

# **Abdulrahman Suleyman**

Born in Al-Ahsa, KSA.

Graduated with a degree in Arts Education, 1974.

Editor and supervisor of plastic arts section of Al-Youm Newspaper since 1983, and writes frequently about plastic arts for several Saudi and Arabic newspaper and magazines.

Attended many conferences and seminars as a lecturer both in and outside the Kingdom.

Since 1987, has served as the head of Plastic Arts Department of the Saudi Association of Arts and Culture.

## **Memberships:**

**1985** A founding member of The Friends of the Gulf Plastic Arts Group

**1986** A member of The International Association of the Arts

**1993** A member of Bahrain Plastic Arts Institution

## **SGE:**

Since 1976, has participated in various group exhibitions in the Kingdom, arranged by the Public Department of Youth Affairs, the Saudi Association of Arts and Culture, and the National Guard; Riyadh, Dammam, Al-Ahsa, Jeddah, Abha, Al-Khobar, Jubail Industrial City, and other cities

**1994** International Conference along with the First International Graphics Triennale, Egypt

**1992-1993** 4th Cairo International Biennale, Cairo, Egypt

**1985-1993** "The Friends of Gulf Plastic Art," GCC countries, Cairo, Tunisia, Madrid, Amman, Bonn, Washington, Damascus and Istanbul

**1993**

- Oil dyeing workshop, 15th Ascela Cultural Season, Morocco
- Etching workshop, 15th Ascela Cultural Season, Morocco

**1990** Personal exhibition at Culture Palace, Riyadh, KSA

**1985-1989** Saudi contemporary art exhibitions: Turkey, India, Italy, Kuwait, UAE, Oman, Algeria, Cairo

**1989** "Plastic Art in the Islamic Countries," London, UK

**1985, 1987, 1989** "Arab Artists Exhibition," Kuwait

**1986**

- "Contemporary Asian Exhibition," Seoul, South Korea
- "The Kingdom Yesterday and Today," London, Paris, Cairo and USA
- "2nd International Turkish Exhibition for Culture and Tourism," Ankara, Istanbul, and Italy

- “Expo Vancouver,” Canada

**1985** “First Exhibition of Arabic Letters,” arranged for Saudi artists, Dammam, KSA

**1984**

- Saudi Algerian Cultural Week
- Arab Youth Festival Exhibition

**1983** Personal exhibitions in Dammam

## **Prizes**

**1982** First prize, 2nd exhibition of the Saudi Association of Arts and Culture, Al-Ahsa, KSA

First prize for painting, 7th Saudi Contemporary Art Exhibition, Riyadh, KSA

First prize for painting, 8th Saudi Contemporary Art Exhibition, Riyadh, KSA

First prize for painting, 9th Saudi Contemporary Art Exhibition, Riyadh, KSA

**1985 -1987 -1989** Certificate of honor and gold medals, 9th 10th and 11th Arab Artists Exhibitions, Kuwait

## **Public collections**

Youth fair in Riyadh, KSA

Art and Culture Association in Dammam, Riyadh, and Al-Ahsa

The Cultural Museum in Mexico

The National Museum in Jordan, Amman, Jordan

3 works at King Fahad Airport, Eastern Province, KSA