

# NICODIM

## Moffat Takadiwa

° Born 1983, Karoi, Zimbabwe  
Lives and works in Harare, Zimbabwe

### Education

2008 BA Honors Fine Art, Harare Polytechnic College, Zimbabwe

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2019 *Son of The Soil*, Nicodim Gallery, Los Angeles, CA  
2018 *Framed in Colonial Lenses*, Raw Spot Gallery, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa  
2017 *Say Hello to English*, Tyburn Gallery, London, United Kingdom  
2016 *Across Borders*, Whatiftheworld, Cape Town, South Africa  
2015 *Foreign Objects*, Tyburn Gallery, London, United Kingdom  
*Local Foreign Products*, Gallery Special Projects, FNB Joburg Art Fair, Johannesburg, South Africa  
2012 *Africa Not Reachable!*, First Floor Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe

### Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2020 *INXS: Never Before Seen Major Works by Simphiwe Ndzube, Moffat Takadiwa, Zhou Yilun*, Nicodim Gallery, Los Angeles, CA  
*Pineal Eye Infection*, curated by Aaron Moulton, Seasons, Los Angeles, CA  
2019 *The Extreme Present*, presented by Jeffrey Deitch and Gagosian at The Moore Building, Miami  
*Thread.*, Long Beach Museum of Art, Long Beach, CA  
*Stormy Weather*, Museum Arnhem, Arnhem, The Netherlands  
*Second Hand: Selected Works from the Jameel Art Collection*, Jameel Arts Centre, Dubai, United Arab Emirates  
*KUBATANA*, Vestfossen Kunstlaboratorium, Oslo, Norway  
*Ex Africa – storie e identità di un'arte universale*, Museo Civico Archeologico, Bologna, Italy  
*Material Insanity*, Museum of African Contemporary Art Al Maaden, Marrakech, Morocco  
2018 *Defying the Narrative: Contemporary Art from West and Southern Africa*, Evergold Projects, San Francisco, CA  
*Language is the Only Homeland*, The Nest, The Hague, Netherlands  
*The Eye Sees Not Itself*, Nicodim Gallery, Los Angeles, CA  
*Right at the Equator*, Depart Foundation, Malibu, CA

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- 2017 *Le jour qui vient*, curated by Marie-Ann Yemsi, Galerie des Galeries, Galeries Lafayette, Paris, France  
*On being alone and unbearable loneliness*, Watou Art Festival, Belgium  
*Chinafrika*, Galerie für Zeitgenössische Kunst Leipzig, Germany; Kunstfest Weimar, Germany  
*De Nature en Sculpture*, Villa Datriis Foundation, L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue, France  
*Collector's Stage*, curated by Enin Supriyanto, Art Stage Singapore, Singapore
- 2016 *Dear Europa...*, Whatiftheworld, Cape Town, South Africa  
*When Tomorrow Comes*, Wits Art Museum, Johannesburg, South Africa; Michaelis Galleries, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2015 *Broken English*, Tyburn Gallery, London, United Kingdom  
*Foreign Bodies*, Whatiftheworld, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2014 *Uncertain Terms*, Whatiftheworld Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa  
*SCINTILLA: An Alchemy Show*, Commune 1, Cape Town, South Africa  
*Project, 1:54* 2nd edition African Art Fair London, United Kingdom  
*BATIK d'AFRIQUE*, Ethan Cohen Gallery, New York, NY  
*Warp & Woof*, The Hole, New York, NY  
*Meet the artist project*, Chinembiri studio, Harare, Zimbabwe
- 2013 *Project 1:54*, African Art Fair London, United Kingdom  
*Good News exhibition*, New University, Lisbon, Portugal  
*No Limits*, HIFA, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Chiso*, First Floor Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe
- 2012 *Harare Haarare!*, First Floor Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Inexactly This*, Kunstvlaai Festival of Independence, Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
*Wars/Karas*, Octopus Projects, Riga, Latvia  
*Jo'burg Fringe*, Johannesburg, South Africa  
*A Tale of Two Cities*, National Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Family, Tradition and Religion*, Gallery Delta, Zimbabwe
- 2011 *Still Life Exhibition*, Delta Gallery, Zimbabwe  
*Harare beyond Words*, Gallery H, Bangkok, Thailand  
*Mbare Kutapira*, First Floor Gallery, Chinembiri Studios, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Harare Paris*, Pavé d'Orsay, Paris, France  
*Harare International Festival of Art Exhibition*, National Gallery, Zimbabwe  
*Rangu Izwi*, First Floor Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Austral <math>\times</math> Affric*, First Floor Gallery, The Basement, Harare, Zimbabwe
- 2010 *First Steps*, First Floor Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Facet Zimbabwe Now*, Delta Gallery, Zimbabwe  
*Avignon University*, Avignon, France  
*Live and Direct*, National Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Young Artist Exhibition*, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe
- 2009 *Peace through Unity in Diversity*, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe

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- Walls*, Berlin Wall, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe  
2008 *Cottco*, National Gallery, Harare, Zimbabwe  
*Enriching Woman*, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe  
2007 *Young Artist Exhibition*, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe

## Residencies

- 2017 The Gathering, Kenya

## Publications

- 2011 Hecker, Judith (ed.), *Impressions from South Africa, 1965 to Now: Prints from the Museum of Modern Art*, Museum Of Modern Art, NYC, 2011

## Awards

- 2016 Award of Merit, Cottco Exhibition and Prize, National Gallery of Zimbabwe, Harare, Zimbabwe  
2012 Award of Attendance, Zimbabwe Olympic Committee, Harare, Zimbabwe  
2010 Award of Merit, Peace Through Unity Exhibition, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe  
Special Mention Prize, Facet Zimbabwe Now Exhibition, Delta Gallery, Zimbabwe  
2009 2nd Prize Walls, Special Mentions, Peace Through Unity Exhibition Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe  
2008 Special Prize, Enriching Woman, Gallery Delta, Harare, Zimbabwe

## Selected Public and Private Collections

Art Jameel Collection, Dubai, United Arab Emirates  
Arsenal Contemporary, Toronto, Canada  
CC Foundation, Shanghai, China  
Centre National d'Art Plastique, Paris, France  
Foundation de 11 Lijnen, Oudenburg, Belgium  
Museum of African Contemporary Art Al Maaden, Marrakesh, Morocco  
Roc Nation Collection, Los Angeles, US  
State Department of the United States, Art in Embassies, Harare, Zimbabwe  
Villa Datriis Foundation, France