

## Tal Amitai-Lavi

1969, Born in Israel

### Studies

2008-2010 Master of Fine Arts (MFA), Haifa University

1996-2002 B.A. in the Multidisciplinary Program of the Arts, Tel Aviv University

1991-1994 The faculty of arts "Hamidrasha", Beit Berl College, Kfar Saba

### One - Artist Exhibitions / Special Projects

2017 ***Green on the Outside Red on the Inside***, Basis Gallery, Herzliya. Curator: Shlomit Breuer

2014 ***Light Construction***, Chelouche Gallery for Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv

2010 ***Duet: Tal Amitai-lavi & Dina Shenhav***, the Heder Gallery.  
Curator: Neta Gal-Atzmon

2004 ***(temporary) Happiness***, Janco Dada Museum, Ein Hod; Herzliya Museum of Contemporary Art; Rehovot Municipal Art Gallery, M. Smilansky Cultural Center. Curator: Tami Katz-Freiman

2001 ***Aleph for Ohel [tent] / Bet for Bayit [house]***, Noga Gallery of Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv

1996 ***We Are a Bound Family***, The Kibbutz Art Gallery, Tel Aviv.  
Curator: Tali Tamir

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2016 ***Craftmanship in Art***, City Gallery Kfar Saba. Curator: Meira Pery-Lehmann

- Nordart 2016; *The Circle of Life***, Germany. Curator: Carmit Blumensohn
- Wire(less) Connections***, The Israel Meseum, Jerusalem. Curator: Daniella Shalev
- Arte Laguna Prize***, finalists collective exhibitions, Arsenale, Venice, Italy. Curator: Igor Zanti
- Still/Life***, Artists' Studios, Jerusalem. Curator: Tamar Gispán-Greenberg
- 2015 ***Visions of Place***, Stedman Gallery, Rutgers-Camden, New Jersey; Towson University, Maryland, USA. Curators: Martin Rosenberg and J. Susan Isaacs
- Along the Lines of Imagination***, Tel Aviv Museum of Art. Curator: Sara Raiman Shor
- 2014 ***Traces V: Beyond Paper***, The 5<sup>th</sup> Biennale for Drawing in Israel, Jerusalem Artist's House, Jerusalem. Curator: Tal Yahas
- Partners***, Chelouche Gallery for Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv. Curator: Tal Amitai-Lavi
- 2013 ***On Paper***, Chelouche Gallery for Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv
- Artricks***, The Israel Meseum, Jerusalem. Curator: Daniella Shalev
- Title Deed***, Binyamin Gallery, Tel Aviv
- 2012 ***8 Cube Museum Space***, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Curators: Nili Goren, Nogah Davidson, Sally Haftel Nave
- 2011 ***Israeli Texture***, The Knesset, Jerusalem. Curator: Sharon Sofer
- The Seam***, Dan Gallery, Yad Mordechai, Curator: Ravit Harari
- 2010 ***Israely & International Art***, Sotheby's New York
- Re-Location***, Opening exhibition of Chelouche on MazeH, Tel Aviv
- There is No Thing that has Not Its Place***, The Painters and Sculptors Association, Tel Aviv. Curator: Moran Shoub
- Graduate Show 2010***, Master of Fine Art (MFA), Haifa University, Haifa. Curators: Uri Katzenstein, Philip Rantzer
- Fresh Paint 3***, Contemporary Art Fair, Tel Aviv. Curators: Yifat Gurion Ofer, Matan Daube
- 2009 ***Fresh Paint 2***, Contemporary Art Fair, Tel Aviv. Curators: Yifat Gurion Ofer, Matan Daube

- Mani's Haunted House***, Beit Mani Leumi ("Mani's House") art space, Tel Aviv. Curators: Yifat Gurion Ofer, Matan Daube
- 2008 ***Don Kishut***, Ironi 'H' High School, Tel Aviv. Curator: Ady Dulza
- 2007 ***The Space Between***, Petach–Tikva Museum. Curator: Drorit Gur Arie
- 2006 ***Fatamorgana: Illusion and Deception in Contemporary Art***, Haifa Museum of Art. Curator: Tami Katz-Freiman
- 2004 ***Fragments: Mosaics & Reality***, Time for Art Israeli Art Center, Tel Aviv  
Curator: Neta Gal-Atzmon
- Love is in the Air: Romantic Love in Contemporary Israeli Art***, Time For Art Israeli Art Center, Tel Aviv. Curator: Tami Katz-Freiman
- 2003 ***Childhood Cabinets***, Rehovot Municipal Art Gallery, M. Smilansky Cultural Center. Curator: Ora Kraus
- Overcraft: Obsession Decoration and Biting Beauty***, The Art Gallery, Haifa University; The Painters and Sculptors Association, Tel Aviv.  
Curator: Tami Katz-Freiman
- Israeli Contemporary***, Robert Sandelson Gallery, London. Curators: Tamar Arnon, Eli Zagury
- Artists Teachers***, Art Gallery, Oranim College, Tivon
- 2002 ***Israeli Object: A Matter of Time***, Artists House, Jerusalem; The Israel National Museum of Science, Planning & Technology, Haifa.  
Curator: Sophia Dekel
- The Boundaries of Sculpture: Israeli Sculpture between Art, Science and Technology***, The Open Museum, Tefen and Omer; The Avraham Baron Art Gallery at Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Be'er Sheva.  
Curators: Prof. Haim Finkelstein, Haim Maor, Ruthi Ofek
- Food in Art: A Matter of Taste***, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem.  
Curators: Hagitte Alon and Smedar Gafni
- 2001 ***Israeli Habitat***, Mishkenot Sha'ananim, Jerusalem. Curator: Nirit Nelson
- Toy- Sculpture***, Bat Yam Museum of Art; Arad Museum; Municipal Gallery, Kfar Saba. Curators: Ili Govrin, Miri Taragan
- Looking In, Looking At***, Bezalel Gallery, Tel Aviv
- 2000 ***The Perfect Couple***, Noga Gallery of Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv
- Artic 2***, Recipients of the America - Israel Cultural Foundation Scholarship Exhibition, The Museum of Israeli Art, Ramat–Gan, Curator: Surin Heller

## **Scholarships and Awards**

- 2014 Support for "Light Construction" catalogue from the Israel National Lottery Council for the Arts
- 2010 "Under the Hammer" award by Sotheby's auction house, Fresh Paint 3 Art Fair
- 2004 The Beracha Foundation, (*temporary*) *Happiness*, Catalogue and exhibition production
- 2003 Artist-Teacher Award, The Israeli Ministry of Science, Culture and Sport
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- 1997 America-Israel Cultural Foundation Scholarship (Sharett Foundation)
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- 1993 Scholarship for academic excellence, the faculty of arts "Hamidrasha"
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## **Collections:**

The Knesset Art Collection  
The Israel Museum, Jerusalem  
Brandes Family Art Collection  
Ami and Gabi Braun Collection  
Bank Hapoalim Collection  
Yifat Gurion Ofer Collection  
Att. Chaim Stanger Collection  
Sybil Goldfiner Collection  
Private Collections in Israel and abroad