

## Curriculum Vitae

OFRA KUTZ

Born 1959, lives and works in Kfar Saba - Israel

Works mainly in ceramic design and ceramic sculpture

A member of the "Ceramic Artists Association of Israel

A member of the "Ceramics & Crafts Association of Israel"

### Selected group & solo exhibitions

- 2020 "Cracks in time" **Solo Exhibition** – BY5 Gallery Tel Aviv Israel/ Curator: Ilan Beck
- 2020 "Bird's Eye View" - The Brewery Gallery Tivon Israel. Curator: Ilan Back
- 2019 The 19<sup>th</sup> China (Zibo) International Ceramics Exposition
- 2019 "Freedom" Shagal Gallery Haifa Israel. Curator: Vitalina Muchin
- 2018 "Charlstown Gallery" in Nevis island St. Kitts & Nevis
- "Not everything is gold" The Brewery Gallery Tivon Israel. Curator: Ilan Back
- "Me too" , Binyamin gallery Tel Aviv , curator: Sari Golan
- 2017 "Topsy Turvy" , Annual exhibit of Ceramics Artists Association of Israel, The Brewery Gallery Tivon Israel. Curator: Ilan Back
- "Clay love water", The Brewery Gallery Tivon Israel. curator: Raya Keidar
- "Topsy Turvy" , Annual exhibit of Ceramics Artists Association of Israel, Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center Tel Aviv. curator: Irena Gordon
- "Fresh Paint-Design" **Solo Exhibition**, Tel-Aviv Israel
- 2016 "Fresh Paint- Design" **Solo Exhibition**, Tel-Aviv Israel
- "Gold" : Benyamini Contemporary Center". curator: Tirza Yalon-Kolton

- “Reflection” : **Solo exhibition** “ 8 in Jaffa Gallery” Tel Aviv Israel
- 2015 “White Matter” : Contemporary Porcelain Sculpture” **Wilfred Israel Museum.**  
curator: Shir Yamagutchi
- 2014 “The Feast,” Annual exhibit of Ceramics Artists Association of Israel, Binyamini  
Contemporary Ceramics Center,**Tel Aviv Israel** curator: Ido Garini
- 2013 “Tribute to Nature,” Gan Shmuel Art Gallery, curator: Dorit Talmon
- 2010-2013 Participation in various group show of Kfar-Saba artists

### **Education & training**

- 2018 Annual course in glass tubes at Pearly Karpel studio
- 2017 course in silicon castings at Givat Haviva Ceramics center  
Course in individual and group critiquing at Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center with  
Curator Revital Ben Asher-Peretz
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- 2015 Course at Triangle Art Space with art curator Sari Golan  
Course in individual and group critiquing at Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center with  
Curator Revital Ben Asher-Peretz
- 2013 Course in silk-screen printing at “Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center” with artis  
Amnon Amon
- 2012 Course in technology of materials
- 2010-2013 Advanced course in special firing techniques (raku, saggar and pitfire) and experimentation  
with water-soluble colorants applied in glazing (sulfides, chlorides and nitrates) At Givat-  
Haviva Institute Israel

1981-1983 Studied pottery-making with Tanya Engelstein, Jorge Karlik and Nava Kolodny

1980 Studied Slab Build at studio of Dalia Oren, clay slab roller technique

### **Residency, Workshop and Symposium**

2019 Macsabal Wood Fieing Symposium Zibo China

2018 Planning and creating a murals in Nevis Island St. Kitts & Nevis

2018 Residency in “Morning Star Ceramics Studio, Nevis Island St. Kitts & Nevis Caribbean Islands

2018 Workshop in “Morning Star Ceramics Studio, St. Kitts & Nevis Islands

### **Teaching Ceramics**

Teaching Ceramics wheel thrown & slab build in my own studio.

Raku Workshop in my own studio

1992 - I had founded a ceramic studio in Kibutz “Maagan Michael”.

### **Private collections and special sale**

Ofra Kutz’s work has been purchased by private collectors in Israel and around the world.

In 2014, her porcelain tableware was offered by a gallery in France for sale to upscale restaurants.

Her art works are being exhibited in collections of :

“Eretz Israel Museum” - Israel

“Contemporary Ceramics Museum” – Taiwan

“Ankara Ceramics Museum”- Turkey

“Zibo International Ceramics Exposition – China

“Sassi-Milici” Gallery - France