

New York Circuit (NYC) 2023.

Circuit Chair:



Mohammad Ali Salim, APSA, GMPSA, GPSA, MFIAP, EFIAP/d2, NY, USA.

He regularly serves as a General Chair "International Salon New York (ISNY), in NY, USA. He also served as BPS's Secretary General for three terms. In 1983, He participated in a FIAP and PSA recognized international salon and received his AFIAP Distinction in 1989. He was honored to be the first AFIAP distinction recipient in Bangladesh.

His formal education and experience in photography began at the Begart Institute of Photography, in Dhaka, Bangladesh in 1974. It was there that I first learned how to process black & white images and was honored in the Bangladesh National Photo Competition in 1979. He later enrolled in the Photographic Diploma Course at Begart and graduated in 1984.

He later enrolled in the Professional Photographic Graduation Course at the New York Institute of Photography (NYIP) in 1990 and graduated in 1993.

Later, He received my ARPS distinction from the Royal Photographic Society (RPS) in 2013.

He then went on to received his Master FIAP (MFIAP) distinction from The International Federation of Photographic Art (FIAP) in 2013. He is proud to be the only living Bangladeshi American to receive the MFIAP in the United States. He was able to use this momentum to go on to receive the EFIAP/Diamond 2 distinction in 2021.

He joined Photographic Society of America (PSA) 11 years ago, and received my GMPSA distinction in 2016, Portfolio Distinction GPSA in 2018 and elected APSA Honor in 2020.

He was listed in PSA's "Who's Who" in 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014 as a Top North American Exhibitor.

His article was published in the PSA Journal in the September 2013, March 2014, October 2014 and January 2016 editions. I was awarded PSA Journal 2 Bronze Star.

He served as a PSA PT Star Rating Director for Americas, since June 1, 2015 to 2016.

He is Secretary and founding Member for PSA Metropolitan Chapter since June 1, 2015. He is serving as MFIAP Consultant in Photographic Alliance of America (PAA) since 2017.

He judged more than 150,000 images in FIAP/PSA approved international salon since 2012 in USA and other country.

He is serving 15 years as a president of New York Photo Association (NYPA), served as a FIAP Liaison officer for his NYPA ILFIAP club, and process many FIAP Distinctions Applications, FIAP Salon Patronization Application till 2017.

He has star/Galaxy ratings: PIDC 9 Galaxy, PIDM 2 Galaxy, PT 4 Galaxy, ND 4 Galaxy

Circuit Vice Chair:

Rowshan Akhter, APSA, MPSA, BPSA, EFIAP/p; NY, USA



Rowshan Akhter, MPSA, BPSA, EFIAP/Silver; NY, USA. Rowshan Akhter regularly serves as a General Chair for the “New York Photo Fair (NYPF)” salon organized by New York Photo Association. Rowshan graduated from the University of Dhaka, Department of Law in 1983. Her husband, Mohammad Ali Salim, introduced her to photography and inspired her to develop her photographic interests. She has been a member of the Photographic Society of America (PSA) since 2010. She earned her BPSA in 2015 and her MPSA in 2019. In 2019, Rowshan has also received the Excellence FIAP Level Silver (EFIAP/Silver) from the International Federation of Photographic Art (FIAP) in Luxemburg. She also went on to win more than 300 awards and currently has close to 2200 acceptances. She is a founding member of the PSA Metropolitan Chapter, which began in June 2015. For the past five years, Rowshan has served as a juror for many FIAP/PSA recognized international photographic salons and judged more than 75,000 images in the following divisions: Projected Image Division, Nature Division, Photo Travel Division, and Photo Journalism Division. She has the following PSA Star Galaxy ratings: PIDC 2 Galaxy, PIDM 5 star, ND 5 Star, PTD 5 Star and PJD 5 Star. In 2014, she was also awarded “8th in the World” Photo Journalism Division– Prints. In 2018, Rowshan was awarded an Honorary Fellowship from the Bangladesh Photographic Society in recognition of her outstanding contribution and service in the field of photography.

New York Circuit (NYC) 2023 Judges



Xin Xin Liang, APSA, MPSA, EFIAP; NY, USA

All 4 sections will be judged in ISNY salon.

XinXin Liang, APSA, EPSA, AFIAP, SVCPSNY, FPSNY, GEPSNY, Hon.FPSSNY, Hon.FICS, Hon.PESGSPC, Hon.FPSNJ, Hon.FSOF, Hon.FHKNPS XinXin Liang, president of Photographic Society of New York, founding member of PSA Metropolitan Chapter. She graduated from the Guangzhou Academy of Fine Arts and China Correspondence School of Photography. She was born into a family of artists. She is a painter, as well as a photographer. Hoping to not only use her eyes and a camera to document the world around her, she captures and expresses emotions and feelings through unique artistic methods of photography. She has 4 Star ratings in PTD.



Viki Gaul, FPSA, PPSA, BPSA, AFIAP; NS, Canada

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About Viki Gaul:" This account was set up so that I can see what FB is about. The project I am involved in is for the Photographic Society of America. I am a member, in fact i am a Region Director for area 17. (If you want to know more about the Society, check the website at www.psa-photo.org I am currently on a committee that is studying how to create an appropriate Social Media presence for PSA... If the experience is positive, I may choose to operate the account on a regular basis and post to it differently than I will during this trial... If you have stumbled upon this and are wondering why I have not connected to the hundreds of you that were on a list from FB...please do not be offended. Maybe later!"



Mahfuzul Hasan Bhuiyan, EFIAP, ESFIAP; Dhaka, Bangladesh

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Mahfuzul Hasan Bhuiyan is an Architectural Photographer as well as Documentary Photographer based in Austin, Texas in USA. He graduated with a Bachelor of Architecture degree from Bangladesh University of Engineering & Technology. His passion has brought him to photographic practice professionally. His extended interest in different photographic genres inspired him to capture mundane life around the globe. Mahfuzul received EFIAP (excellence FIAP) in 2009 and EsFIAP (Excellent in service) in 2011 for his contribution to international photography. He is a co-founder of Absurd Photos Ltd and Bangladesh Society of photographic Art. He has achieved hundreds of international awards in the field of photography and exhibited in several countries as well as his works have been published worldwide. Currently, he is the Chairman of Patronage & Promotion in Image Colleague Society (ICS), USA. He has been a fellow of several international photographic clubs worldwide."



Subrata Bysack, APSA, GMPSA/p, EFIAP/d1; Kolkata, India

All 4 sections will be judged in NYPF salon.

Subrata Bysack is a photo artist by passion. His job in a bank in 1984 initiated him to take photography seriously. He completed his diploma in photography from Chhayapath Calcutta in 1990. From 1992 onwards. From November 2012, he started participating in international exhibitions. He earns his GMPSA/Platinum distinction from Photographic Society of America (PSA), and EFIAP/g from International Federation of Photographic Art (FIAP), His photographs were exhibited an. in collection in several countries. He has been elected as Associateship from PSA (APSA). He served as a Jury in many international photo competitions.

His PSA Star/Galaxy/Diamond ratings: **PTD Diamond 3, ND Diamond 1**, P.J. Galaxy 9 (Awarded Master Journalist), PIDM Diamond 2, print PPDC Star 5, print PPDM Star 5



Guo Jiang Ou, APSA, MPSA, EFIAP; NY, USA

All 4 sections will be judged in NYPF salon.

Guo participated to PSA recognized photographic exhibition and FIAP patronage salon since 2009, from 2010 to 2012, Guo had been named as top 10 exhibitor By PSA in North America of Photo travel division continually, in 2015 and 2020, he was awarded MPSA and EFIAP by PSA and FIAP. Currently, Guo served as Chairman to Metropolitan Chapter of PSA.

He has ND 5 Star, PTD 2 Galaxy.



Yousuf Tushar, EFIAP; Dhaka, Bangladesh

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Yousuf Tushar's images have been publishing regularly in national newspapers and magazines including Daily Mail, The Telegraph, The Sun, Express UK, the Atlantic, The Washington Post, USA Today, NPR, Huffington Post, The Guardian, L'actualite, Forbes Asia & Russia and others newspapers and magazine, books, greeting cards, and calendars. Presently he is Secretary General of Bangladesh Photographic Society and FIAP Liaison officer for Bangladesh.



Suman Bhattacharyya, MPSA, EFIAP/b; Kolkata, India

All 4 sections will be judged in NYQ salon.

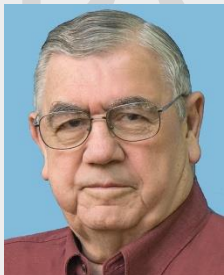
Suman Bhattacharyya, has always had an avid interest in photography brought about through his grandfather. He studied photography from his college days with a Zenith camera in hand during 1997-98 when he enrolled in the Diploma course of photography from the elite institution PAD, Dumdum, Kolkata, India. He had founded the Hara prasad Shastri Foto Club in 2012 and followed up in 2017 by joining PSA-WORLDWIDE. Prior to holding office, he was the shortlisted in the prestigious UNESCO sponsored Humanity Photo Awards as one of the top world awardees in 2017. In 2015 he was selected as the Grand award winner in the photo competition & quote; he was awarded FIAP Blue Pin from Turkey with an 800 Euro award winner. He has been previously awarded Associate from the Royal Photographic Society in 2015. He received the coveted MPSA in 2018 with 5 stars in PIDC, PIDM, ND, PTD & 4 Star in PJD.



Lingyun Mao, MPSA2, EFIAP; NY, USA

All 4 sections will be judged in NYQ salon.

Lingyun Mao, GMPSA, EFIAP; NY, USA. Photo Travel- People in their Environment (PTD), Nature, (ND) sections
Lingyun Mao, is a photographer based in Flushing, New York in USA. Lingyun Mao, a photographer since 2002, her works have been published on Yunnan Nationalities Times. In 2004 she participated in “China Impression” NYU Photography Show in the US. She has won more than 300 international medals, including over 120 gold, silver bronze medals in international photography competitions since 2016 and Gold medal winner of TRIERENBERG SUPER CIRCUIT. She is member of Photographic Society of America, and New York Photo Association and judged International Salon PSA/FIAP and NYPA Recognition/Patronage Salon She has PJ 5-star, Color Galaxy -6, Mono Galaxy -3, PTD Galaxy -4, ND Galaxy -5



Charlie Burke, HonPSA, EPSA; MA, USA

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Charlie has been an international exhibitor since 1998, earning both PSA and FIAP credits. Further, he was the Chairman of 9 International Exhibitions and served as a Judge for 12 of them. He has been a member of PSA for 25 years, serving in many different positions including Division Chairman, Executive Vice President, and President. He has had memberships in numerous local and regional camera clubs. Charlie has a degree in both Civil Engineering and Computer Engineering. Prior to his retirement, he served as an Officer in the US Military and as a Software Engineer.