

SASKIA FERNANDO GALLERY

JAGATH WEERASINGHE b.1954

Education

- 1991 Master of Fine Arts Degree in Painting, American University, Washington D.C.
- 1988 Conservation of Rock Art, Getty Conservation Institute, Los Angeles, USA
- 1985 Conservation of Wall Paintings, International Center for the Scientific Study and Restoration of Cultural Property (ICCROM)
- 1981 Bachelors of Fine Arts. Honors in Painting (Second Class Upper Pass) Minor: Sculpture, Institute of Aesthetic Studies University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka

Solo Exhibitions (selected)

- 2026 Trapped in a Broken Dream, I Still Think of You | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka 2025 How Many Skies Have Fallen | Nature Morte, New Delhi, India
- 2024 Yellow Wall and the Celestial Menace | Millennium Art Contemporary, Athurugirya, Sri Lanka
- 2024 Discovery of Histories | PRSFG, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2023 Impetus | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2020 April Works: Backpacks, Bombs & Borders | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2018 Dream for Me | Curated by Liz Fernando | KHOJ, New Delhi, India
- 2018 Belief: The Promise of Absence | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2018 Days without a Night | Goethe Institute, New Delhi, India
- 2016 With or Without Me/aning | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2014 Decorated | Breese Little, London, United Kingdom
- 2009 Shiva Nataraja | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka 2006 The Reading Room: Thousand Shivas and Thousand Mikes | Singapore Biennale, Singapore
- 2005 The Celestial Underwear | Phenomenal Space Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2004 Urban and the Individual | Group Show, Phenomenal Space Gallery, Colombo
- 2000 (My) Inability of Painting Woman' | Gallery 706, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 1997 Yantragala and the round pilgrimage | Heritage Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 1992 Anxiety | National Gallery of Art, Colombo, Sri Lanka

Group Exhibitions (selected)

- 2026 Sethusamudram | Millennium Art Contemporary, Athurugirya, Sri Lanka
- 2026 Legacies | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2025 The Persistence of Memory | Grosvenor Gallery, London, UK
- 2025 After Aphantasias | Bikaner House, New Delhi, India
- 2025 Pivot Glide Echo - 2nd Edition | KALĀ, Heywood Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2024 Total Landscaping | Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2023 The Library Project | Chelsea College of Art, UAL Libraries, London, UK
- 2022 Language is Migrant | Colomboscope, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2019 Shades of Black and White | J.D.A Perera Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2019 Crossing Place | Baik Art Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 A Tale of Two Cities: India & Sri Lanka | Gallery Espace, New Delhi, India
- 2017 Portraits of Intervention: Contemporary Art from Sri Lanka | Aicon Gallery, New York
- 2016 Portraits of Resistance | India International Centre, New Delhi, India
- 2015 Shadow Scenes | Colomboscope, Rio Hotel and Cinema, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2012 Drawings | Breese Little, London, UK
- 2012 Mediated (Data Art) | Saskia Fernando Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2012 Art of Resistance | Espace Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2012 Colombo Art Biennale | Colombo, Sri Lanka

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- 2011 Contemporary Art From Sri Lanka 2011 | Asia House, London, UK
2009 Artful Resistance: Crisis and Creativity in Sri Lanka | Museum fur Volkerkunde Wien, Vienna, Austria
2009 Designing Peace | Marian Pasat Roces, MCDA, Manila, Philippines
2005 Ten Artists from Sri Lanka | Milles Garden, Stockholm, Sweden
2004 Aham Puram | Jaffna Library, Jaffna, Sri Lanka
2002 Arts South Asia Show | Liverpool University Gallery, Liverpool
1999 Asia-Pacific Triennial, Queensland Gallery, Australia
1997 Dialogue | With Christa Webber, Gallery Mount Castle, Colombo, Sri Lanka
1996 Die Welt zu Gast | Spiel Bank, Dortmund, Germany
1994 4th Asian Art Show | Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan
1994 New Approaches in Contemporary Sri Lankan Art | National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka

Collections

Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA), Los Angeles, USA
Fukuoka Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan
Devi Art Foundation, New Delhi, India