### **KEMAL BEHCET CAYMAZ**

1989 Born in Kyrenia.

2007 Graduated from Nicosia Anatolian Fine Arts High School – Department of Painting.

2011 Graduated from Near East University, Department of Plastic Arts.

2013 Started post graduate studies in Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University – Fine Arts Institution, Painting Major.

2016 SAFİR – Cyprus's first ever fantastic juvenile fiction series – Prequel of the Series, "Müjdelenen Zaman" published in İstanbul by Dante Publications.

2017 Completed his post gradute study with success. (Thesis titled "Different Children Images from the 20<sup>th</sup> Century to Today" Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University, Fine Arts Institute – Painting Major in Nedret Şekban atelier).

2017 Elected as a member of the Board of Directors in EMAA Mediterranean-European Art Association.

2017 Started to work as a Part-time instructor in Near East University, Communication Faculty, Department of Visual Communication and Design.

He is a member of Cyprus Paper Artists Association. Participates in various local and international events. His artworks are exhibited both in Cyprus and abroad in official and private collections.

### **Solo Exhibition**

2011 "Once Upon a Time", İsmet Vehit Güney Exhibition Hall, Nicosia / Cyprus

# **Group Exhibitions**

2018 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition, (AWARD), Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2018 Cyprus Paper Artists Association "Touching Paper 2" Exhibition, SOL Exhibition Hall, Nicosia/Cyprus

2018 Settling in Life – EMAA Installation Exhibition, Pikadilli, Famagusta/Cyprus

2018 Workshop Exhibition with Artists, EMAA Başkent Art Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2017 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition (HONORABLE MENTION), Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2017 EMU Triangle of Art Exhibition, EMU Activity Center, Famagusta/Cyprus

2016 Cyprus Paper Artists Association "Touching Paper" Exhibition, İsmet Vehit Güney Exhibition Hall, Nicosia/Cyprus

2016 SAFİR "Müjdelenen Zaman" Book Launching Exhibition, Bedesten, Nicosia/Cyprus

2016 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2015 TRNC Commonwealth Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2015 İpek Ahmet Merey Art Awards Exhibition, Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University, Fındıklı, İstanbul /Turkey

2015 Heidi Trautmann "Art and Creativity in Cyprus – Volume II" Book Launching Exhibition, National Archive, Kyrenia/Cyprus

2015 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2014 TRNC Artists Group Exhibition, METU Northern Cyprus Campus, Kalkanlı/Cyprus

2014 TRNC Commonwealth Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2014 Artist 2014 / 24<sup>th</sup> International İstanbul Art Fair, Tüyap Fair and Congress Center, İstanbul / Turkey

2014 Türksoy 17<sup>th</sup> Painters Gathering Exhibition, Yukarı Kervansaray, Şeki/Azerbaijan

2014 Slaves Machine Human Tracking Exhibition, Peace Home, Lokmacı, South Nicosia/Cyprus

2014 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition (AWARD), Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2013 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2012 EMAA Mediterranean-Europe Art Association 10<sup>th</sup> Year Celebration – Members Exhibition, İsmet Vehit Güney Exhibition Hall, Nicosia/Cyprus

2012 NEU (Near East University) Fine Arts Faculty – Graduates Exhibition, NEU Atatürk Culture and Congress Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2012 "TRNC Young Artists Art Competition" Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus 2011 UN Exhibition, UN Building, Buffer Zone / Cyprus

2011 NEU Fine Arts Faculty – 2<sup>nd</sup> Graduates Exhibition, NEU Atatürk Culture and Congress Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2011 "Free" Art, Sculpture, Ceramics Group Exhibition, Atatürk Culture Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2011 "Once Upon a Time" Art Exhibition, İsmet Vehit Güney Art Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

2011 Gazi University "Existence Struggle of Turkish Cypriots" Art Exhibition, Gazi University Art-Sculpture Museum Exhibition Hall, Ankara/Turkey

2010 Gazi University "Existence Struggle of Turkish Cypriots" Art Exhibition, NEU Grand Library – Foyer Area, Nicosia/Cyprus

2010 2<sup>nd</sup> TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Exhibition, İsmet Vehit Güney Art Center, Nicosia/Cyprus 2010 "Young Art" Group Exhibition, Yeniboğaziçi Culture Hall, Cyprus

2010 "Academy Island" Art Academy Exhibition, NEU Atatürk Culture and Congress Center, Nicosia/Cyprus

### **Awards**

2018 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Award 2017 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Honorable Mention 2014 TRNC Young Artists Art Competition Award

## Contact

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