

## MIDDLE EASTERN CONTEMPORARY ART - MIDDLE EASTERN CONTEMPORARY ART

**AUCTION INFORMATION:**

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**AUCTION OVERVIEW:**

The Auction Room is the first London-based auction house to conduct online auctions in the Contemporary Middle Eastern market.

Janet Rady, the specialist in charge of the auction, has commented, "in recent years there has been a huge surge of interest in the region and we are delighted to be filling a gap in the current market. With estimates ranging from £1,000 to £60,000, the auction provides the perfect opportunity for a variety of collectors from all parts of the world to participate".












The auction features works by well-known and up-and-coming Arab and Iranian artists, including: Ahmed Alsoudani, Lalla Essaydi, Diana Al-Hadid, Khosrow Hassanzadeh, Ramin Haerizadeh, Hayv Kahraman, Shirin Neshat, Ali Shirazi and Soheila Sokhanvari. A selection of works come from the critically acclaimed exhibition: Unveiled: New Art from The Middle East held in 2009 at the Saatchi Gallery, London.













Many of the works confront the political and social issues of the artists' native countries with a clarity and bravery which, in several cases, has resulted in exile or arrest, whilst they also draw clear influence from and take great pride in their country's artistic heritage and legacy of decorative arts.

**AUCTION DATE:**

24th September 2013, auction closes at 6:00pm [ADD TO CALENDAR](#)

LOT	DETAILS	ESTIMATE
	Lot 1 <b>Parviz Tanavoli, (b. 1937, Iran)</b> Heech, 2011	£3,400 - £3,800 <b>2 bids: £ 3,000</b> Unsold
	Lot 2 <b>Farnaz Rabiejah, (b. 1981, Iran)</b> Precious!, 2010	£2,000 - £3,000 <b>2 bids: £ 1,800</b> Sold
	Lot 3 <b>Lalla Essaydi, (b. 1956, Morocco)</b> Converging Territories # 12, 2003	£9,000 - £11,000 <b>3 bids: £ 8,500</b> Sold
	Lot 4 <b>Shadi Ghadirian, (b. 1974, Iran)</b> Untitled from the Like Everyday Series (yellow glove), 2000-2001	£5,000 - £7,000 <b>4 bids: £ 4,800</b> Sold

	Lot 5	<b>Shadi Ghadirian, (b. 1974, Iran)</b> Untitled from the Like Everyday Series (iron), 2000-2001	£5,000 - £7,000 <b>1 bid: £ 4,000</b> Unsold
	Lot 6	<b>Ghada Amer, (b. 1963, Egypt) and Reza...</b> Love Me, 2006; Kiss Cross, 2006; For Wonder Women, 2006	£3,000 - £5,000 <b>2 bids: £ 2,600</b> Unsold
	Lot 7	<b>Hussein Madi (MADI), (b. 1938, Lebanon)</b> Untitled, 1998	£3,400 - £4,500 <b>1 bid: £ 2,800</b> Unsold
	Lot 8	<b>Ali Shirazi, (b. 1960, Iran)</b> Untitled, 2011	£8,000 - £12,000 <b>3 bids: £ 7,500</b> Sold
	Lot 9	<b>Soheila Sokhanvari, (b. 1969, Iran)</b> Shahzad The Storyteller, 2013	£4,000 - £6,000 <b>3 bids: £ 3,800</b> <a href="#">Enter live auction room</a>
	Lot 10	<b>Farbod Morshedzadeh, (b. 1974, Iran)</b> The Lover, Beloved and The Other, 2008	£8,000 - £12,000 <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 11	<b>Khaled Hafez, (b. 1963, Egypt)</b> Mighty Hands of Gemmis, 2008	£14,000 - £18,000 <b>4 bids: £ 14,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 12	<b>Hayv Kahraman, (b. 1981, Iraq)</b> Carrying on Shoulder 1 and Carrying on Shoulder 2, 2008	£36,000 - £40,000 <b>11 bids: £ 50,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 13	<b>Katia Boyadjian, (b. 1958, Egypt)</b> Série Jours ouvrés-Autoportrait - Un jour de mai - Atelier de Lasson, 1996	£2,000 - £3,000 <b>1 bid: £ 1,500</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 14	<b>Shirin Neshat, (b. 1957, Iran)</b> Faezeh, 2008	£16,000 - £20,000 <b>3 bids: £ 13,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 15	<b>Barbad Golshiri, (b. 1982, Iran)</b> Where Spirit and Semen Met, 2008	£6,500 - £10,000 <b>1 bid: £ 5,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>

	Lot 16	<b>Zena Assi, (b. 1974, Lebanon)</b> Lucky Shirt, 2009	£10,000 - £15,000 <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 17	<b>Mohannad Orabi, (b. 1977, Syria)</b> Self-Portrait, 2010	£12,000 - £15,000 <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 18	<b>Khosrow Hassanzadeh, (b. 1963, Iran)</b> Pahlavan (01), 2002	£4,500 - £6,500 <b>1 bid: £ 3,600</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 19	<b>Laleh Khorramian, (b. 1974, Iran)</b> Some Comments on Empty and Full, 2008	£4,200 - £4,800 <b>2 bids: £ 4,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 20	<b>Diana Al-Hadid, (b. 1981, Syria)</b> All The Stops, 2007	£28,000 - £36,000 <b>2 bids: £ 24,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 21	<b>Abbas Kiarostami, (b. 1940, Iran)</b> Untitled, (from the Trees in Snow series), 2005	£11,000 - £13,000 <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 22	<b>Wafa Hourani, (b. 1979, Palestine)</b> Qalandia 2067, 2008	£30,000 - £36,000 <b>3 bids: £ 26,000</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 23	<b>Saleh Al Shukairi, (b. 1977, Oman)</b> Haoaz 1, 2012	£3,000 - £5,000 <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 24	<b>Reza Derakshani, (b. 1952, Iran)</b> The Rose and the Nightingale, 2008	£26,000 - £30,000 <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 25	<b>Tareq Sayed Rajab de Montfort, (b....)</b> Ward Suri fee Bayt Ziad, 2013	£1,200 - £1,600 <b>1 bid: £ 900</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 26	<b>Saeed Khalifa, (b. 1989, UAE)</b> The Unity, 2011	£2,000 - £3,600 <b>1 bid: £ 1,800</b> <a href="#">View / Bid</a>
	Lot 27	<b>Ramin Haerizadeh, (b. 1975, Iran)</b> Men of Allah (05), 2008	£4,000 - £5,000



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Lot 28 **Nadia Ayari, (b. 1981, Tunisia)**  
Syrian Dream and Right of Return, 2008

£3,000 - £4,000

**3 bids: £ 2,600**

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Lot 29 **Ahmed Mater, (b. 1979, Saudi Arabia)**  
Yellow Cow Performance 2007, 2010

£2,000 - £3,000

**1 bid: £ 1,800**

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Lot 30 **Jeffar Khaldi, (b. 1964, Lebanon)**  
Sushi Dreams, 2008

£12,000 - £18,000

**6 bids: £ 15,000**

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Lot 31 **Ahmed Alsoudani, (b. 1975, Iraq)**  
You No Longer Have Hands, 2007

£60,000 - £80,000

**1 bid: £ 48,000**

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Lot 32 **Azra Aghighi Bakhshayeshi, (b. 1968,...)**  
Besmellahe Rahmane Rahim (In the Name of God), 2012

£9,000 - £11,000

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Lot 33 **Ramin Haerizadeh, (b. 1975, Iran)**  
06, 2006

£3,000 - £4,000

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Lot 34 **Soody Sharifi, (b. 1955, Iran)**  
Courtly Love from the Maxiature series, 2011

£5,000 - £7,000

**1 bid: £ 4,500**

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Lot 35 **Mehrak Davoudi, (b. 1978, Iran)**  
Single upturned hand: Queen of Love (Her Majesty the Queen of Iran), 2013

£5,000 - £7,000

**3 bids: £ 4,500**

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Lot 36 **Rokni Haerizadeh, (b. 1978, Iran)**  
Dagger Dance, 2008

£16,000 - £18,000

**13 bids: £ 26,000**

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Lot 37 **Hussein Madi (MADI), (b. 1938, Lebanon)**  
Untitled, 2008

£22,000 - £26,000

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Lot 38 **Chaza Charafeddine, (b. 1964, Lebanon)**



Untitled IV, 2010

£1,400 - £1,700

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Lot 39

**Halim Al-Karim, (b. 1963, Iraq)**  
Hidden Victims, 2008

£22,000 - £28,000

**1 bid: £ 18,000**

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Lot 40

**Ahmad Morshedloo, (b. 1973, Iran)**  
Untitled, 2008

£5,500 - £7,000

**2 bids: £ 5,000**

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