



Press Release:

For Immediate Release

Aisha Alabbar Gallery Presents: *-continuum—*An Exhibition Exploring the Evolution of Human Existence

Dubai, [September, 2024] — Aisha Alabbar Gallery is pleased to announce the launch of *-continuum*, a compelling art exhibition that delves into the ongoing evolution of human existence. This collection traces the transformative journey from the fluidity of circles to the rigidity of squares, symbolizing the various stages of life's profound changes. It reflects humanity's pursuit of perfection and salvation while embracing the inherent beauty of imperfection.

This exhibition invites visitors to immerse themselves in the human experience, to lean in, learn, and ultimately lead through a deeper understanding of life's complexities. The collection presents the human journey as a series of ongoing projects—creations, connections, and collaborations that continuously evolve. It serves as a poignant reminder that we are living installations, constantly in progress, shaped and reshaped over time.

"This exhibition marks a new chapter for Aisha Alabbar Gallery, bringing together a remarkable series of works that chart an evolutionary journey," said Shilan Samaei, Gallery Director. *"We are thrilled to open our doors with this exhibition by Armin Najib, where each piece beautifully reveals how shadows of the past merge seamlessly with reflections of the future, offering viewers a profound exploration of transformation and growth."*

Among the highlights of the exhibition is the Me, I and Existence collection. *"This selection serves as the DNA of my work,"* said Armin Najib. *"Like a script for directing a movie, these pieces form a visual narrative of humanity's shift from a life once content on a round earth to a present where meaning is sought within self-made cubes. This evolutionary journey is captured and celebrated in each piece, showcasing how we cocoon ourselves in layers of history."*

In addition to the exhibition, Aisha Alabbar Gallery will host a series of programs, including artist talks, panel discussions, and special tours, designed to deepen engagement with the themes presented in *-continuum*. These events will provide audiences with the opportunity to explore the concepts behind the works and engage directly with the artists.

-continuum will be accompanied by a fully illustrated catalogue, offering new insights into the works on display and the broader context in which they exist.

The exhibition will be open to the public on September 18, 2024, from 6-8 PM. Media and press are invited to attend a special preview and tour of the exhibition on September 16th, from 10 AM- 1 PM. For press inquiries or to RSVP for the preview, please contact Tia Tannous at tia@aishaalabbar.art.

About Aisha Alabbar Gallery

Established in 2018, Aisha Alabbar Gallery stands as a pillar of contemporary and modern art in Dubai, UAE. Guided by a commitment to showcasing both emerging and established talents, we strive to elevate the voices and visions of artists from the UAE, the region, and beyond.

As a pioneering women-led Emirati gallery, we take pride in being among the first in the region to celebrate the brilliance of local and regional artists. Through meticulous curation and collaborations with esteemed curators and organizations, we invest significant resources to spotlight these artists on the global stage.

Through our exhibitions, innovative programs, and bespoke publications, Aisha Alabbar Gallery enriches the dynamic tapestry of the arts in the UAE, leaving a lasting mark on the cultural landscape.

Media Contact:

Tia Tannous
+971 551535962
tia@aishaalabbar.art