

SAMPATH AMUNUGAMA

EXHIBITION  
OF PAINTINGS

*Sampath* *Amunugama*  
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5 JUNE 2009 - 26 JUNE 2009

Sampath has drawn a wide bow and navigated a stony path from his earlier expressive and abstract eruptions of colour through an almost shy approximation of figurative forms of expression to his monochrome works of recent years. He plays with masking and unmasking. He plays with mystification in a bid to demystify the deadlock. He uses the sharp-edged nature of his artistic means to demand nothing less than the world's convertibility by means of subversive fantasies.

In his new series, Sampath continues down this path.

In these pictures, some people show the observer their true faces.

Gerd Puschel, Berlin / April 2009.



1. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
202CM X 149CM

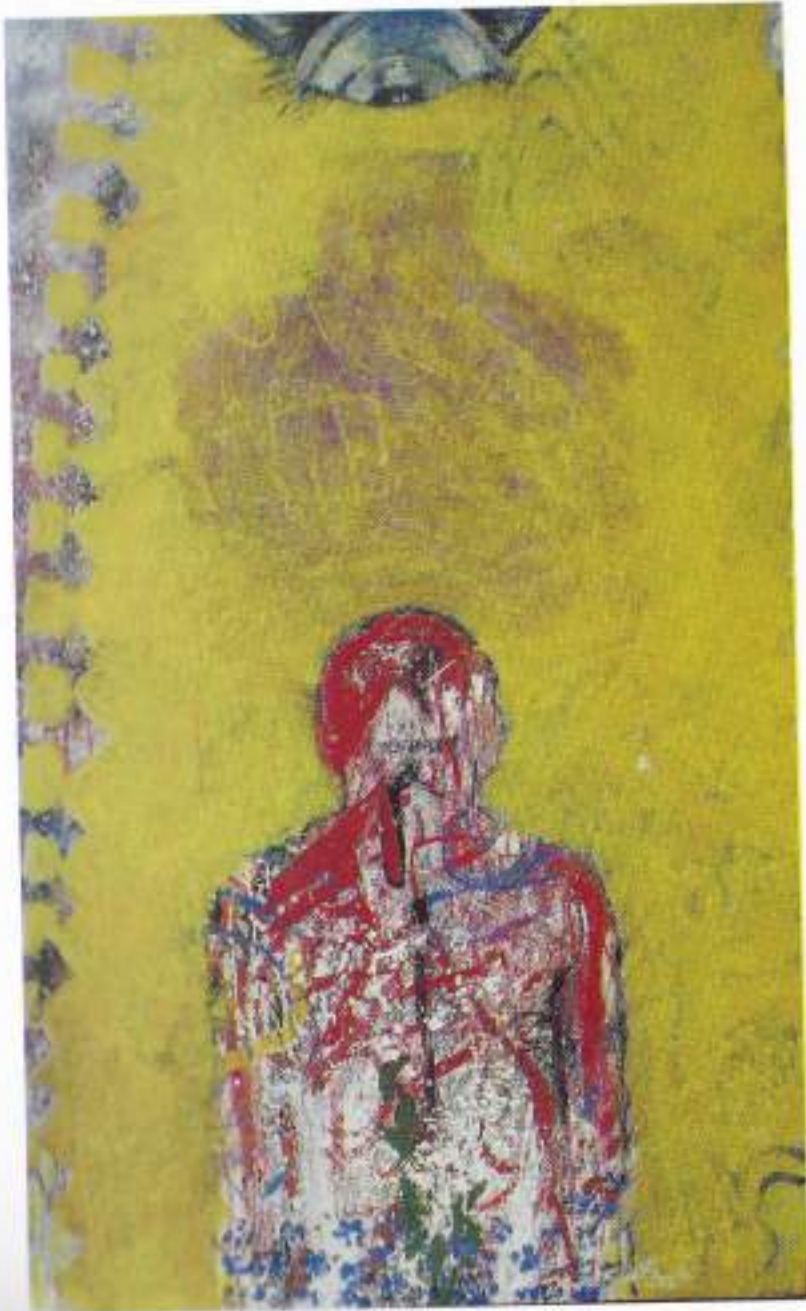


2. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
181 CM X 111 CM



3. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
121 CM X 92 CM





8. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
190CM X 93CM



9. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
49CM X 34CM



10. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
149CM X 129CM



11. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
93CM X 77CM



12. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
49CM X 62CM



13. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
139CM X 66CM





14. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
188CM X 93CM



19. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
120CM X 114CM



16. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
36CM X 70CM



17. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
129CM X 121CM





18. UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
90CM X 67CM



19 - 20 - 21  
22 - 23 - 24  
25 - 26 - 27  
UNTITLED  
ACRYLIC ON CANVAS  
26CM X 32CM

## SAMPATH AMUNUGAMA

### Education

- 2006 Postgraduate Diploma in Archeology, Postgraduate Institute of Archeology, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka  
2004 BFA (Painting), Institute of Aesthetic Studies, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2008 Solo Exhibition of Paintings, Paradise Road Galleries, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2007 Solo Exhibition of Paintings, Paradise Road Galleries, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2005 Solo Exhibition of Paintings, Paradise Road Galleries, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2005 Solo Exhibition of Paintings, Lionel Wendt Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka

### Group Exhibitions

- 2008 World Open Art Festival, South Korea  
2008 Exhibition of "Nawa Kalakaruwa", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2008 "Expectations of Independence", The Mona Bismarck Foundation, Paris, France  
2007 Exhibition of Sri Lankan Art, Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2007 Exhibition of "Nawa Kalakaruwa", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2006 Exhibition of "Nawa Kalakaruwa", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2006 "88 Group Exhibition of Contemporary Art in Sri Lanka", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2005 "88 Group Exhibition of Contemporary Art in Sri Lanka", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Harold Peris Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2004 Exhibition of "Nawa Kalakaruwa", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Harold Peris Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2004 Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Harold Peris Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2003 11th Aolon Art Biennale, Bangladesh  
2003 Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Harold Peris Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2002 Annual Art Exhibition, Organized by the Ceylon Society of Arts, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2002 Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Harold Peris Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2002 State Paintings & Sculpture Award Festival, Organized by the Ministry of Cultural Affairs, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2001 Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2001 Youth Awards Festival, Organized by the National Youth Council services, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2000 Art Exhibition, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka  
2000 Youth Awards Festival, Organized by the National Youth Council services, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
2000 Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
1998 Annual Art Exhibition, Organized by The Ceylon Society of Arts, National Art Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
1995 Art Exhibition, Organized by The National Youth Council services, Kandy, Sri Lanka

### Awards

- 2006 'Merit Award' - Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Sri Lanka  
2004 '3rd Prize' - Exhibition of "Young Contemporaries", Organized by The George Keyt Foundation, Sri Lanka  
2000 '2nd Prize' - Art Exhibition, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka  
2000 'Merit Awards' - National youth Awards Festival, National youth council services, Sri Lanka  
1995 '1st prize' - Art exhibition, Organized by the National youth council Services, Kandy, Sri Lanka







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