

NICHOLAS HALES

CURRICULUM VITAE

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BIOGRAPHY

b. 1970 in Cape Town, South Africa
Lives and works in Cape Town, South Africa

EDUCATION

1991 Diploma in Graphic Design, University of Cape Town
1992 Advanced Diploma in Fine Art, University of Cape Town

AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

2019 Scholarship art residence, L'Air Arts, Paris, France
2019 L'Air Arts, Paris, France.
2018 Selected for Chateau d'Orquevaux Residency, France.
Selected for Enter Text residency program, Arteles, Finland.
2010 Selected for Vermont Studio Centre, residency, USA.
2007 Nominated for a Kanna award. *Flesh*, ABSA KKNK, Oudtshoorn South Africa
2003 Greatmore Studios, Cape Town, South Africa (2003 - 2007)
2002 Merit winner, *What is life exhibition?* South African National Museum, Cape Town
1992 Awarded the Jules Kramer Scholarship for Post - Graduate study at the University of Cape Town

SOLO EXHIBITIONS & PRESENTATIONS

2022 *Alchemy*, 99 loop, Cape Town, South Africa
2018 *Games*, Tokara, Stellenbosch, South Africa
2007 *Adytum*, João Ferreira Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
2005 *Portals*, João Ferreira Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
2002 *Balance*, Cape Town Masculine and Feminine, Association for Visual Arts, Cape Town, South Africa
1999 UCT Irma Stern Museum, Cape Town, South Africa

GROUP EXHIBITIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

2026 **[UPCOMING]** Investec Cape Town Art Fair (SMAC Gallery), Cape Town, South Africa
2025 Investec Cape Town Art Fair (99 Loop), Cape Town, South Africa
2024 Investec Cape Town Art Fair (Barnard Gallery), Cape Town, South Africa
Hold That thought, 99 Loop Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa

2023 *Between Worlds*, Barnard Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
Investec Cape Town Art Fair (99 Loop Gallery), Cape Town, South Africa
Investec Cape Town Art Fair (Barnard Gallery), Salon section, Cape Town, South Africa.
Green Fuse, Graham Contemporary, Johannesburg, South Africa
Hot Spell, 99 Loop, Cape Town, South Africa
Artist Showcase, 99 Loop, Cape Town, South Africa
2022 Spier Light Art 2022, Spier, Stellenbosch, South Africa
Paint, Glen Carlou, curated by JP Meyer, Franschhoek, South Africa
In-Response: Art of the Space Age, The Jan Rupert Art Centre, Graaff-Reinet, South Africa
Refelection, 99 Loop, Cape Town, South Africa
Collective, Barnard Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
2021 *Nel* Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
2020 131a Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
Nel Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
2019 *The invisible realm of possibility*, FIAP, Paris, France (partnership between L'AIR ARTS, Paris, France and DRAWinternational, Caylus, France)
Barnard collective, Barnard Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
Nel Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
2018 *Nano 1.1*, Barnard Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
Tokara, Stellenbosch, Cape Town, South Africa
2017 99 Loop, Cape Town, South Africa
Nano 1.1, Barnard Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
Tokara, Stellenbosch, Cape Town, South Africa
2014 *Commune.1*, Cape Town, South Africa
Cape Town Art Fair, AVA, Cape Town, South Africa

2013 *Shimmering*, Cavalli Estate, Cape Town, South Africa

2010 Spanish Embassy Opening of Parliament exhibition, Cape Town

2009 *Elysian Fields*, UCA Gallery, Cape Town

2008 South African Abstract Art Volume 1. Seippel Gallery Johannesburg
Johannesburg Art Fair, João Ferreira Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

2007 *Flesh*, ABSA KKNK, Oudtshoorn, South Africa, Nominated for a Kanna award for best work

2006 Alpan Gallery, Huntington, New York
Want and Desire, João Ferreira Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
Home, Old Biscuit Mill, Cape Town, South Africa

2005 Committees Choice show, Association for Visual Arts (AVA), Cape Town, South Africa

2004 Brett Kebble Art Awards in collaboration with Norman O'Flynn , Cape Town, South Africa

2003 Selected finalist for the Sasol wax in art competition, Sasolburg, South Africa
2nd Annual Detroit International Video Festival, Detroit Museum of New Art(MONA)USA
Ydesire, The Castle of Good Hope, Cape Town, South Africa

2002 *Autogeographies*, Millennium Gallery Johannesburg, South Africa

2001 YDETAG, South African National Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa

FILM FESTIVALS

2014 Independent Mzani Short Film Festival, Pretoria, South Africa

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PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

L'Air Arts, Paris, France

Detroit Museum of New Art(MONA), U.S.A

Spier Arts Trust and Nandos, South Africa

Nicholas Hales' work is held in private collections in the U.K., Europe, U.S.A and the Far East

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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