

Sungi Mlengeya | CV

b.1991 in Tanzania

Nationality: Tanzanian

Residence: Arusha, Tanzania

Solo Exhibitions

- 2025 Tides of Being, NADA Exhibition Space, NYC
- 2022 Don't Try, Don't Not Try, B.LA Art Foundation, Vienna, Austria
(Un)choreographed, The Africa Centre, London, UK
- 2021 Just Disruptions, Afriart Gallery, Kampala, Uganda

Group Exhibitions

- 2022 – 2026 When We See Us: A Century of Black Figuration in Painting, Zeitz MOCAA, Capetown, South Africa/ Kunstmuseum Basel, Switzerland/ Bozar Brussels, Belgium/ Liljevalchs Stockholm, Sweden
- 2023 – 2025 Insistent Presence: Contemporary from the Chazen Collection, Chazen Museum of Art, USA/ Michael C. Carlos Museum, Emory University, Atlanta, USA
- 2024 The Beauty of Diversity, Albertina Modern, Vienna
- 2023 Shapes of Water, Afriart Gallery, Uganda
Africa Supernova, KAdE, The Netherlands
- 2021 A Force for Change, UN Women at Agora Gallery, New York, USA
- 2020 Black Voices: Friend of My Mind, Ross-Sutton Gallery, New York
The Medium is the Message, Unit London, London, UK
1-54 Highlights, Christie's, London UK
Playing to the Gallery, Afriart Gallery, Kampala, Uganda
Drawn Together, Unit London, Online
- 2019 Surfaces: Gender Identity Rebellion, Afriart Gallery, Kampala
Life on Land and Under Water, Safari ya Sanaa, Mombasa, Kenya
Nairobi Railways Museum, Nairobi, Kenya
Revisiting Pan Africanism, Kan Festival, Arusha Tanzania

Art Fairs

- 2023 EXPO Chicago

- 2022 Art x Lagos, Nigeria
- 2021 Art Basel Miami Beach, USA
- 2020 1-54 Contemporary African Art Fair, London, UK
1-54 Contemporary African Art Fair, New York Online Edition
Investec Cape Town Art Fair, Solo Section, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2019 Latitudes Art Fair, Johannesburg, South Africa

Awards& Residencies

- 2023 Artist-in-Residence at the Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center
- 2022 Johnnie Walker and Trace Africa Top 30 list of leading creatives on the continent
- 2020 40 under 40 Africa Artist list in 2020 by Apollo Magazine

Publications

- 2025 Sungi Mlengeya (Monograph, 144 pp., ISBN/EAN: 9782370742667), Paris.
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