1997	Hony. Director of Garhi Studios, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi.	
1992	Nominated as Commissioner of International Biennale of Visual Arts of Seychelles.	

# **AUCTIONS**

2014-2015	Art and Deal Auction New Delhi
2009	Khushi Art Auction, New Delhi.
2009	Rotary Club and Dhoomimal Art Gallery, New Delhi
2009	Borobudur Auctions Pvt Ltd. Singapore

#### **COLLECTIONS**

- National Gallery of Modern Art, New Delhi
- ➤ Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi
- ➤ Government Museum and Art Gallery, Chandigarh
- ➤ Modern Art Museum Valadivistok (Russia)
- ➤ Kiran Nadar Museum New Delhi, Sahitya Kala Parishad, New Delhi
- ➤ College of Art, New Delhi
- ➤ National Textile Corporation, Kanpur
- ➤ Apollo Tyres; Dabur India
- Birlas
- > IFFCO
- > TATA
- ➤ Taj Hotels, Hyderabad and New Delhi
- ➤ Collection in London, Holland, West Germany, Mexico, USA and many private collections in India and abroad.