

Aryan Arian

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Language: English, French (moderate), Persian

Photographer, Filmmaker, Editor

- **Education**

- **Master's Degree in Cinema, 1995-97**

- University of Arts (Faculty of Cinema and Theatre), Tehran, Iran
Thesis: Cinema and Poetry.

- **Bachelor's Degree (B.Sc.) in Film Directing, 1988-95**

- University of Art (Faculty of Cinema and Theatre), Tehran, Iran
Thesis: Existentialism and loneliness in Antonioni's Cinema.

- **Diploma in Video and Audio Editing, 2003-04**

- (Avid, After Effect, Photoshop, and Boris) - LaSalle College, Montreal, Quebec

- **Photography Exhibitions Experiences**

- **U.K, London, De Vere Grand Connaught Rooms, Solo Exhibition, 2017**
- **Canada, Montreal, Le Musée des maîtres et artisans du Québec, 2017**
- **Canada, Montreal, Queen Art Gallery, Group Exhibition, 2017**
- **Canada, Montreal, Le Musée des maîtres et artisans du Québec, 2016**
- **Canada, Montreal, Art Gallery 411, Soul Exhibition, 2015**
- **Canada, Montreal, Mai Gallery, Group Exhibition, 2015**
- **Canada, Montreal, Mai Gallery, Group Exhibition, 2014**
- **Canada, Montreal, Z Gallery, Group Exhibition, 2012**
- **Belgium, Antwerp, Felix Gallery, Soul Exhibition, 2011**
- **Canada, Toronto, Banu Gallery, Soul Exhibition, 2011**
- **Canada, Montreal, CtrlLab Gallery, Soul Exhibition, 2011**
- **Iran, Tehran, Museum of Nature and Wildlife, Group exhibition, 1998**
- **Iran, Tehran, City Hall Cultural Centre, Soul Exhibition, 1997**

● Film experiences (Director & Editor):

- **Let the sea wonder** (Documentary, HD Video, 17min): Film Editor, **2016**
- **There Is A Garden** (Documentary, HD Video, 30min): Film Editor, **2015**
A Documentary-Animation about Islamic regime in Iran and Its damages after revolution.
- **Goodbye Edna** (Short film, HD Video, 12min): Film Director, writer & Editor, **2014**
A dark-comedy about four musicians and a corpse.
- **The Rooster** (Short film, Video, 30min): Film Director, writer & Editor, **2013**
- **Le Coq (French version)** The story of a lonely man who lives in Montréal.
- **The African-Baluchi Trance Dance** (Documentary, Video, 28min): Editor, **2012**
A documentary about a traditional dance and healing in Iran.
- **The Food Space** (Documentary, Video, 10min): Film Editor, **2009**
A documentary about the access to healthy and affordable food in university.
- **The Final Word** (Documentary, Video, 60min): Film Editor, **2008-9**
A documentary about one of the biggest Iranian modern poets named: Ahmad Shamlou.
- **Forbidden Sun Dance** (Documentary, Video, 30min): Camera, Film Editor, **2008-9**
A documentary about a Persian dance and a dance teacher in Montréal.
- **Wedding Murders** (Feature film, Fiction, 35mm, 80min): Film Editor, **2006**
A feature film, which has not yet been released.
- **Man In Bottle** (Animation, 35mm, 5min): Technical support, **2005**
Image and sound effects editing.
- **The Peacock** (Short film, Video, 20min): Film Director, Writer, Camera and Editor, **2004**
The story of a girl who is talking to herself about the society and her roommates.
- **LA LA** (Documentary, Video, 15min): Film Director, Editor, **2001**
A documentary about immigrants who learn French in Université de Montréal.
- **The End Of The Sea** (Short film, 16mm, 15min): Film Director, Writer and Producer, **1998**
A dark-comedy about a routine life in the modern society.
- **The Blue Room** (Documentary, 16mm, 20min): Film Director, Writer and Producer, **1995**
A documentary about one of the biggest Iranian modern poets and painter *Sohrab Sepehri*.
- **Black** (Short film, 16mm, 20min): Film Director, **1992**
When his wife passes away, someone pursues him until he refuges to his friend.
- **The Land Of The Death** (Short film, 16mm, 7min): Film Director, Writer and Editor, **1991**
Every body has a different imagination about his bag when he sleeps in a park.

- **The Land Of Nothing** (Documentary, 16mm, 10min): Film Director, Writer and Editor, **1989**
Life from the birth to death in a few shots.
- **The Land of Ah** (Short film, 8mm, 15min): Film Director, Writer and Editor, **1985**
When a 10 years old boy decides to find his favorite book, he surprise about the story.

- **Other experiences:**

- Editor-in-chief cultural & art magazine, "DIDAR" in Montreal, **2006-07**
- Board member of Nima library association in Montreal, **2001-5**
- Manager of Aran Film production in Iran, **1997-99**
- Dramatic Expert in Iranian TV& Radio Broadcasting, **1998-9**
- Teacher of film-making program in City Hall cultural centre, Tehran, Iran, **1996-7**

- **Awards & Plaques**

Best Film Editor. 1986

Best Film Editing award at the Youth Film Festival in Iran for *the Land of Ah*.

Appreciation award plaque for *The Blue Room*. 1996

Roshd International Film and Video Festival.

Appreciation award plaque for *The Blue Room*. 1996

City Hall Cultural Centre.

Appreciation award plaque for Photo exhibition. 1998

Photo exhibition in the Iranian Museum of Nature and Wildlife.