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Art Charleville

From the Desk of the Director



The LalBahadurShastri National Academy of Administration at Mussoorie has been training officers of the civil services of India since 1959. The institution has played a crucial role in nation-building by shaping the country's administrative officers over the last six decades. It has influenced hundreds of young minds, turning entrants into the services into capable officers, who constitute the backbone of the country's governance system.

Exposure to the rich and diverse art and culture of the country is an integral component of all training programs in the Academy. Eminent artists from across the country and abroad visit the Academy and share their creative expression with the Officer Trainees. They continue to draw inspiration from the Academy's melange of architectural elegance and natural splendour with the mighty Himalayas sheltering her skies.

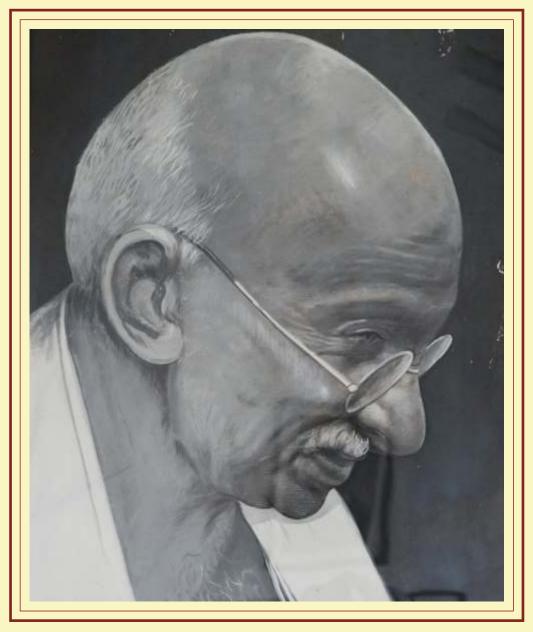
Exclusive works have been produced in various media like oil, acrylic and water colour on canvas. The Academy is the repository of art works created by alumni and visiting artists and dedicated to her by them as individuals and as members of a community bonded by the twine that the Academy generates.

'Art at Charleville' is an attempt to document the rich heritage of the Academy in the form of paintings, art works and artefacts that adorn the walls, hallways and common spaces of the Academy that contribute to its identity. It is also an endeavour to acknowledge the contribution of the artists and the deep regard that they hold for the Academy. While every effort has been made to connect with the artists, there are instances where information about a particular work of art may not be available. We hope that through this outreach, we will be able to garner invaluable details from our alumni and former faculty members and thereby strengthen the Academy's bond with the evolution of art and art forms.

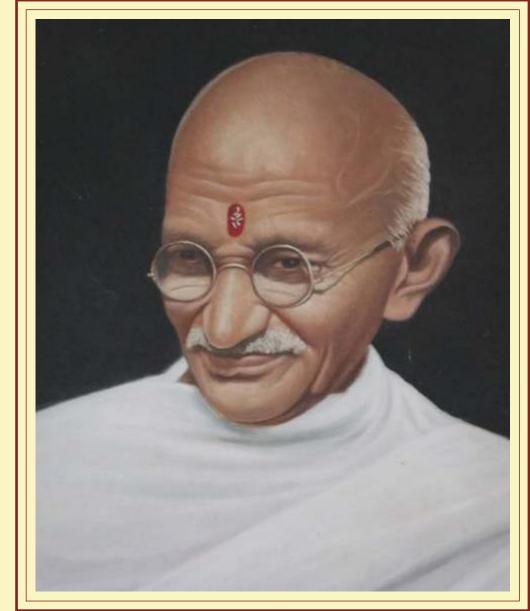
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Medium: Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H 50 Inch X W 38 Inches

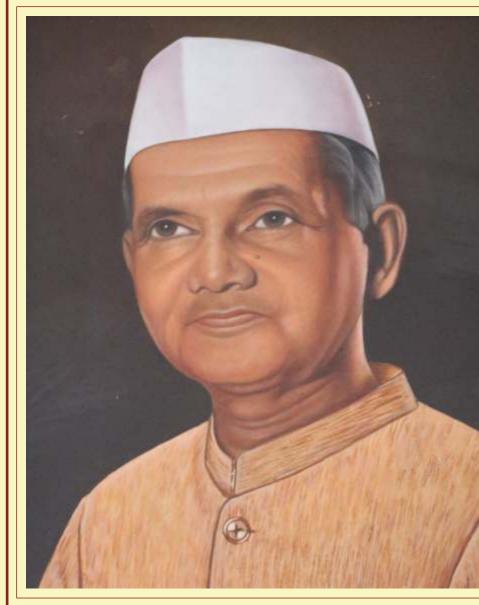


Artist: Kala Niketan | Medium: Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H 26 Inch X W 18.5 Inches



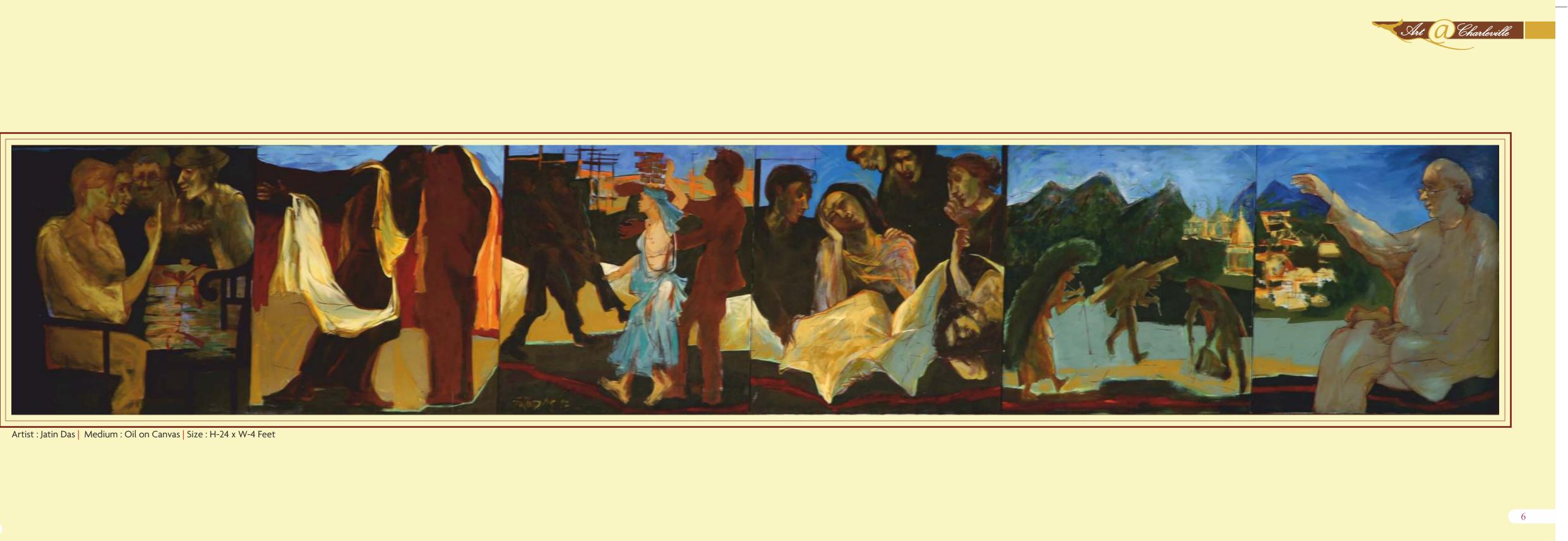


Artist: Ajay Jaitley | Medium Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H 52 Inch X W 35 Inches Artist : Kala Niketan | Medium Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H 26 Inch X W 18.5 Inches

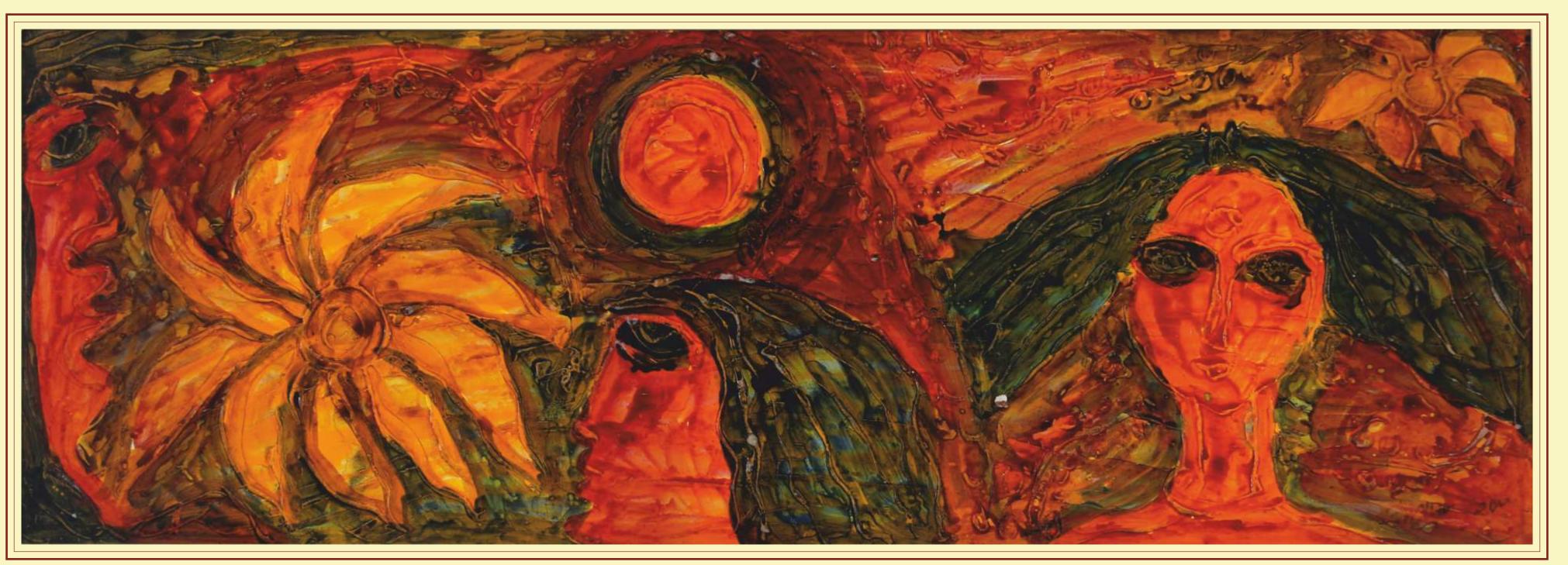












Medium : Mix Medium on Canvas | Size : H-13 x W-38 inch





Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-2.91 X W-6 Feet







Artist : Karunakar Sahu | Medium : Painting on Tassar Silk Cloth | Genre: Pattachitra from Orissa







Artist : Harshada Kerkar and Children of Academy Faculty and Staff - a Collaborative Creation | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-3.5 Feet x W-12 Feet



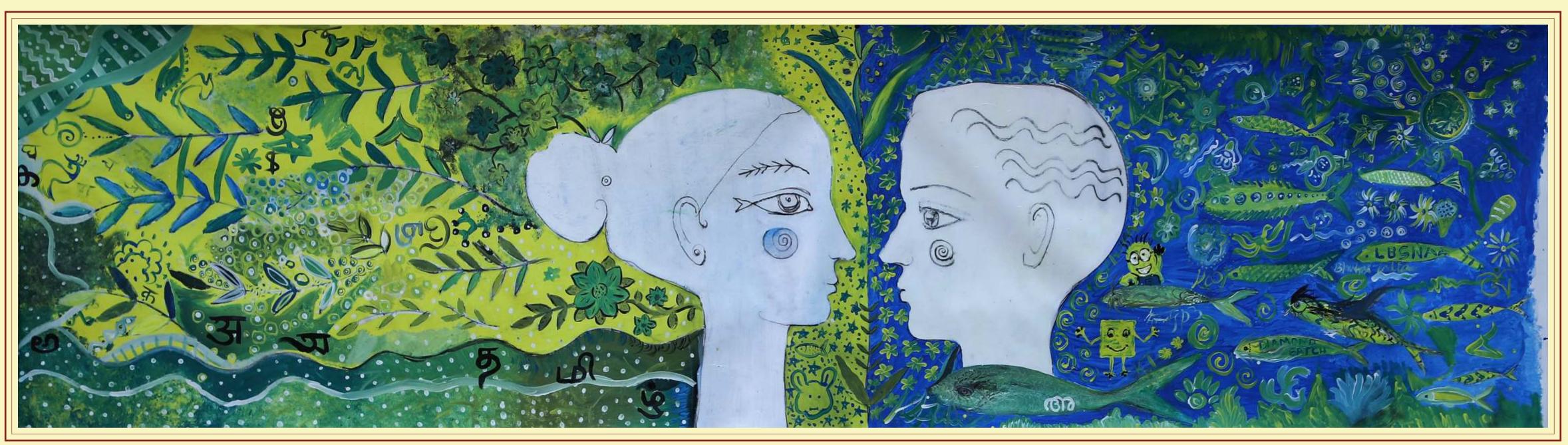




Artist : Harshada Kerkar and Officer Trainees of 94th Foundation Course - a Collaborative Creation | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-4 Feet x W-16.5 Feet



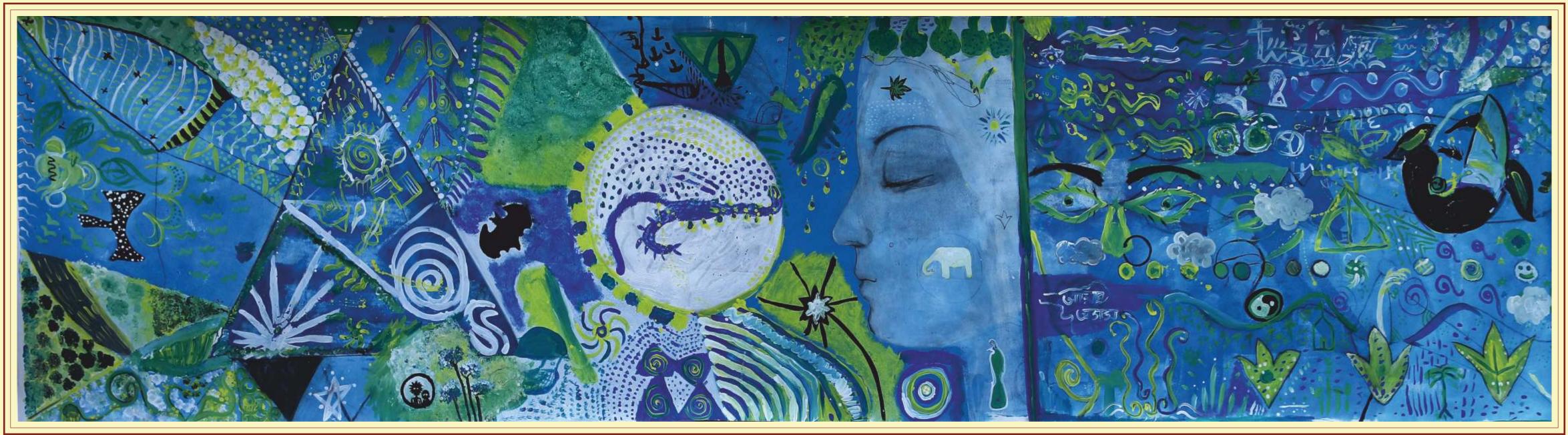




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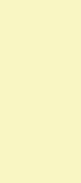




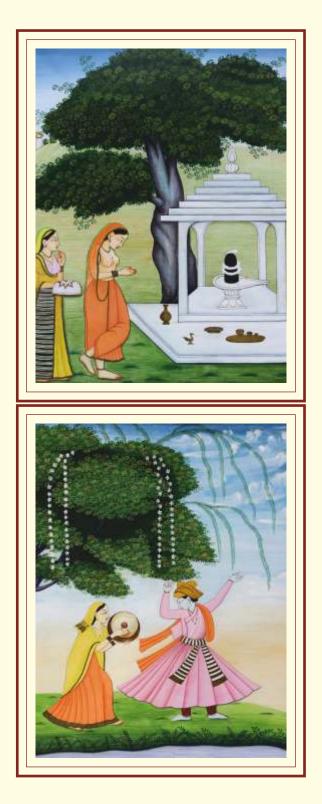


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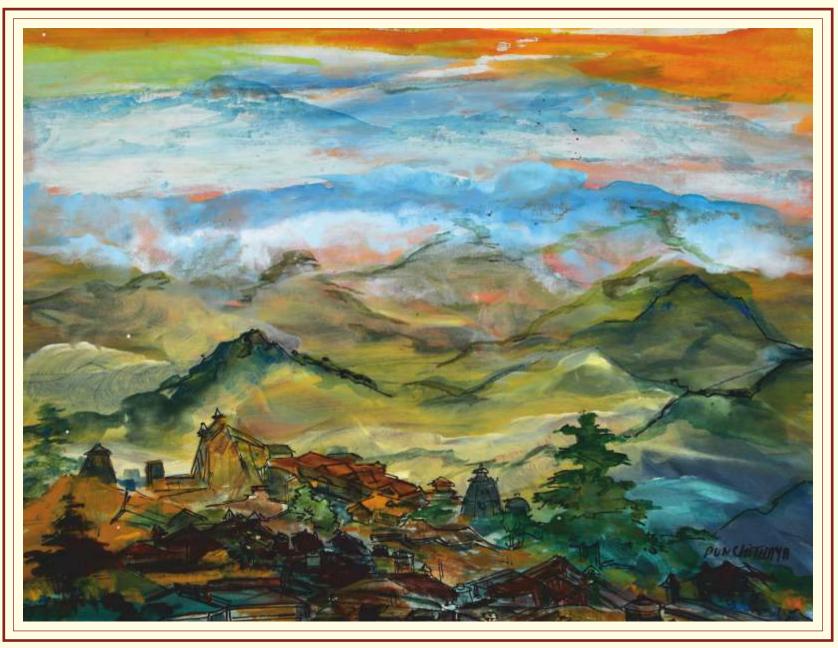


Artist: Balwinder Kumar Kangri | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H 48 Inches X W 82 Inches









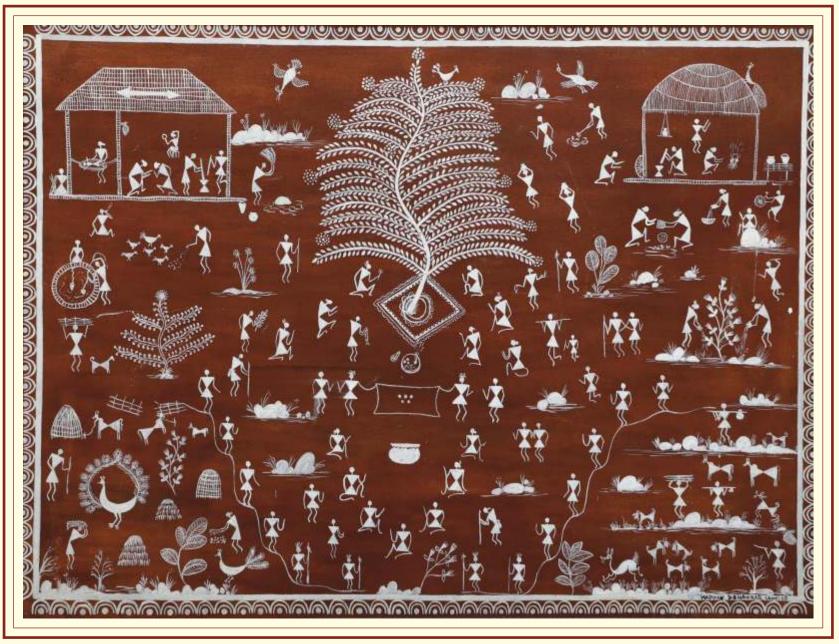
Artist : P. S. Punchithaya | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-23.5 Inch x W-30 Inch





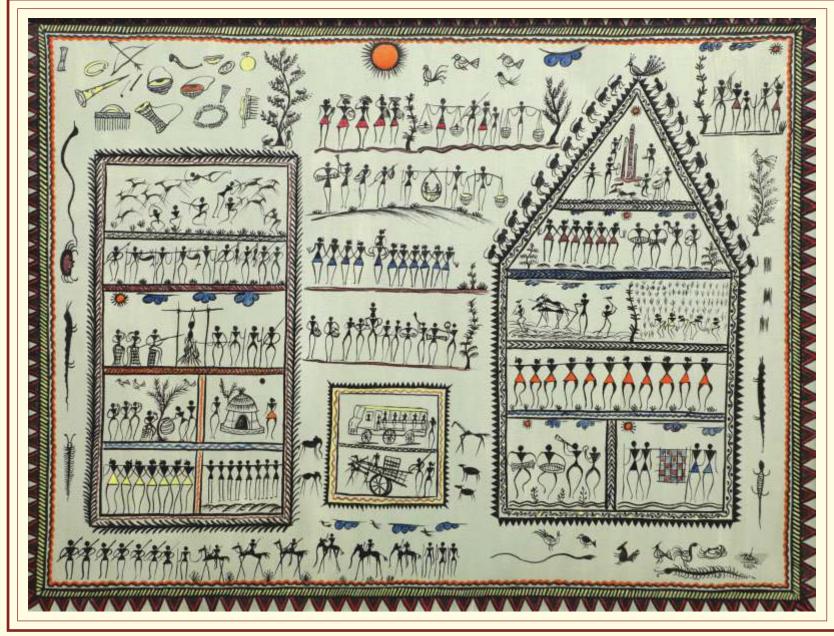
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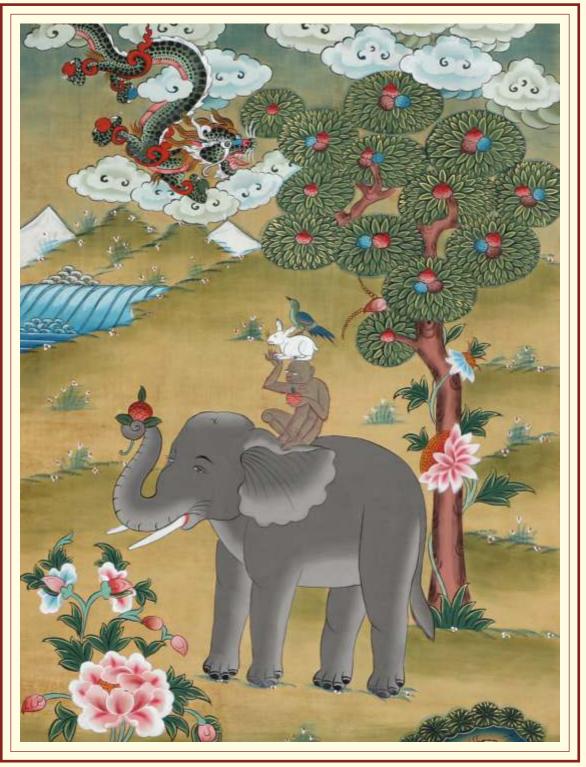
Artist : Madhav Dewankar | Medium : Tribal Painting on Cloth | Size : H-29 Inch x W-39 Inch





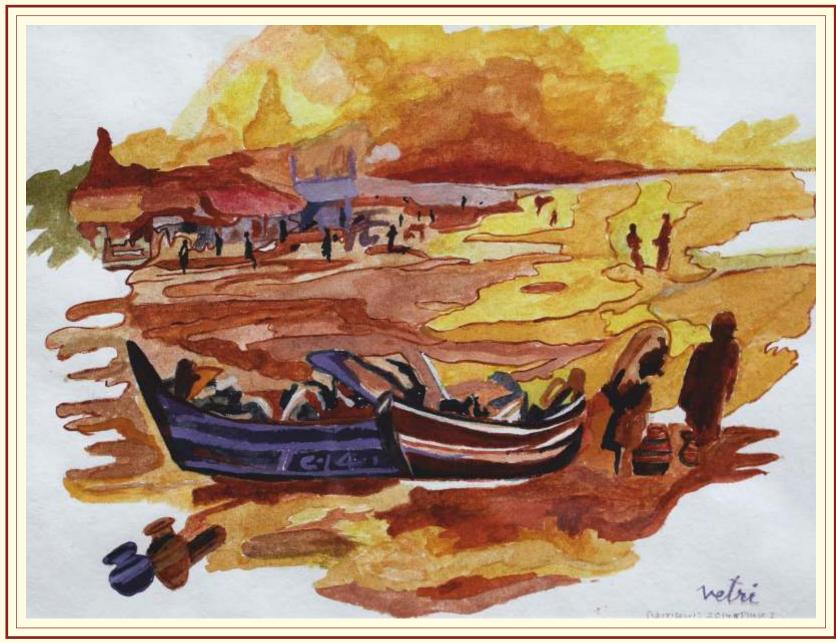
Artist : Punchithaya | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-20 Inch x W-30 Inch





Bhutan Traditional Motifs | Medium : Oil on Cloth | Size : H-22.5 Inch x W-15.5 Inch





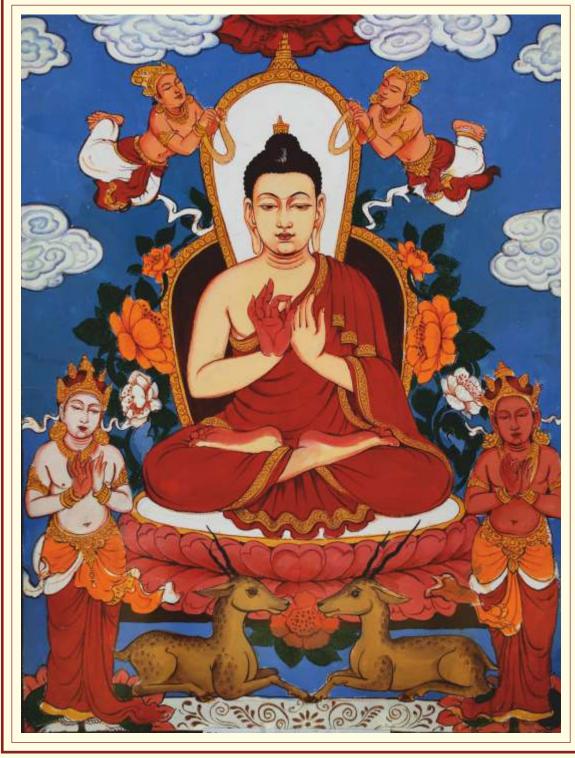
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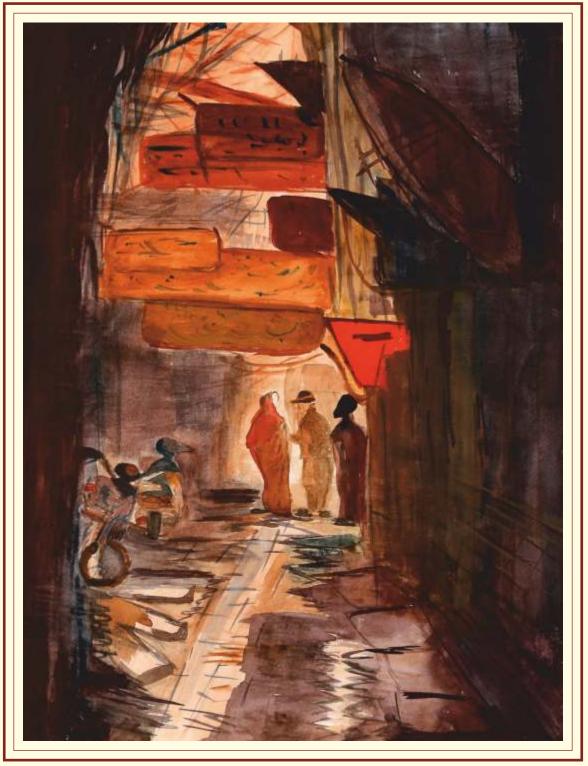
Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-29 Inch x W-29 Inch



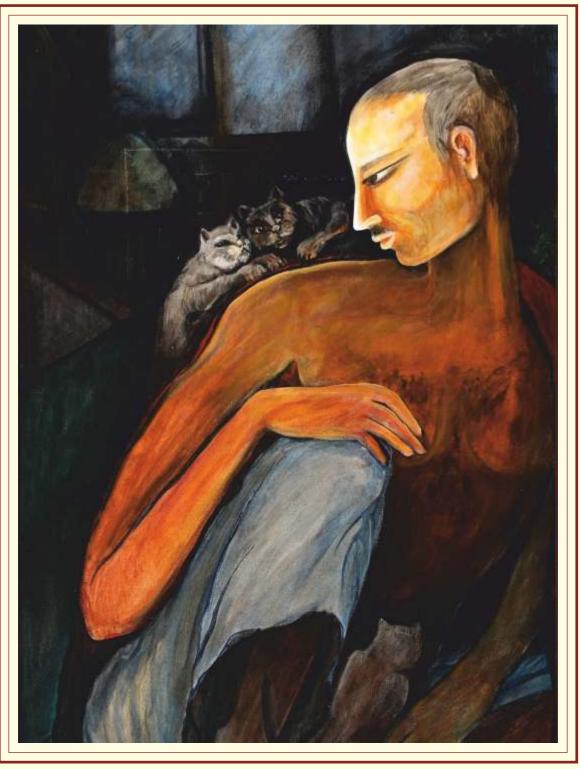


Artist : Sunil Kumar Vishwakarma | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-39 Inch x W-29.5 Inch





Artist : Hari Shankar | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch



Artist : Poonam Chandrika Tyagi & Shashikant | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-35 Inch x W-23.5 Inch







Medium : Acrylic on Canvas Size : H-4 Feet X W-5 Feet





Medium : Acrylic on Canvas Size : H-3 Feet X W-5 Feet



Collaborative Painting Camp with Lalit Kala Academy

In 2018, LBSNAA hosted a Painting Camp in collaboration with the Lalit Kala Academy, New Delhi from November 18th to 20th in which 15 eminent artists from all over the country resided on the Academy Campus for 7 days. Finding inspiration in the natural beauty of Mussoorie, local costumes, local fabric or local people and animals of Mussoorie, Uttarakhand or in the antique Academy architecture, each of the artists produced an art work for the Academy.

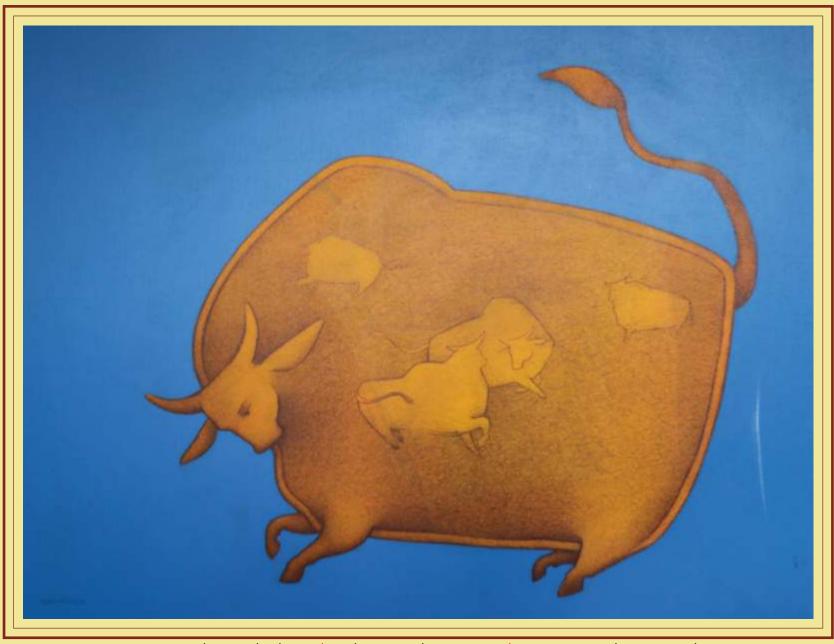
These art work are precious possessions of the Academy and have been compiled in this segment.

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Artist : Sabia | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-47 Inch x W-35.5 Inch





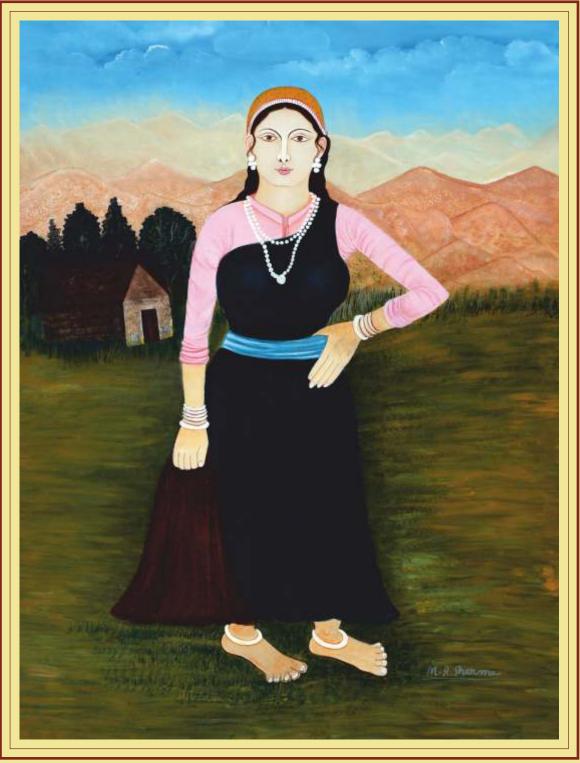
Artist : Mohammed Suleman | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch





Artist : Shardool Mishra | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch





Artist : Mangat Ram Sharma | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-47 Inch x W-35.5 Inch



Artist : Mamta Bansal | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-47 Inch x W-35.5 Inch



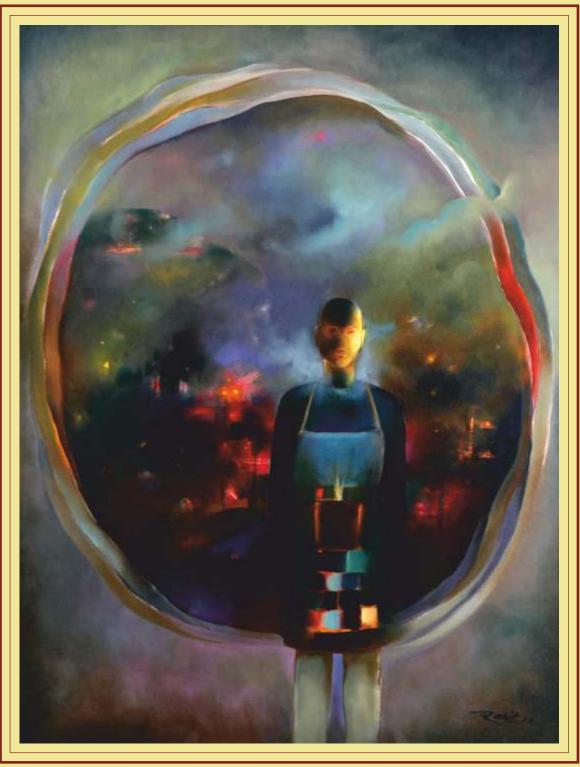


Artist : Sanjay Ashtaputre | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch

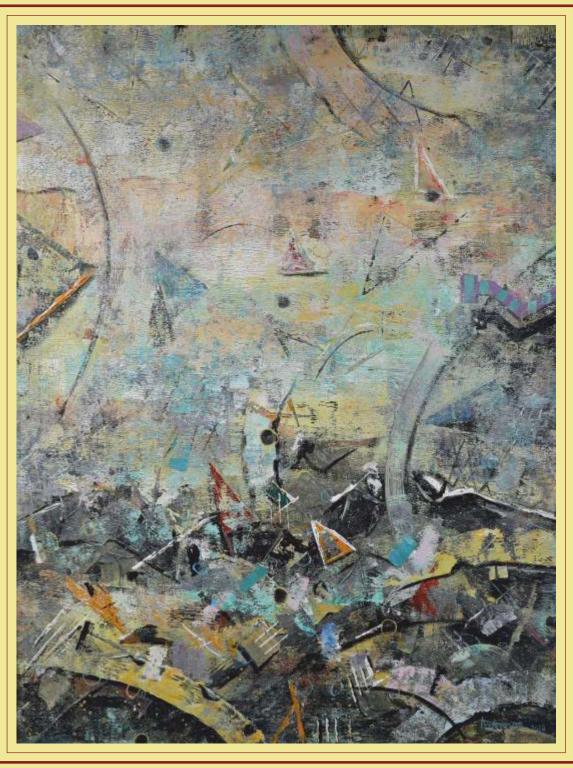


Artist : Vishnu Sonavane | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch





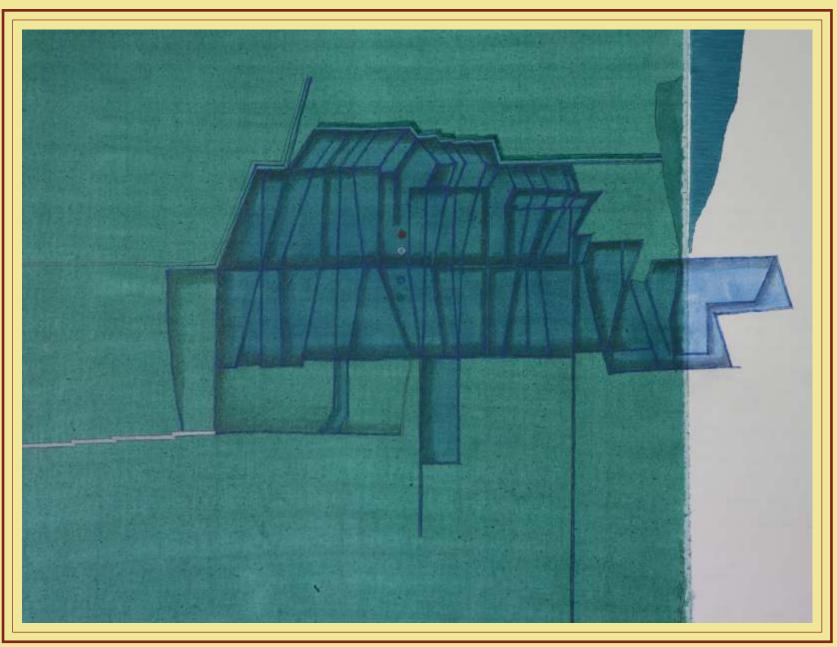
Artist : Rohit Verma | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-47 Inch x W-35.5 Inch



Artist : Ajay Narayan | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-15.5 Inch x W-11.5 Inch







Artist : Pandu Rang Deoghare | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch



Artist : Santosh More | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch



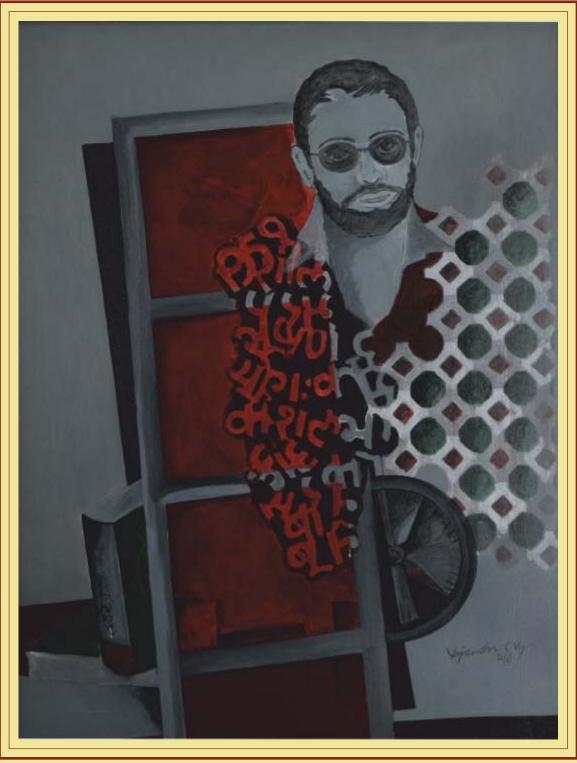


Artist : Shilpa Mayendkar Naik | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch

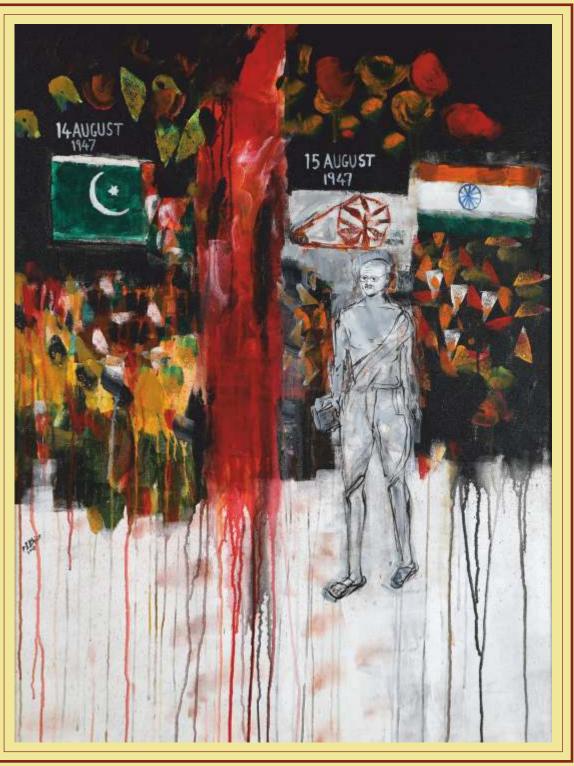


Artist : Sushil Nibark | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-35.5 Inch x W-47 Inch





Artist : Vijender S Vij | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-47 Inch x W-35.5 Inch



Artist : Prakash Bhise | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-47 Inch x W-35.5 Inch



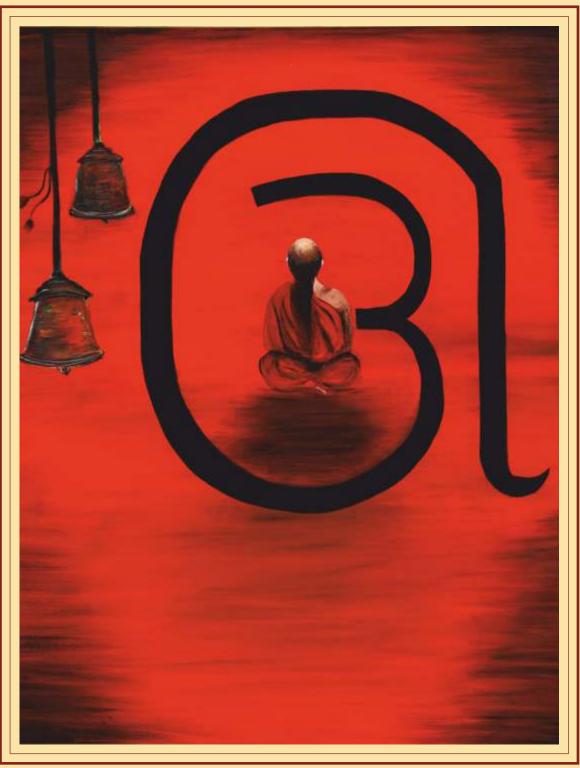


Celebrating Indian Languages

India is land of several ancient and medieval languages and dialects. It is said that the 'boli' of Indian people changes over every 500 kilometres of distance, such is the linguistic diversity of the country.

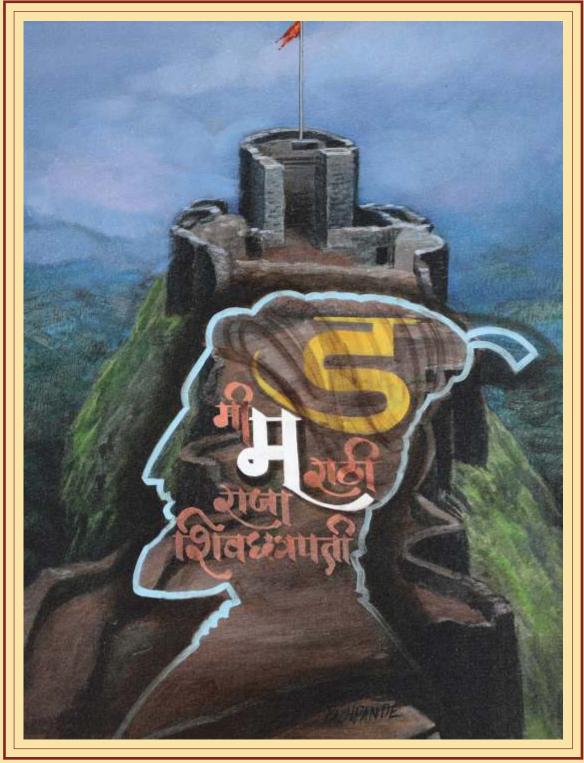
To celebrate the regional Indian languages, a workshop was organised by the Academy in collaboration with Indira Gandhi National Center for Arts, New Delhi, from April 13-14, 2019. The workshop saw participation from 20 eminent artists from across the country who produced 21 art works inspired by alphabets from various Indian languages.

This unique collection titled 'Celebrating Indian Languages' is a priced possession of the Academy and these paintings have been compiled in this segment.



Artist : Dr. Manisha Bajpai | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Punjabi | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch





Artist : Ramesh Pachpande | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Marathi | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch



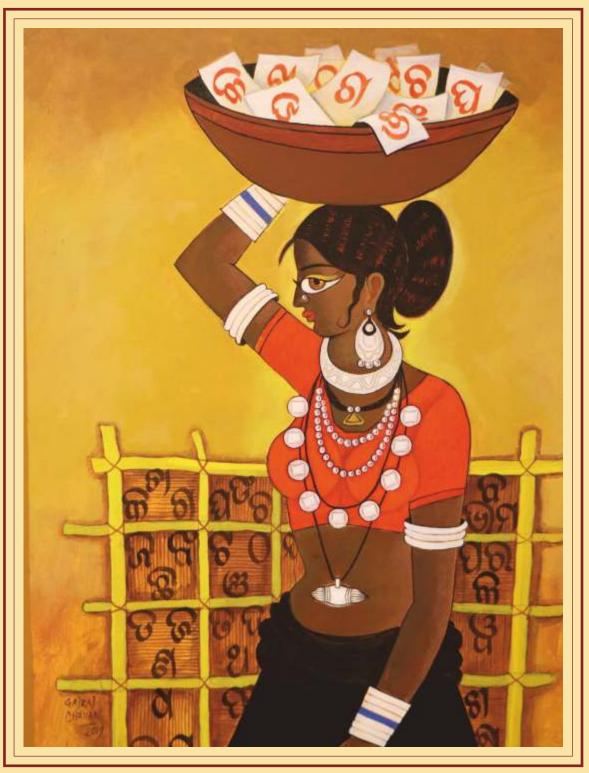


Artist : Dr. Manisha Bajpai | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Assamese & Bengali | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch



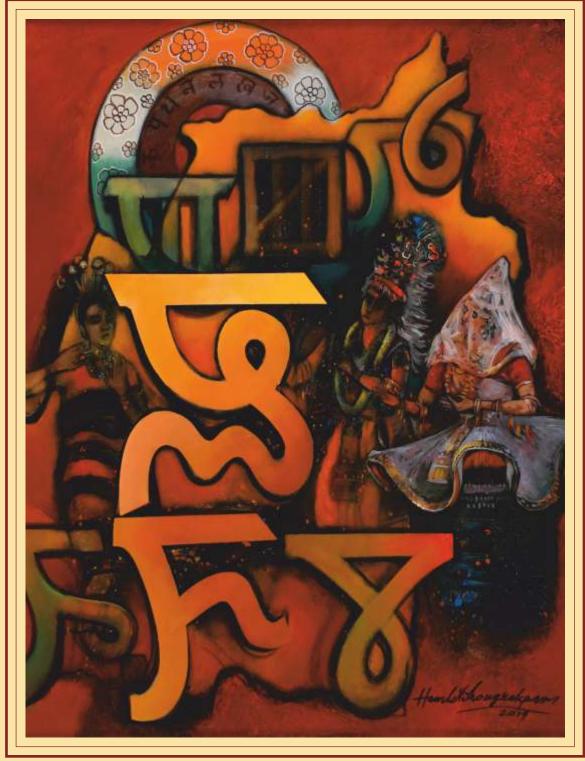


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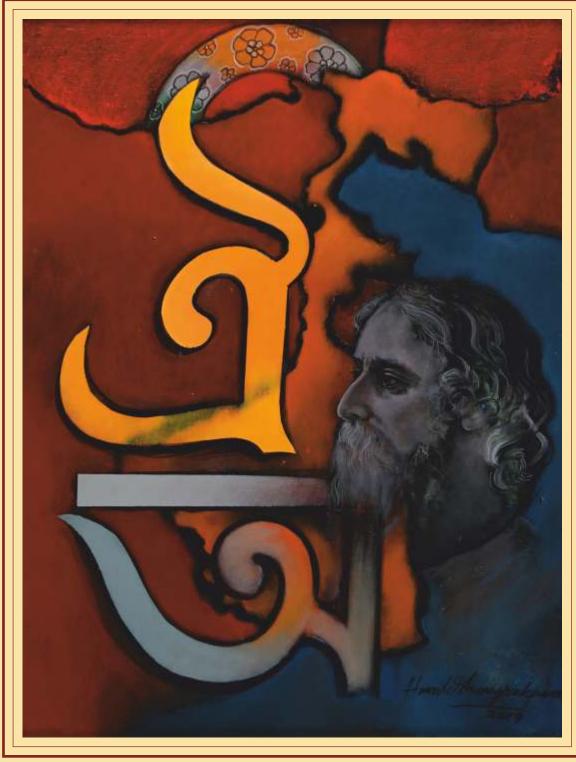


Artist : Gajraj Chavan | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Assamese & Oriya | Size : H-29.5 Inch x W-35 Inch





Artist : Hamlet Shougrakpam | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Assamese | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch

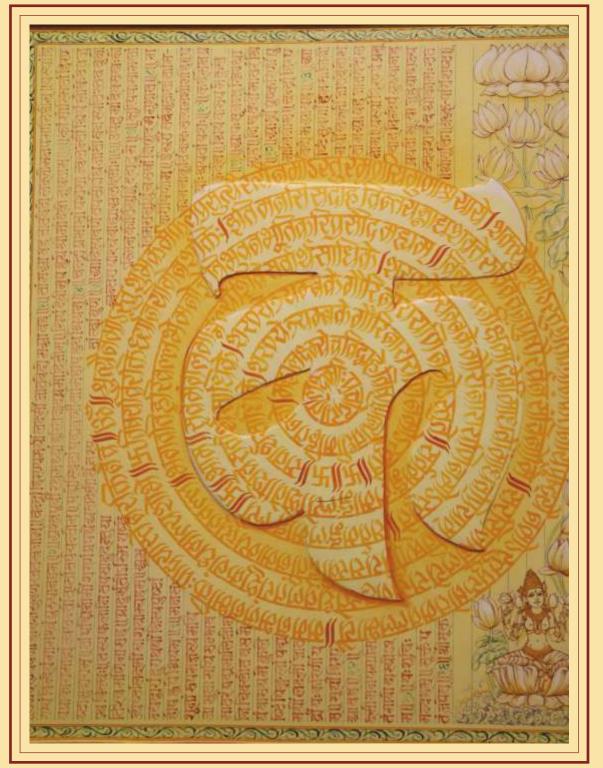


Artist : Hamlet Shougrakpam | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Bengali | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch





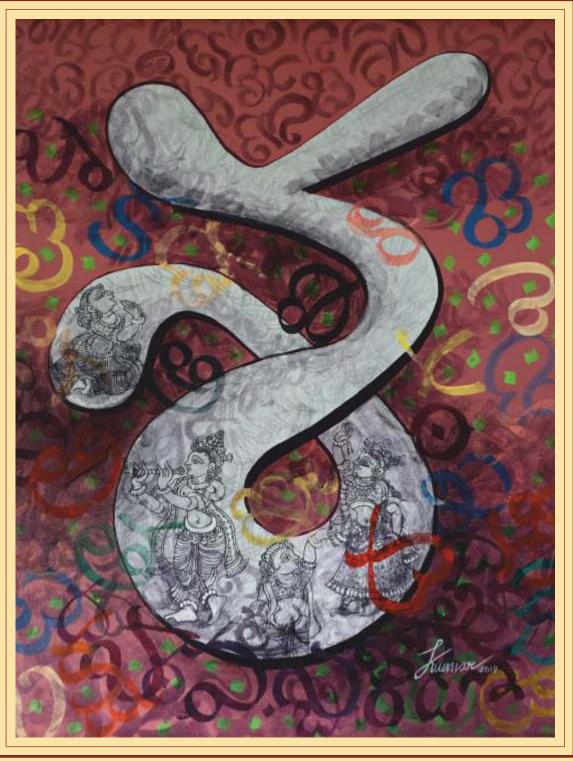
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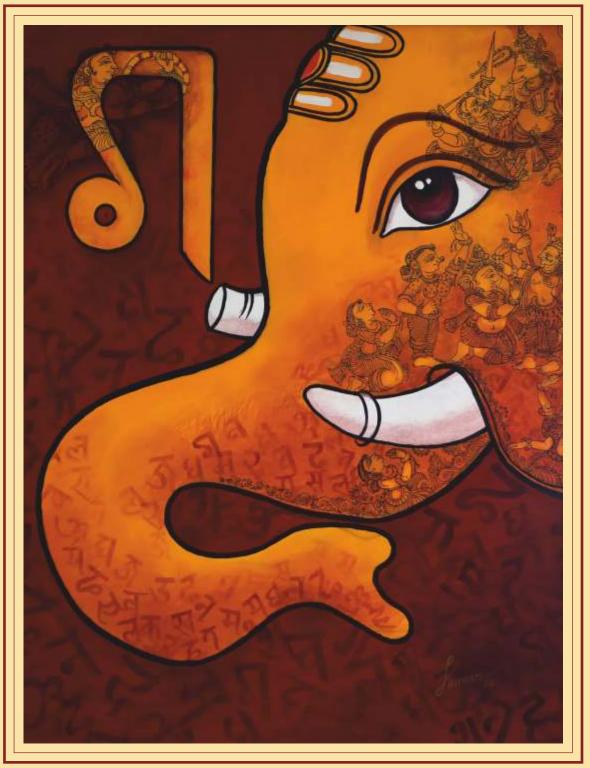
Artist : Hari Shankar Balothia | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Hindi | Size : H-29.5 Inch x W-35 Inch





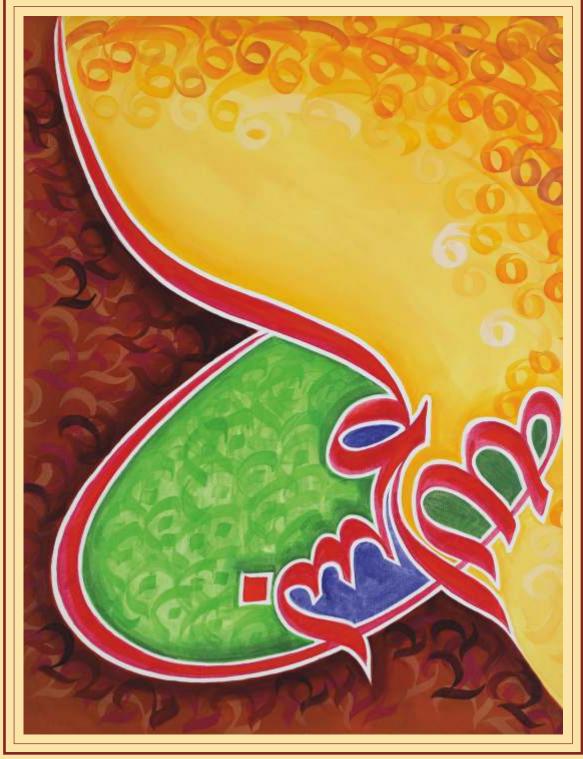


Artist : Jitendra Kumar | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Telugu | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch

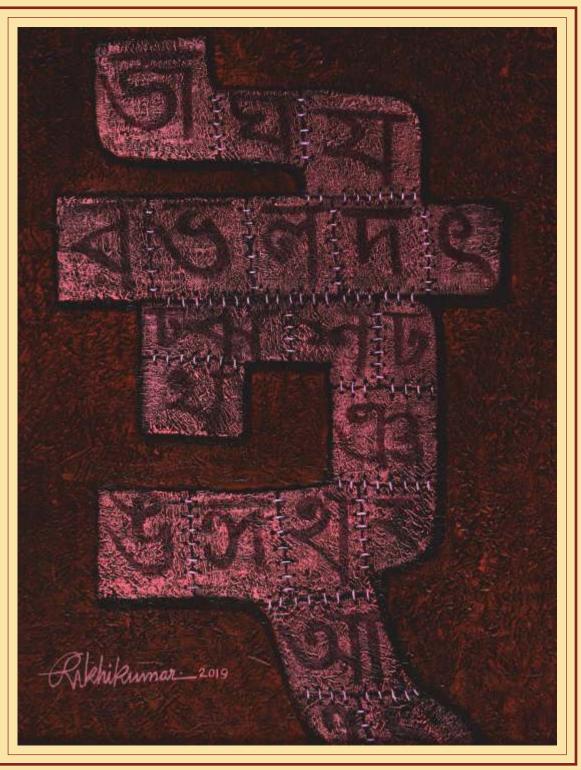


Artist : Jitendra Kumar | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Bengali, Assamese & Oriya | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch





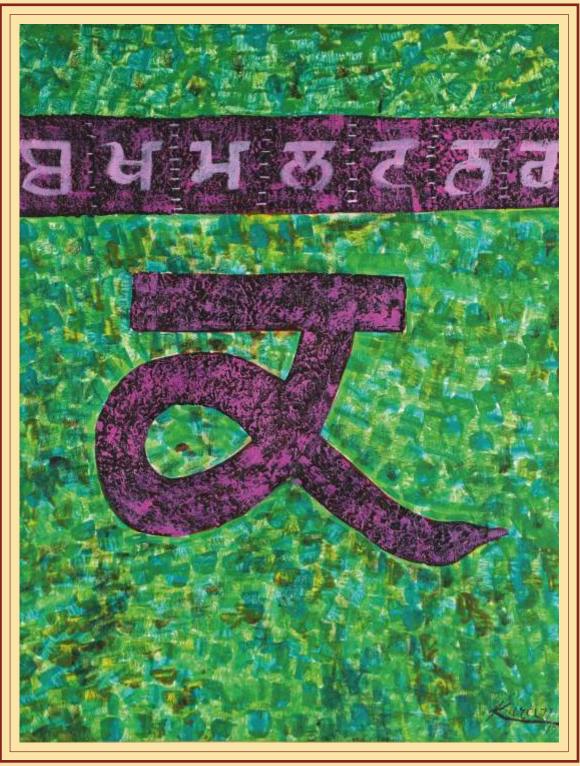
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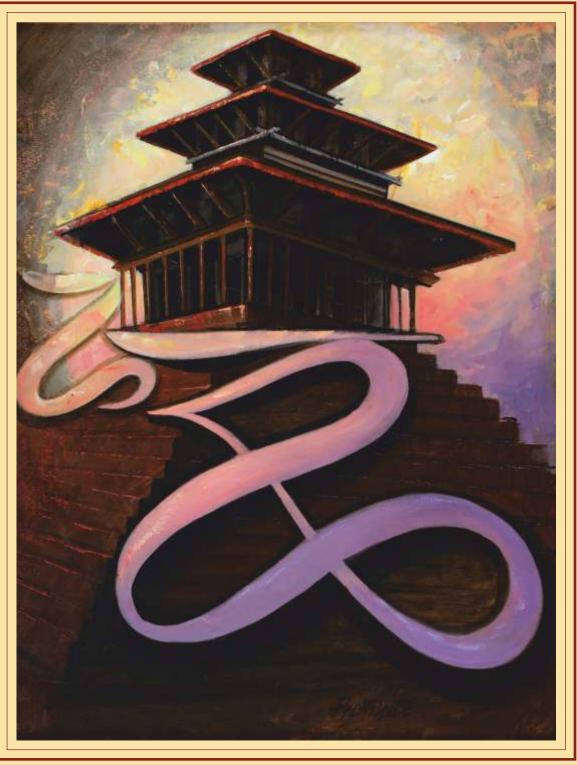
Artist : Dr. Rakhi Kumar | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Bengali | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch







Artist : Kiran Soni | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Punjabi | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch



Artist : Ramesh Pachpande | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch

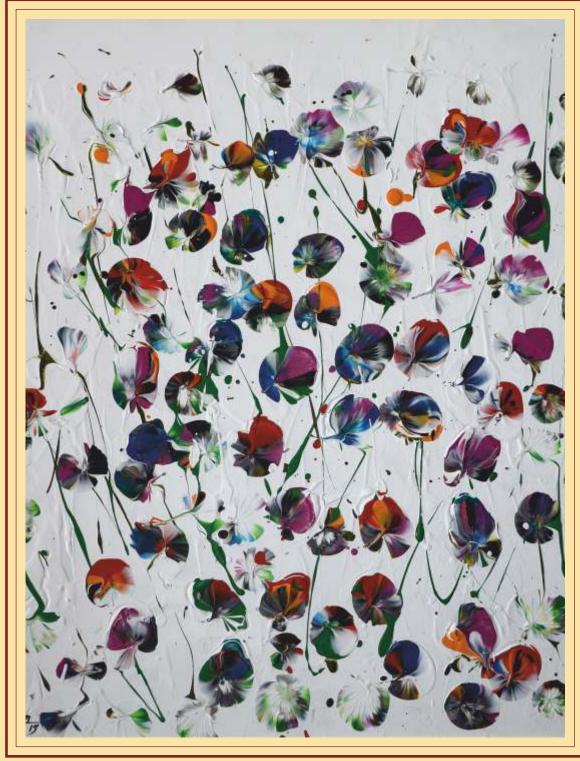






Artist : Kiran Soni | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Malyalam | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch





Artist : Kiran Soni | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-30 Inch x W-24 Inch

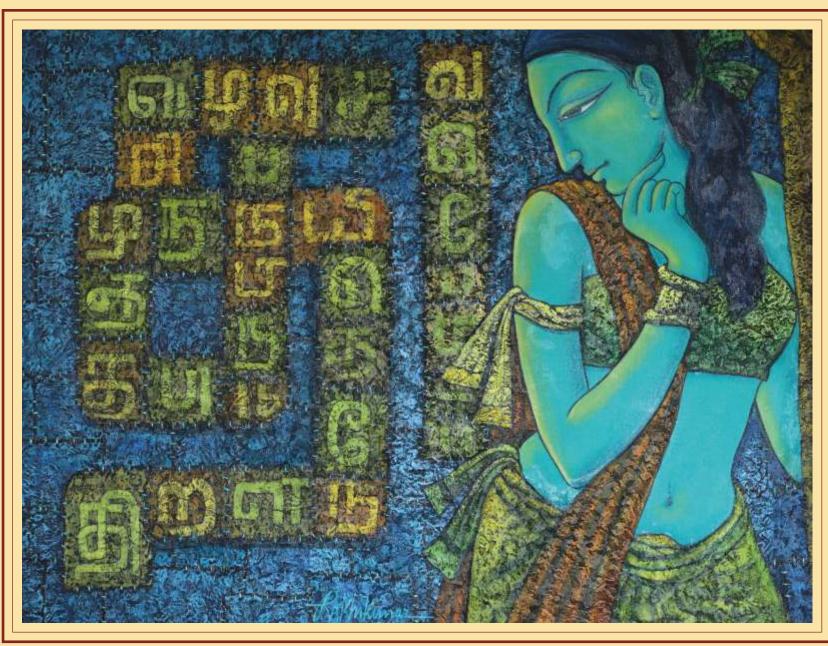


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Artist : Avinash Deshmukh | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Language : Hindi & Punjabi | Size : H-29.5 Inch x W-35 Inch



Artist : Dr. Rakhi Kumar | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Language : Tamil & Malyalam | Size : H-29.5 Inch x W-35 Inch





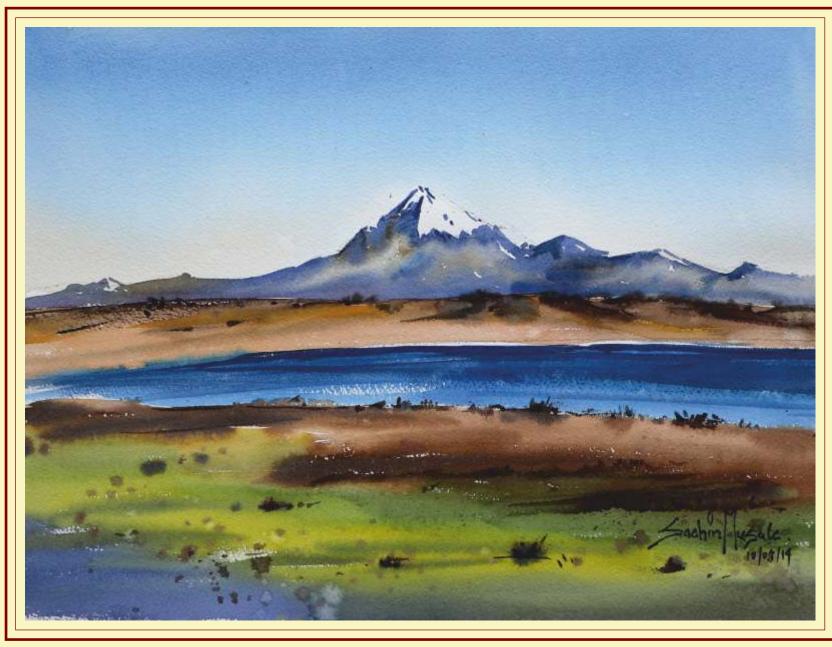
Showcasing the works of in-house artists

The Academy trains more than a thousand officers every year across states, services and seniority. Art and culture form an integral component of all training programs. Apart from interaction with eminent artists, workshops are conducted for officers undergoing training to expose them to skills like sketching, drawing and painting.

In this segment some paintings produced by Participants of courses, Officer Trainees and the Faculty of the Academy have been compiled.

Showcased as a tribute to Academy's own artists.





Artist : Sachin Musale | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-14 Inch x W-20 Inch

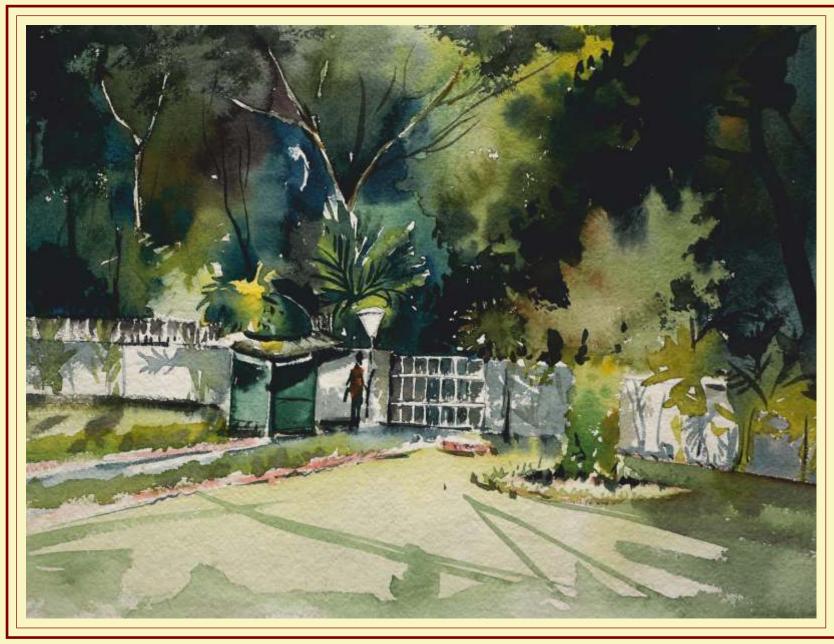






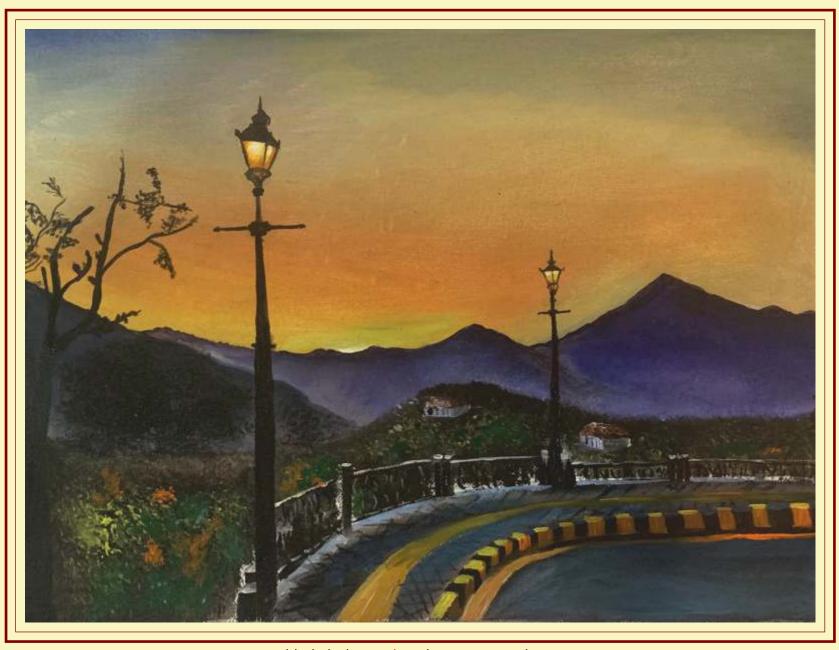
Artist : N.K. Sudhanshu | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-10 Inch x W-14 Inch





Artist : N.K. Sudhanshu | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-10 Inch x W-14 Inch





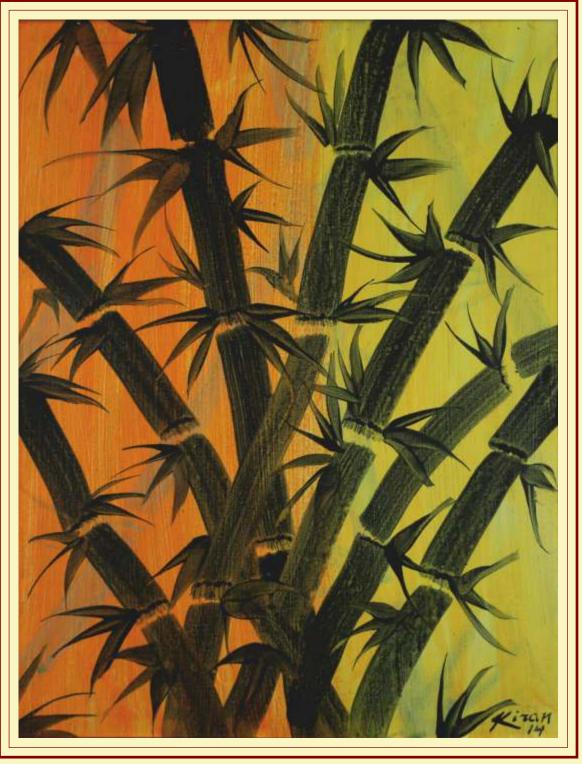
Artist : Abhishek Sharma | Medium : Water Colour on Paper





Artist : Sachin Musale | Medium : Aryclic on canvas | Size : H-36 Inch x W-49 Inch





Artist : Kiran Soni Gupta, Phase 5, 2015 | Medium : Oil on Board | Size : H-23.5 Inch x W-17.5 Inch



Artist : Kiran Soni Gupta, Phase 5, 2015 | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-21 Inch x W-14.5 Inch





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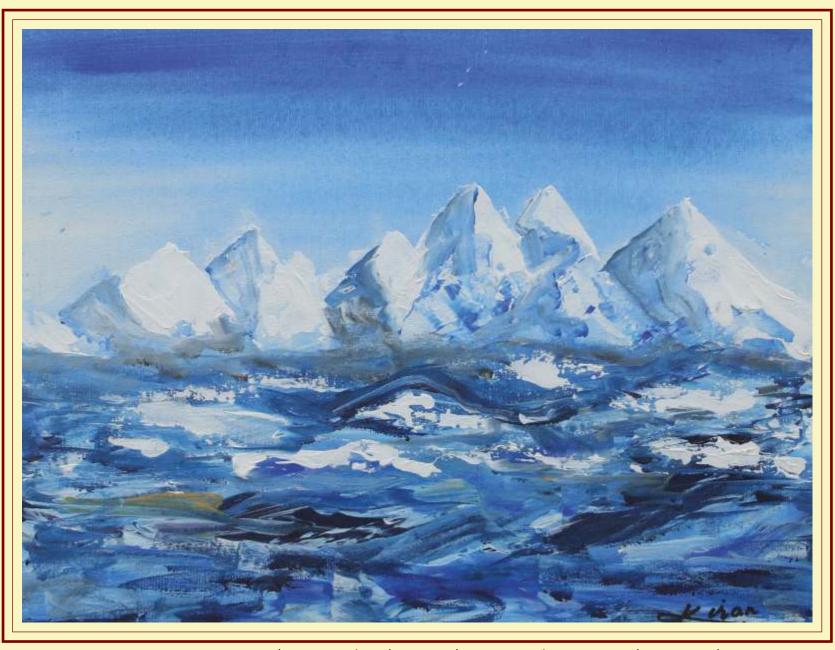
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Artist : Kiran Soni Gupta, Phase 5, 2015 | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H-19 Inch x W-29 Inch



Artist : Kiran Soni Gupta, Phase 5, 2015 | Medium : Oil on Canvas | Size : H-23.5 Inch x W-35.5 Inch





Artist : Alankrita Singh | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-12 Inch x W-18 Inch



Artist : Preeti, 94th Foundation Course | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas

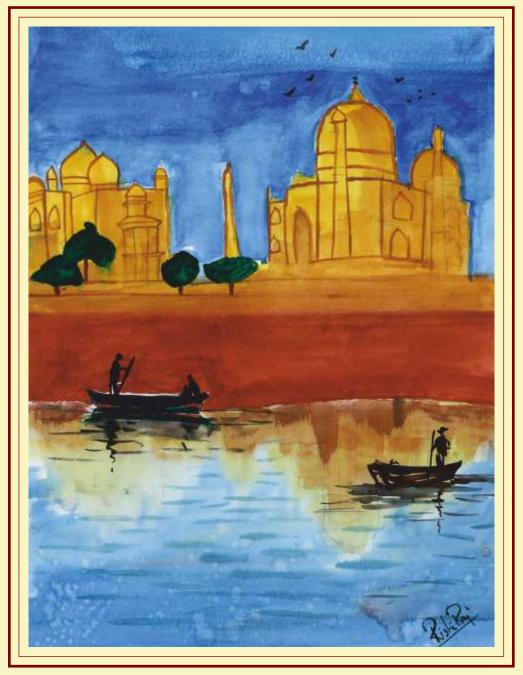




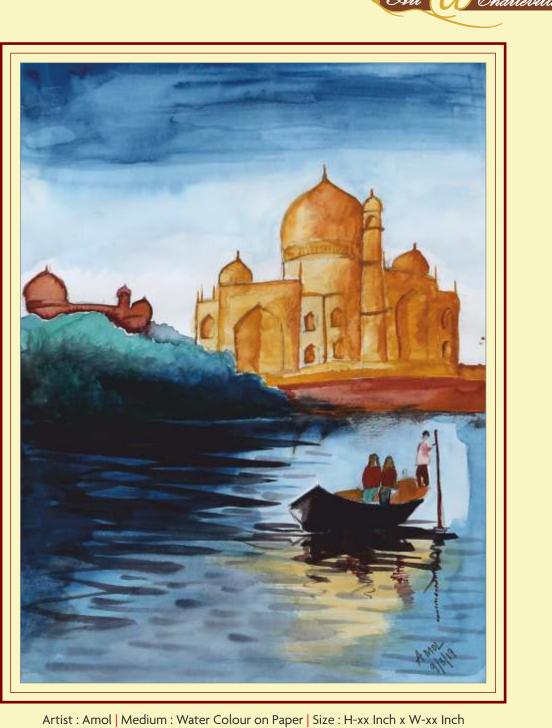
Artist : Keerthi Kiran | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch

Artist : Pushpalata | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch

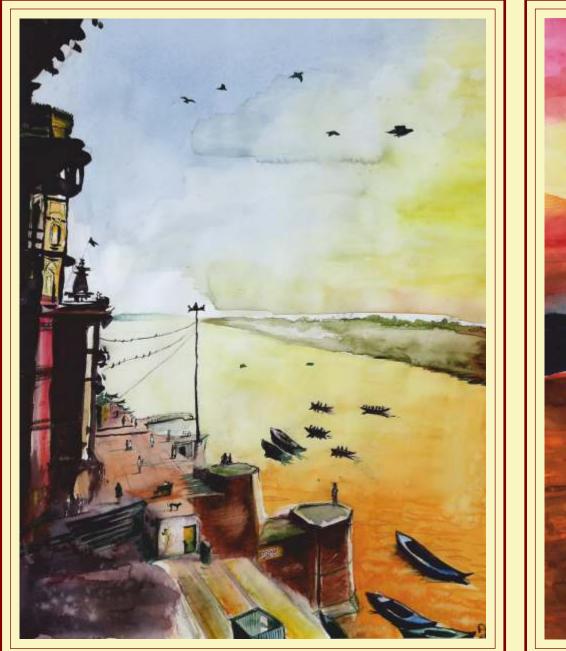




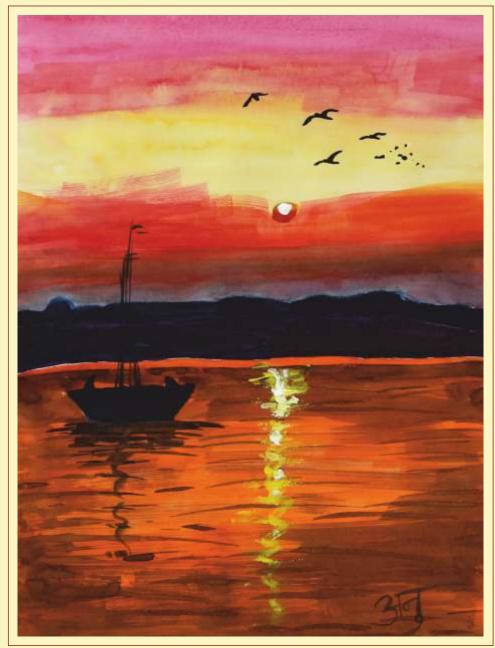
Artist : Rishi Raj | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch



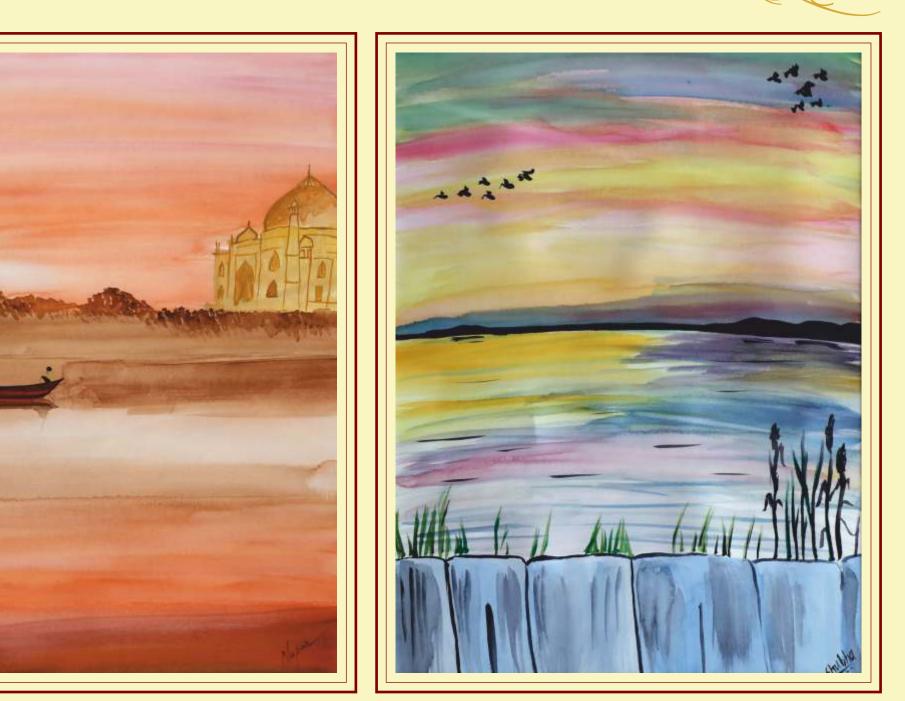




Artist : Abhishek Sharma | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-14.5 Inch x W-11 Inch



Artist : Anu | Medium : Acrylic Colour on Paper | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch



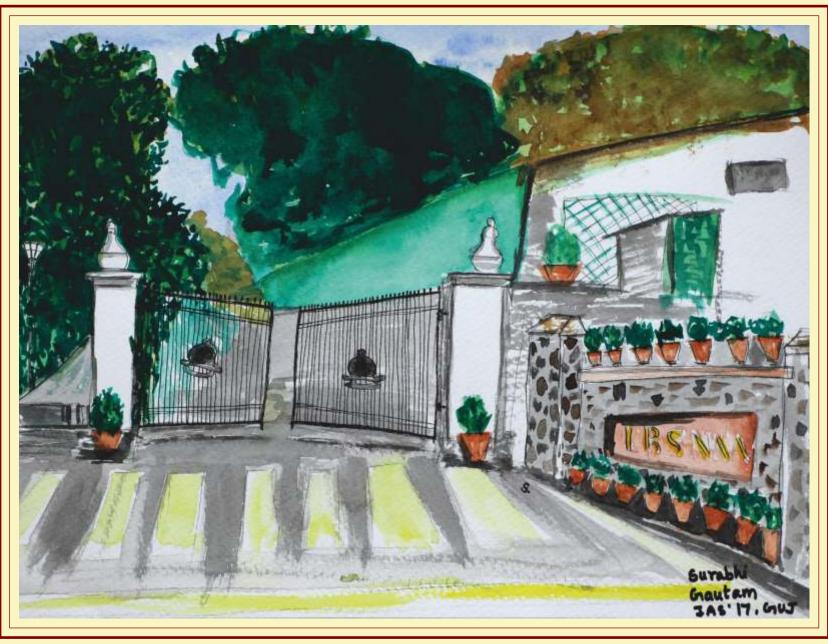
Artist : Nupur | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch

Artist : Shubhamangala | Medium : Water on Paper | Size : H-16 Inch x W-11 Inch



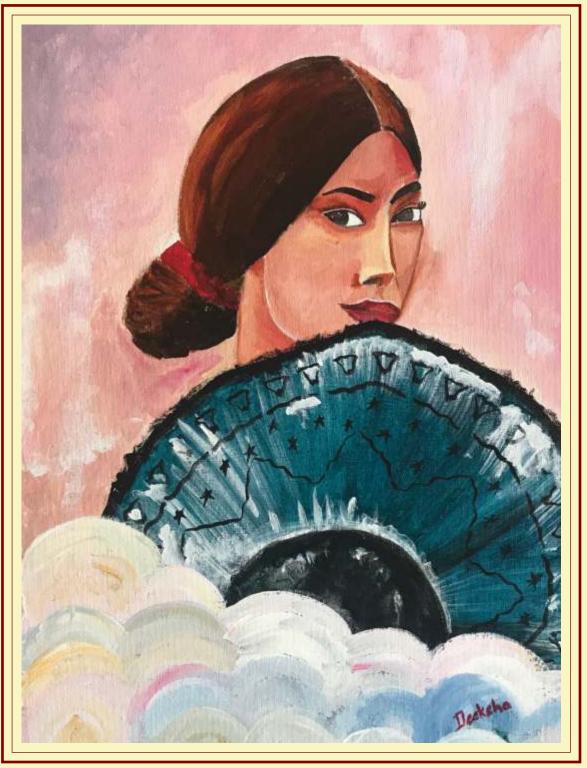


Artist : Surabhi Gautam | Medium : Water Colour on Paper | Size : H-12 Inch x W-16.5 Inch

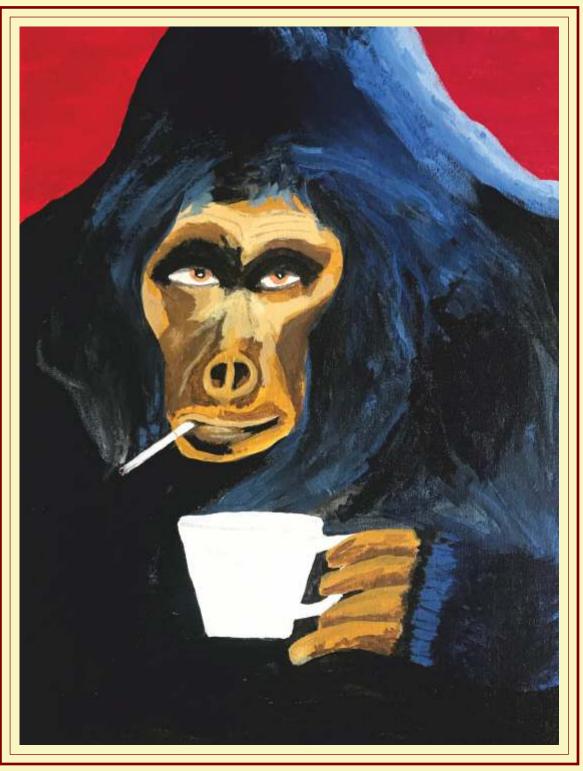


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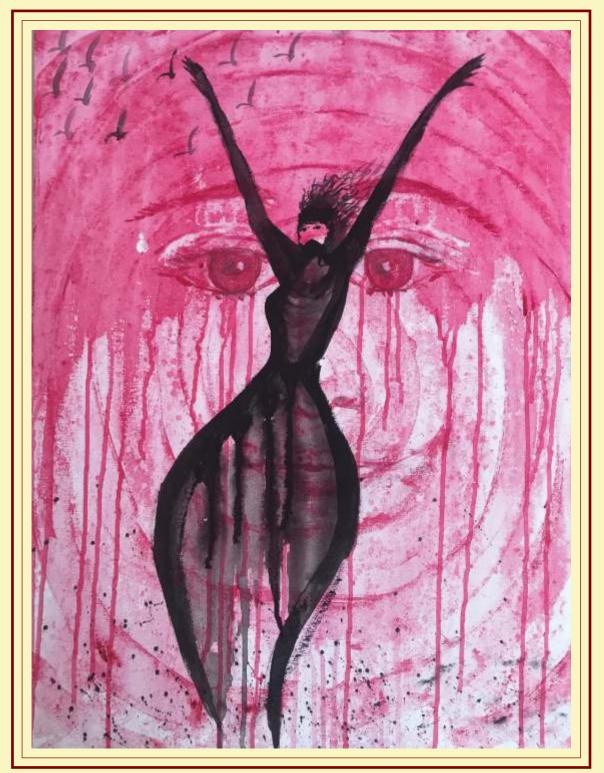


Artist : Deeksha Jain, Officer Trainee 2019 batch of IAS



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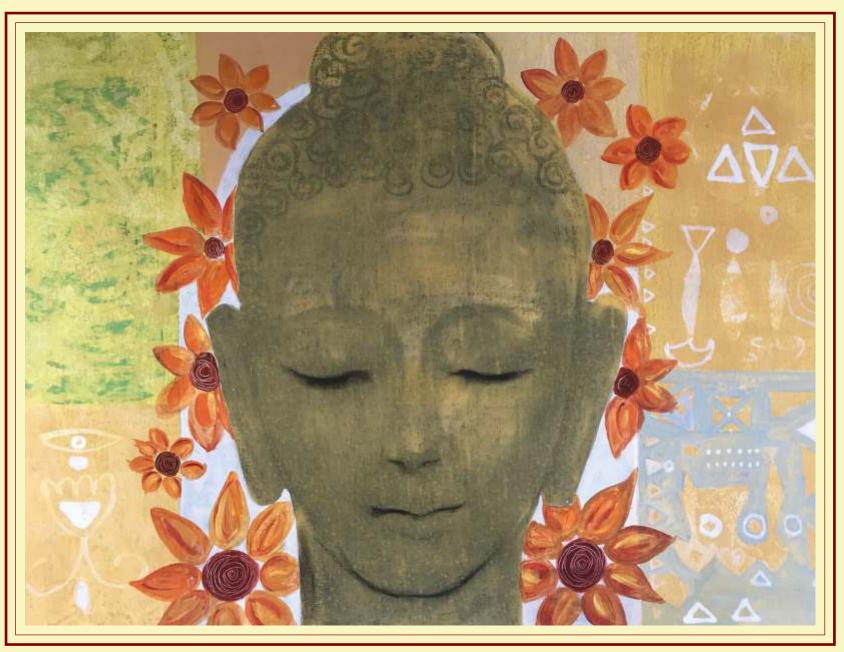


Artist : Alankrita Singh | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas

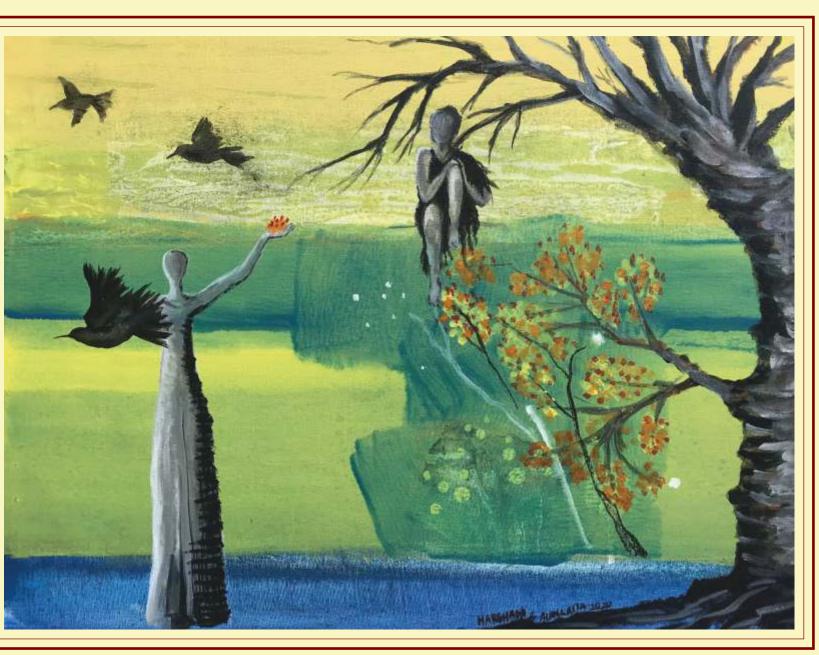


Artist : Renjina and Renu, 94th Foundation Course





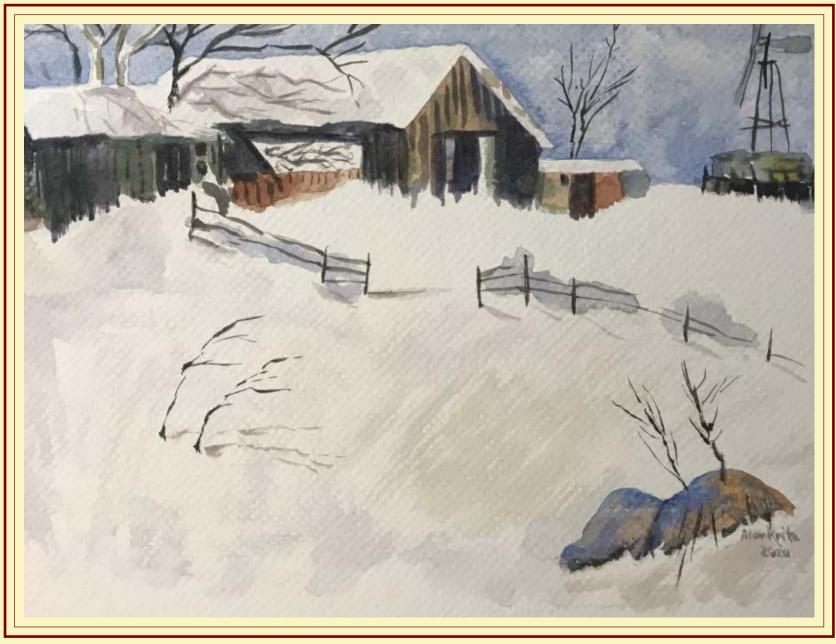
Artist : Harshada Kerkar | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas



Artist : Harshada Kerkar and Alankrita | Medium : Acrylic on Canvas







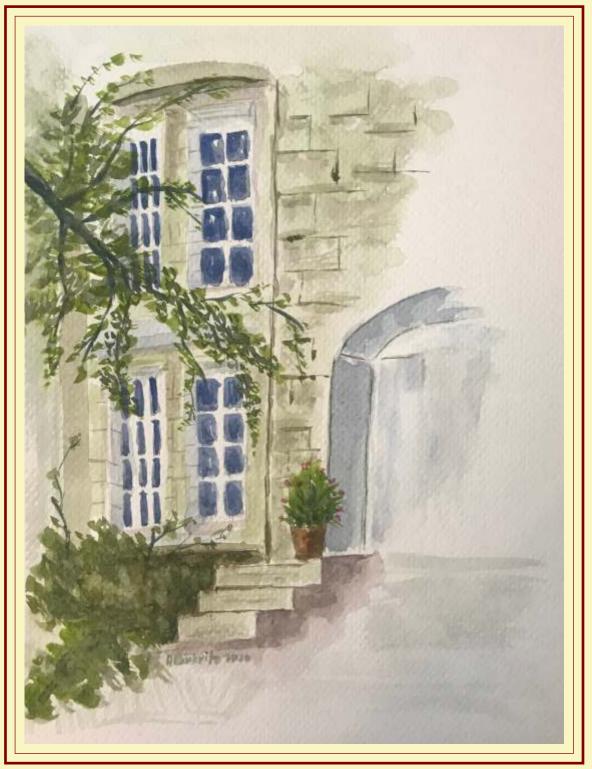
Artist : Alankrita Singh | Medium : Water Color on Paper | Size : A4



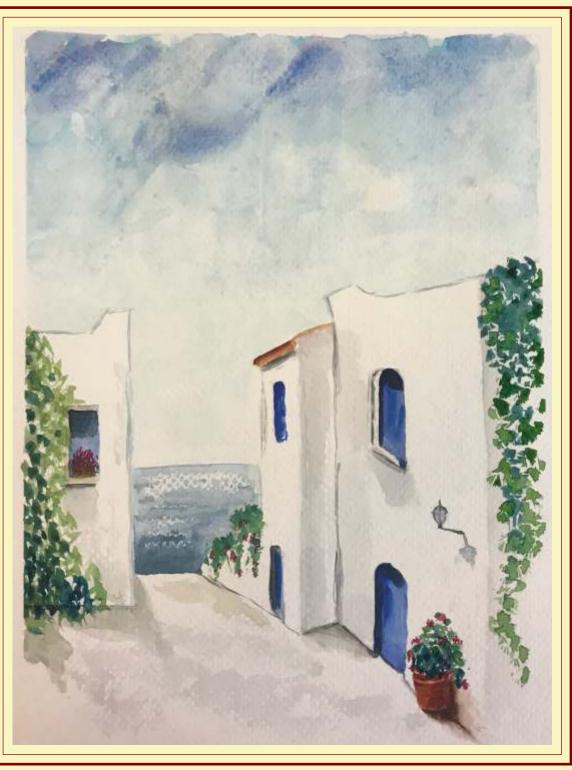
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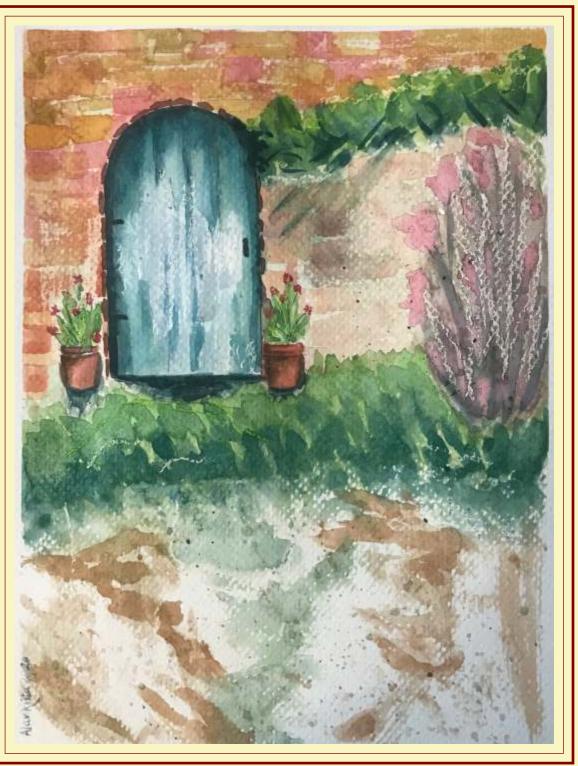
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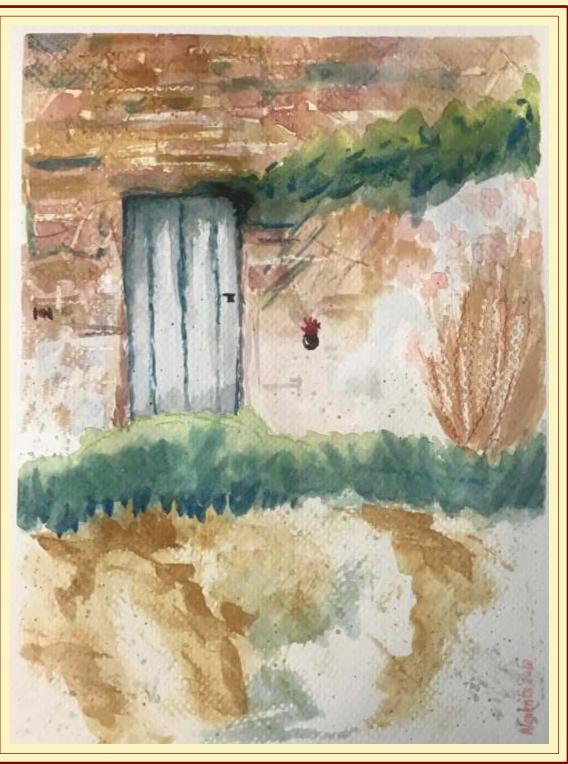
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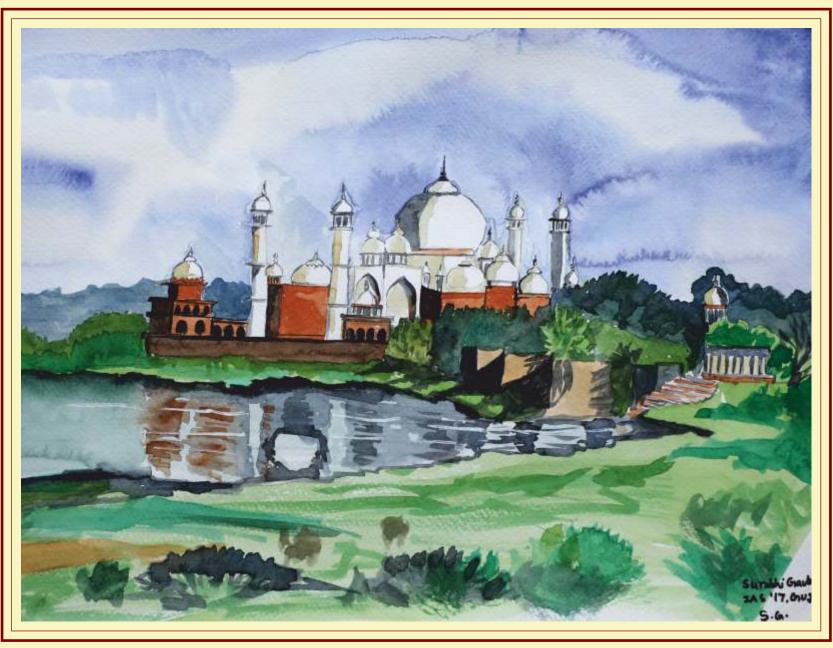
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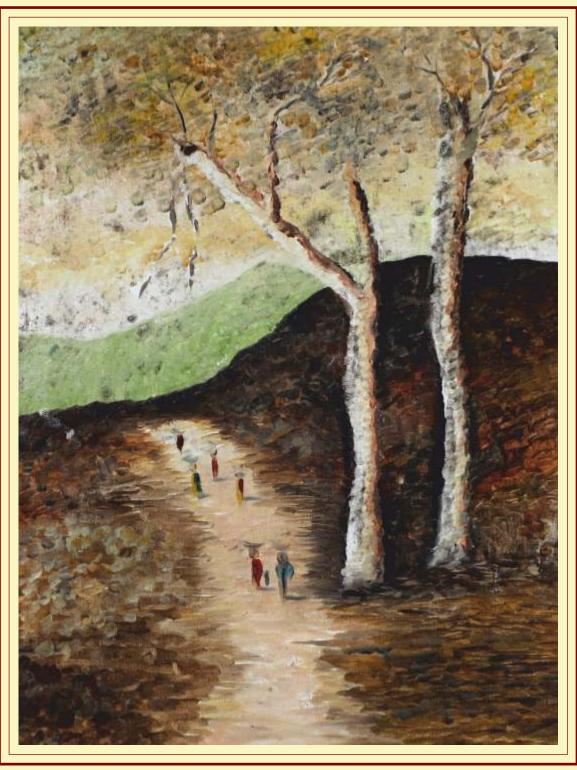


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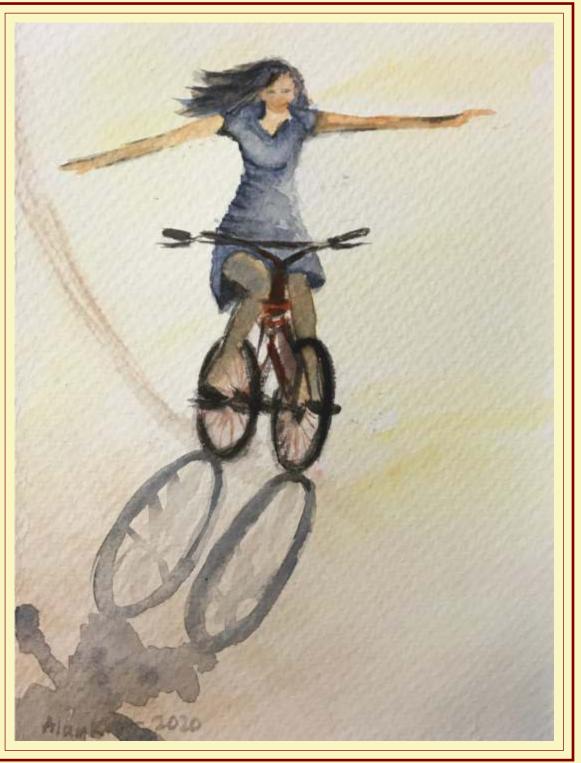
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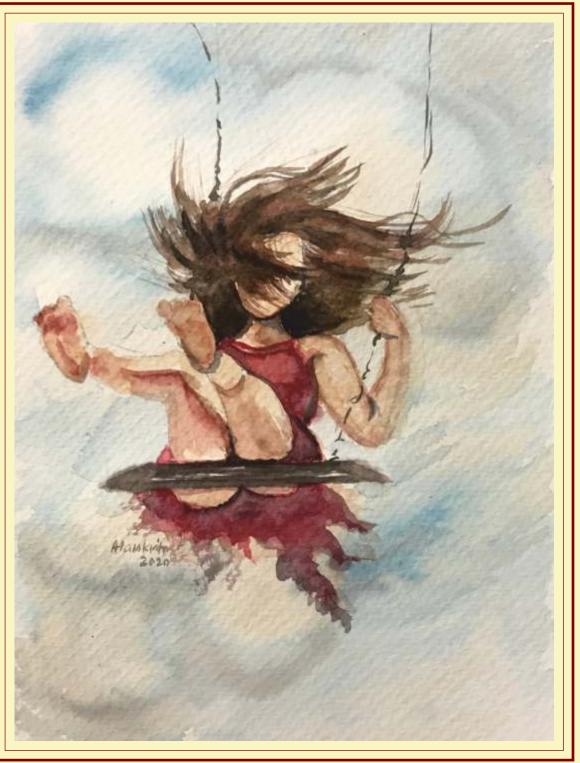
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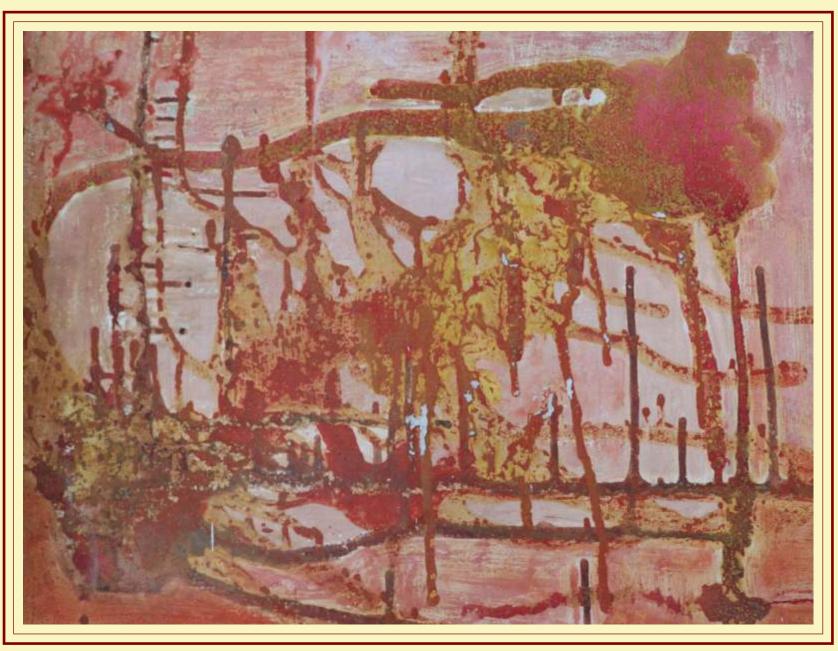


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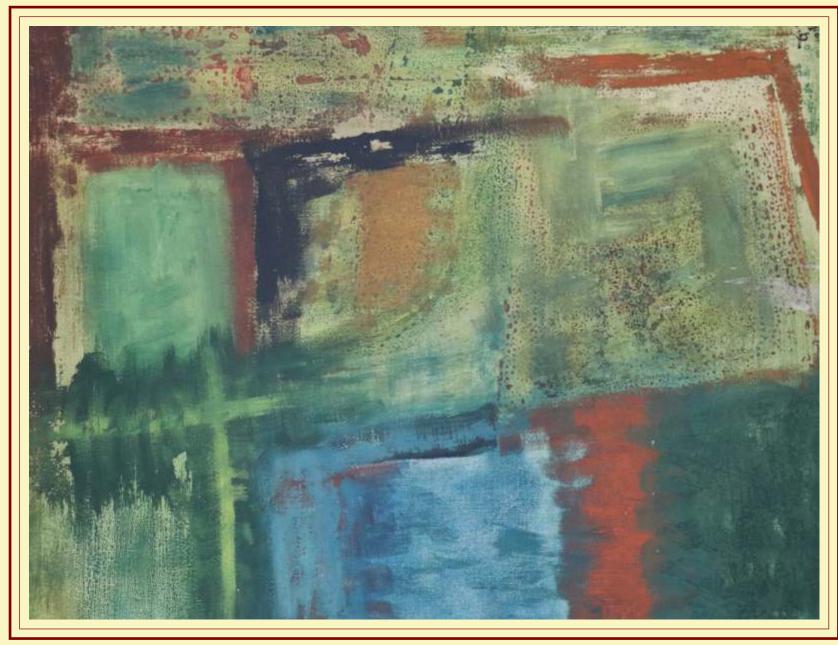
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Medium : Acrylic on Canvas | Size : H 36 Inch x W 30 Inch





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REQUIEM FOR THE HAND PULLED RICKSHAW

Since colonial times, a rickshaw plied on the streets of Mussoorie, in which man pulled other humans. This symbol of slavery was brought to an end by three batches of Officer Trainees in LBSNAA, Mussoorie, 1993, 1994, and 1995. They built bonds with the rickshaw pullers, visited the impoverished villages from where they had migrated, lived in their homes and also ran TB health clinics for the rickshaw pullers. The Officer Trainees designed a new model of cycle rickshaw appropriate for the hills, advocated with the municipal authorities to outlaw hand pulled rickshaws and permit cycle rickshaws. They also organized grants for purchasing the rickshaws, organized their manufacture and finally replaced all the hand pulled rickshaws with the cycle rickshaws. In doing so, they and demonstrated the best traditions of the civil service: compassion, innovation, partnership and persistence for building a more just and humane India.





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