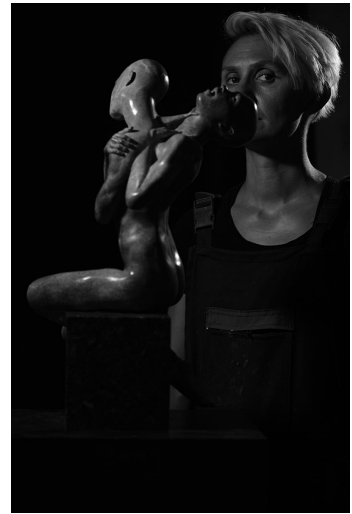


Hande Şekerciler

Hande Şekerciler (b. 1982, Bursa, Turkey) attended Marmara University, studying in the Department of Arts and Crafts Education from 1998 to 2002.

She is a London-based sculptor whose practice explores the body as an emotional landscape. Working across bronze, stainless steel and marble, she bridges centuries-old sculptural craftsmanship with contemporary methods of making, combining traditional techniques with digital modelling, 3D scanning and additive manufacturing to develop a distinctive contemporary figurative language.



At the centre of her work is the human figure, approached not as a static representation but as a site where multiple and often conflicting emotional states coexist. Through gesture, touch, surface and form, her sculptures investigate vulnerability, intimacy, tension and the invisible psychological forces that shape our relationship with ourselves and others. Rather than portraying individual identities, her works give physical form to inner experience.

Her practice moves fluidly between digital and physical processes, bringing together mould making, metal casting, carving and hand-applied patinas with contemporary fabrication methods. For Şekerciler, technology is not a subject in itself but an extension of the sculptural studio.

Alongside her individual practice, she co-founded the artist duo ha:ar with Arda Yalkın, and is also a co-founder of Piksel.Creative Solutions and Noise Media Art. Through these platforms she has collaborated with institutions including Ars Electronica, SONICA, the British Council and the Institut Français.

Şekerciler has presented solo exhibitions in London, New York, Venice, Milan, Istanbul and Ankara. She is represented by JD Malat Gallery in London.

Hande Şekerciler CV

b. 1982- Bursa, Turkey

Lives and works between Istanbul, Turkey & New York, USA

Solo Exhibitions

- 2022 *Electric Mannerism*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2021 *Ecstasy*, CerModern Museum, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2018 Gaia Gallery, Organised by Unilever Turkey benefit of Cancer Warriors Foundation, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2018 *Zerre by ha:ar*, Residency Unlimited, New York, USA
- 2015 *Monophobia*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2010 *Siradakiler*, Gallery Selvin, Istanbul, Turkey

Selected Exhibitions

- 2026 *Stress Lines*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2023 *Summer Exhibition*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2022 *Summer Exhibition*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2021 *Summer Exhibition*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2019 *Portrait*, Taner Ceylan Studio, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2019 *Summer Exhibition*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2018 *Summer Exhibition*, JD Malat Gallery, London, UK
- 2016 *The Call of Marsyas*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2016 *Mystery of Figure*, Plato Sanat, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2016 *Alter Hero*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2015 *On Paper*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2014 *Batteries Not Included*, Gallery Linart, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2013 *Friendship 2*, Artist Causa Gallery and Technohoros, Athens, Greece
- 2012 *Warhola*, Alan Istanbul, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2012 *Group Exhibition*, Cagla Cabaoglu Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2012 *Friendship 1*, Artis Causa Gallery, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2009 *My Name is Casper*, Sumerbank Building Karakoy, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2009 *İhsan Oktay Anar Symposium Exhibition*, Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2008 *Artist 18. Istanbul Arts Exhibition*, Casa Dell'Arte, Istanbul, Turkey

- 2008 Art Bosphorus Contemporary Arts Exhibition, Artium Arts Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2008 *Summer Exhibition*, Casa Dell'Arte, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2007 *Taking Action*, The Hall, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2007 *35th Anniversary Exhibition of Terakki Art Gallery*, Terakki Art Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2007 *Island Ferry Contemporary Arts Exhibition*, Island Ferry, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2007 *Mulayim Taarru*, Gallery X, Istanbul, Turkey

Selected Art Fairs

- 2022 *Contemporary Istanbul*, JD Malat Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2019 *Contemporary Istanbul*, JD Malat Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2017 *Contemporary Istanbul*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2016 *Contemporary Istanbul*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2015 *Contemporary Istanbul*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2014 *Contemporary Istanbul*, Gaia Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2012 *Contemporary*, Alan Istanbul, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2011 *Contemporary Istanbul*, Cagla Cabaoglu Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2011 *Art Bosphorus Contemporary Art Fair*, Cagla Cabaoglu Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2009 *19. Artist Art Fair*, Tuyap, Istanbul, Turkey

Museum Exhibitions

- 2016 *Fugitive Shadow*, Elgiz Museum, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2015 *Plaza Worker*, Elgiz Museum, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2015 *Small Faces, Large Sizes*, Elgiz Museum, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2014 *Teras Sergileri < 40*, Elgiz Museum, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2013 *Are You As Great As Your Shadow*, Cer Modern, Ankara, Turkey

Residencies

- 2018 *Residency Unlimited* New York, USA
2018 *Artist Alliance International* New York, USA
2018 *18th Street Arts Center* Los Angeles, USA

Prominent Collections

Odunpazari Modern Museum (OMM), Turkey

Selected Works



Hande Şekerciler

ecstasy self-portrait no:1, 2020

Bronze with Custom Made
Chemical Patina

92 x 112 x 101 cm



Hande Şekerciler

ecstasy no:2, 2019

Custom made chemical patina
on bronze

83 x 44 x 22.5 cm