CV Sitar Balaban

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Exhibitions:

2024-"skin", glass fashion show, part of the BIG Festival 2024, at Biot France. Currently in the Historic Museum for Ceramic Biot.

2022- "Trapped", "Again and Again" The EN Gallery, Seattle, part of the Refract event 2022. 2021- "Kind of a Women", connections, Glass From Every Angle, GAS member exhibition. [view exhbition catalogue]

2020- "Worker's meal", "Earth art", Bloomfield Science Museum, Jerusalem.

Article:

Portfolio magazine -spotlight on 2022 art graduate in Israel. [view article]

Awards and scholarships

2024- Summer scholarship winner at the Corning Museum of Glass, New York U.S.A. AIDA Association.

2023- Was **granted a student excellence award** from Bezalel Academy the Ceramic and Glass Department.

2022- **Deborah Blumenthal award** for an outstanding Final project in the ceramic and glass design department.

2022- **Summer scholarship winner at the Pilchuck Glass School**, Washington U.S.A. Polonsky foundation.

2022- **commendation in the award named after the artist Herman Struck** for the art of printmaking.

Artistic Education and Works:

2024-" Assembly", blowing course at Corning Studios, John Sharvin and MiNHi England. (scholarship by AIDA Association).

2023-2024- work in "Speculo studio", as an instructor teaching short hot glass workshops, Israel (Currently)

2023-2024- Assistant to the flameworking artist Dafna kaffeman (Currently)

2023- Volunteering at "The Do Studio", Glass Blowing studio Oaxaca Mexico (six months).

2023- Work in "Olya glass studio", as an instructor teaching short hot glass workshops, Israel

2022- volunteering at Pratt Art Center, assisting in the hot shop demonstration, and assisting in master class. Volunteering at Seattle Glass Blowing Studio helping production 2022- Advenss Blowing Glass class at Pratt Art Center, Joanne Marie Ferraro, Seattle

2022- 0.2 light Fixtures, blowing course at Pilchuck glass school, Jay Macdonell and Michiko Sakano.(scholarship by Polonsky foundation)

2022-**Graduate with honors, B.F.A**- Ceramic and glass Department, Bezalel Art and Design Academy, Jerusalem

- 2021-2022- Worked as a Hot and Cold shop coordinator assistant at the Ceramic and glass department Bezalel Art and Design Academy, Jerusalem
- 2016- Wall paintings in "Cielo Rojo", travelers hostel in Oaxaca Mexico.
- 2015- Drowning agriculture book guide for farmers in Ethiopia. As part of a volunteering program at non profit organization, Fair Plant.
- 2014- Art instruction, a group of teens in a program for youth from difficult backgrounds who dropout of school.
- 2014- Sewing course at "Bouton" studio. Tanya Man, Israel.
- 2012- Graduate high-school art department at Tefen Regional Junior High & High School. Israel
- 2008-2007 Glass Beads Course. Soft glass lampworking. Dror Hefer, Israel