

Jumaldi Alfi, Born in Lintau, West Sumatra. Lives and works in Yogyakarta – Indonesia. In 2010, he co-founded the Artists Initiative, Office For Contemporary Art (OFCA) International in Yogyakarta, Indonesia.

He is also cofounder and member of Jendela Artists Group who in the early phase of their careers, surprised art audiences in Indonesia with their works that were very much removed from socio-political themes while being also removed from the kind of works capitalizing on the technical sophistication of realist painting. Instead, they showed inclination for extreme naïvism in the form of meaningless ‘doodles’ or formalism – that was also extreme – by drawing exclusively on minimal visual elements of line, color and texture.

Professional trainings

- 2010 Artist in Residence, STPI (Singapore Tyler Print Institute), Singapore
- 1999 Indonesian Institute of Arts (ISI), Yogyakarta, Indonesia
- 1993 Indonesian High School of Arts (SMSR), Yogyakarta, Indonesia

Solo Exhibitions

- 2013 Jumaldi Alfi’s Blackboard Paintings, Primo Marella Gallery, Milan
Re-Play #3, OFCA International, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
- 2012 Jumaldi Alfi, Asian One - Art Hong Kong with Sin Sin Gallery, Hong Kong
- 2011 *Melting Memories #2*, Nadi Gallery, Jakarta Art District, Jakarta
Nightswimmer, Metis Gallery, Amsterdam
Melting Memories, STPI (Singapore Tyler Print Institute), Singapore
- 2010 *Life / Art # 101: Never Ending Lesson*, Sangkring Art Space, Yogyakarta - Indonesia;
Valentine Willie Fine Art Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia; Singapore
- 2008 *Color Guide Series*, Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
- 2006 *Alfi*, iPreciation Fine Art Gallery, Singapore
- 2003 *Cover*, Centre Culturel Français, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Current Trend, Regent Hotel, Jakarta
- 2001 *Alfi-Lukis*, Lontar Gallery, Jakarta
Derau-Noise, Bentara Budaya Yogyakarta, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
- 1998 *Rekonstruksi*, (AIKON !), Yogyakarta - Indonesia

Group Exhibitions

- 2013 ArtJOG 13, Taman Budaya Yogyakarta – Indonesia
Art Basel HK13, *Me*, Jumaldi Alfi and Heri Dono with Edwin Gallery, Hong Kong
Prague Bienalle 6, Prague - Czech Republic
Kindred by Choice I – Jumaldi Alfi, Fendry Ekel, Entang Wiharso, ARNDT Singapore
Art 13, with Primo Marella Gallery, London
Indonesian Pavilion, ArtStage Singapore, Singapore
The Collectors Show, *Weight of History*, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore
- 2012 *The Window of Jendela*, OHD Museum, Magelang - Indonesia
A Sign of Absence, Edwin Gallery, Jakarta - Indonesia
Earthly Evocation, Sin Sin Gallery, Hong Kong
2x2, Eileen Kaminsky Foundation, New York
Estate, curated by Lucie Fountain, Marianne Boesky Gallery, New York

- Yogyakarta – 5 Artists From Indonesia*, Marc Straus Gallery, New York
Reclaim.doc, Gallery Nasional, Jakarta
Legacy, Esa Sampoerna Art Museum, Surabaya - Indonesia
- 2011 *Documenting Now: Person to Person*, UPT Gallery, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Back to the Future, Sangkring Art Space, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
ARTJOG, Yogya Art Fair, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Homo Ludens, Emmitan Gallery, Surabaya - Indonesia
Bayang, the National Gallery of Indonesia, Jakarta
 Hong Kong International Art Fair (ART HK 11)”, with Nadi Gallery, Hong Kong
 Art Stage Singapore 2011, Gajah Gallery; STPI, Singapore
 Art Amsterdam, Metis Gallery, Amsterdam
- 2010 *The Show Must Go On*, celebrating the 10th anniversary of Nadi Gallery, the National Gallery of Indonesia, Jakarta
Unity: The Return to Art, Wendt Gallery, New York
 Hong Kong International Art Fair (ART HK 10)”, Nadi Gallery, Hong Kong
Homo Ludens, Emmitan Gallery, Surabaya - Indonesia
Space and Image, Ciputra World Marketing Gallery, Jakarta
Transfiguration, Jakarta Art District, Jakarta
Masih Ada Gus Dur, Langgeng Gallery, Magelang, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Bakaba, Sakato Art Community, Jogja National Museum, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
- 2009 *Biennale Jogja X 2009*, Sangkring Art Space II, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Kado #2, Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
Two Sides of Solitude: Jumaldi Alfi and Andy Dewantoro, Garis Art Space, Jakarta
Diverse – 40 x 40: Andy Dewantoro, Jumaldi Alfi, Nasirun, Sin Sin Fine Art, Hong Kong
2nd Odyssey, Srisasanti Gallery, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Reach for the Heart, Sin Sin Fine Art, Hong Kong
Awareness, Indonesian Art Today, Canvas International Art, Amsterdam
The Topology of Flatness, Edwin Gallery, Jakarta
In Rainbow, Esa Sampoerna Art House, Surabaya - Indonesia
 Shanghai Art Fair, Nadi Gallery, Shanghai, China
 Hong Kong International Art Fair (ART HK 09), Nadi Gallery, Hong Kong
Jendela – A Play of the Ordinary, NUS Museum, Singapore
Friendship Code, Syang Art Space, Magelang - Indonesia
- 2008 *Ruang dan Waktu*, V’art Gallery, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Expose #1 - A Presentation of Indonesian Contemporary Art by Deutsche Bank & Nadi Gallery, Four Seasons Hotel, Jakarta
Alfi: Painting Series & Handiwirman Saputra: Exterior, Inside View—Interior, Outside View, ShContemporary 08, organized by Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
Manifesto, the National Gallery, Jakarta
 CIGE 2008 (China International Gallery Exposition), Nadi Gallery, Beijing
 A Slice Indonesian Contemporary Art, Soka Contemporary Center, Beijing
Indonesian Invasion, Sin Sin Fine Art, Hongkong
Tribes _ Group 3, Sin Sin Fine Art, Hongkong

- 2007 Shanghai Art Fair, Langgeng Gallery, Shanghai
Cilukba!/Peekaboo!, KSRJ (Kelompok Seni Rupa Jendela), Valentine Willie Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur
Fetish Part I, Biasa Gallery, Seminyak, Bali - Indonesia
Time, V-Art Gallery, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
IVAA book aid vol. 01/07, Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
Common Grounds, A glimpse of Indonesian contemporary art, Gallery Nasional, Jakarta
Contemporary Indonesian Art Now, Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
- 2006 *ICON: Retrospective*, Jogja Gallery, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Tobacco Wedding and Art, Magelang - Indonesia
- 2005 *Oven View*, Biasa Gallery, Seminyak, Bali - Indonesia
Beauty and Terror, Loft Gallery, Paris, France
Indonesian Contemporary Art, iPreciation, Singapore
Re-Reading Landschaap, Sakato Group, Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
The Ordinary, KSRJ (Kelompok Seni Rupa Jendela), Nadi Gallery, Jakarta
Urban Culture, CP. 2nd Biennale, Museum Bank Indonesia, Jakarta
- 2004 *Multi Sub Culture*, Berlin
Wings of Words, Studio Budaya and Langgeng Gallery, Magelang - Indonesia
Behind the Concept, Gaya Fusion Gallery, Bali - Indonesia
ARTSingapore 2004, Sun Jin Gallery, Suntec City, Singapore
Mempertimbangkan Tradisi, Sanggar Sakato, Gallery Nasional, Jakarta
Barcode, 16th FKY (Yogyakarta Arts Festival), Taman Budaya, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Get the Book!!!, Fund Raising, KKF, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
- 2003 *Read Art Project*, Cemeti Art House, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Read Art Project, UGM Library, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
No Body, MonDecor Gallery, Jakarta
Borobudur, Borobudur International Festival 2003, H. Widayat Museum, Magelang - Indonesia
Bazart, 15th FKY, Benteng Vredeburg Museum, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Membaca Ruang-Ruang, Muara Art House, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Exploring Vacuum I, Cemeti Art House, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Drawing, Sanggar Dewata Indonesia, Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Interpellation, CP Open Bienalle, Gallery Nasional, Jakarta
10th Indonesian Art Awards, ASEAN Building, Jakarta
Infatuated, Sun Jin Gallery, Singapore
Passion: Ethno Identity, Shanghai; Beijing; Jakarta

Awards

- 2003 Finalist of the 10th Indonesian Art Awards
1998 The Best Painting Awards, Indonesian Institute of Arts (ISI), Yogyakarta - Indonesia
Finalist of the 5th Indonesian Art Awards