

JORDAN PAUL NASSAR

b. 1985, New York City Lives and Works in New York City

Biography Nassar's work addresses the intersection of craft, language, history, (geo)politics, and technology. Beginning with the intricacies of identity and cultural participation, as an Arab-Polish-American, Nassar treats traditional craft more as medium than topic, examining subjects such as cultural heritage, ownership, exchange and absorption; emigrant nostalgia for the 'homeland' and its generational repercussions; geography, politics, and orientalism; symbology, codes and language systems; superstition and religious belief; post-internet visual language; and representational and geometric abstraction.

Solo Exhibitions

- 2015 • "And A Night" Evelyn Yard, London, UK

Two Person Exhibitions

- 2016 • "No Secret" with Mika Horibuchi, LVL3 Gallery, Chicago, IL, USA

Group Exhibitions

- 2017 • [Title To Come], Arcadia Missa New York, NYC, USA
• Art Los Angeles Contemporary with Anat Ebgji, LA, USA
- 2016 • "Summer Reading" Fortnight Institute, NYC, USA
• "In Residence" Las Cruces, Houston, TX, USA
• "Bootleg T-Shirt Show Part II" Printed Matter, Inc., NYC, USA
- 2015 • "Ausstellung 61" Exile Gallery, Berlin, Germany
• Expo Chicago with Evelyn Yard, London, UK
• NADA NY with Evelyn Yard, London, UK
- 2014 • "June Snow" Evelyn Yard, London, UK

Group Publication Exhibitions

- 2016 • "CASSANDRA" NY Art Book Fair 2016, NYC, USA
• "E.A.S.T. (East Austin Studio Tour)", ATM Gallery, Austin, TX, USA
• "FL3X PL3X 2K16", LA Art Book Fair 2016, LA, USA
- 2015 • "Up In Smoke 2", NY Art Book Fair 2015, NYC, USA
• "Printed Matter's Bootleg Tshirt Show Part II", Printed Matter Inc., NY, USA

Notable Collections

- Soho House, Istanbul
- Soho House, New York (Ludlow)

Publications

- 2016 • The Third Rail (Summer 2016)

Press

- 2016 • Elephant Magazine Issue 28, "New Establishment" Interview (Print and Online)
• Littlestar Weekly (Online), www.littlestarjournal.com

Selected Bibliography of self-published Artist's Books

- 2016 • "A Whole New World"
• "We Were Here First"
• "Bellevue"
• "Any Other Rose"
• "Messenger of the Gods"
• "Kahlil Gibran"
- 2015 • "When It's Naked"
• "Ma Rose Apocalypse"