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Born in Mumbai, India, Madhvi currently works and lives in Singapore.

Madhvi's practice, primarily in clay, has been informed, defined and transformed by her migratory life and the opportunities and challenges of her constant relocations. She draws inspiration from her immediate environment and location and is primarily influenced by space and place. Life's events also often manifest themselves in her work. While most of her forms, like seed pods or anthills, reflect the organic nature of her surroundings and material, her recent works such as *Earths Whispers* or *Forest of Shadows*, explore the fluidity and interconnectedness of nature and urban culture. In recent works such as *Rolling Pins* and *Pandemic Pills* she explores text in conjunction with objects. Her installations are often made up of multiples and tend to be immersive and experiential in nature, investigating different perspectives.

She has exhibited in several solo and group shows both locally and internationally. Among the biennales and triennales, she has been invited to are the Gyeonggi International Ceramic Biennale 2019, Korea, Indian Ceramics Triennale, 2018, Jaipur, India, The First Central China Ceramic Biennale, 2016, Henan Museum, China and 3rd Contemporary Jakarta Biennale, 2014, Jakarta, Indonesia.

Madhvi's works have been published in international magazines such as *Ceramic Art and Perception*, *Ceramic Review* and books such as *Contemporary Ceramics* by Emmanuel Cooper as well as on the cover of *Art India*, the premier art journal in India.

She is an elected member of the International Academy of Ceramics, a UNESCO affiliated organization in Geneva; ArtAxis and NCECA, international professional organisations based in the U.S.; and Singapore Sculpture Society. Madhvi is also one of the founding members and curators of the Indian Ceramics Triennale.

Madhvi is represented by Gallery Chemould Prescott Road in Mumbai. Her works are in institutional and private collections in Singapore, India, China, Thailand, Taiwan and USA.