

Name: ***Amol Jayant Saraf***

Born in 1966 at Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India

Graduated Bachelors in Fine Arts (Commercial Advertising) from J.J.Institute of Applied Arts, Mumbai, Maharashtra, India in 1987

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INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITIONS:

- 1994: Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India
- 1995/ 1997/ 1999/2002: Nehru Centre, Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
- 2011: Yashwantrao Chavan Art Gallery, Pune, Maharashtra, India
- 2011: Kalaneri Art Gallery, Jaipur, Rajasthan, India
- 2011: Lalit Kala Academy, New Delhi, India
- 2011: Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India
- 2012: SamrtIndia Eco Park, Mumbai, India
- 2013: JDCC Auditorium , Jalgaon, India

GROUP EXHIBITION:

- 1995: Nehru Centre, Mumbai, India
- 1996: Malaka Spice, Pune, India
- 2014: Bai Dinh Temple Convention Center, Vietnam

PUBLIC ART PROJECTS:

- 2012: Bioscope: Size 48"x 108"x 36": Bioscope at Gandhi Research Foundation Museum, Jain Hills, Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India. This Bioscope has been installed at International Gandhi Research Foundation ,Jalgaon India, where year round international conferences, and workshops on Gandhian Thoughts/Principals takes place and participated by dignitaries from around the world
<http://www.gandhifoundation.net/museumvirtual%20tour.htm>
- 2003: Size 550 Sq. Ft.: Community Temple: Mural in stone and oil colors has been created on the parapet wall of this temple at Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India visited by hundreds of people each day

- 2002: Fountain: sized 84”x 60”x 36”.: Oil colors on concrete structure. This fountain is installed at the entrance of a corporate house, Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India
- 1999: Exhibition stall: 20 ft. x 10 ft. Oil on Plywood: This was an exhibition display for one big corporate house Nirali Non-Stick Cookware, at Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
- 1998: Swimming Pool Wall: 72 ft x 5 ft.: Oil Colors on wall: This artwork was created at Police Headquarters, Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India within 48 hours
- 1993: Lord Krishna Mural: 70 ft x 5 ft.: Oil Colors on Wall: This mural was created on wall at hill farm of one global corporate Jain Irrigation Systems Ltd. at Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India

PRIZES:

- Best in Photography Award at Healing Power of Art competition organized by Manhattan Arts International, New York, USA, in May 2010.
- One of the Pencil Sketch was selected among top 100 artists around the world in International Christian Art Competition, Kentucky, U.S.A, 2011
- “The Best Campaign in Consumer Product Award” for Kwaliti Ice Cream campaign as a part of project for final year degree
- “A grade with Special Excellence” in freehand drawing in Intermediate Drawing Examination conducted by Maharashtra Government in the year 1979

COLLECTIONS:

- International Cricketer Mr. Sachin Tendulkar, India
- Eminent Gazal Singer Late Mr. Jagjit Singh, India
Eminent Classical Singer Pandit Jasraj, India
- Eminent Bollywood Music Composer Mr. Naushad Ali, India
- International Gandhi Museum and Research Foundation, Jalgaon, Maharashtra, India
- Eminent Gadkari Auditorium, Thane, Maharashtra, India
- International Eco Park, SMART India, Mumbai, India
- Foreign and Domestic individual collections: U.S.A, Canada, Australia, India

EXTRA CURRICULAR:

- A good entertainer as a mimicker, actor, singer, and comedian
- Acted in several Marathi language TV serials in Maharashtra, India