



Exile

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The XIT Gallery at American InterContinental University Presents “EXILE”

February 26 through March 29, 2008

Los Angeles – From February 26 through March 29, 2008, the XIT Gallery at American InterContinental University Los Angeles (AIU LA) will present “Exile,” an exhibition of paintings by Rouben Mohiuddin. The XIT Gallery is located on the AIU LA campus at 12655 West Jefferson Boulevard, Los Angeles. Gallery hours are Mon. – Fri., 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The exhibition is free and open to the public.

An opening reception will be held on Wednesday, February 27, from 5 to 7 p.m. The reception is open to the public; please RSVP to Elizabeth Leister at 310-302-2613.

In describing the exhibition Mohiuddin explains, “In 1997 my family was exiled to the U.S. from Bangladesh. A decade later my father was extradited back to Bangladesh on political grounds. This is our exile. These are the paintings that search for answers about the trials and tribulations of my country and what they mean to me. It is only within the last decade that I have been able to come to terms with my identity as a Bangladeshi.”

Mohiuddin, Chair of Interior Architecture at AIU LA, is a principal in Scale In(TER)vention, a design firm he established in Los Angeles in 2002.

He has lectured at the Art Institute of California, Otis School of Art and Design, and New York School of Interior Design, and also teaches at the University of California.

Mohiuddin holds a Master of Architecture from Southern California Institute of Architecture.

For more information about the exhibition, or to RSVP to the opening reception, contact Elizabeth Leister at 310-302-2613.

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