

## Performance Art Coordinator



**Mahabubur Rahman Sujon** is a versatile artist known as the 'Hawker of Art' and was born in 1988 in Monpura, Bhola district, a coastal island of Bangladesh. He grew up in rural nature among the streams and dreamed of becoming an artist since childhood. He has completed his BFA from Narayanganj Fine Arts Institute and his MFA from the University of Development Alternative (UODA), Dhaka. He trained in Kottok Dance at the Bangladesh Academy of Fine Arts (BAFA) and Japanese Language course from the Institute of Modern Languages Department (IML) of the University of Dhaka. He engaged in multi-dimensional art practice, including acting in film and theatre, choreography, design, photography, and make-up. He is a well-known performance artist in

the country and abroad. Sujon Mahbub founded the Bangladesh Performance Art Group in 2020. He achieved the Best Young Artist Award in Performance Art at the national level. Currently, he is working as an Assistant Director (Exhibition and Program) in the Fine Arts Department of Bangladesh Shilpkala Academy under the Ministry of Culture, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh. He coordinates the Asian Art Biennale (Performance Art), National Art Exhibition, Young Artist Art Exhibition, National Sculpture Exhibition, Mitsubishi Asian Children's Enikki Festa, Art Appreciation Course and National Children and Youth Painting Competition. He has run circus events for the public with the performance of the acrobatic team across the country. He was assigned to drama therapy to keep the children healthy at the Rohingya camp. During the Corona pandemic, he coordinated artists across the country in art practice under the title 'Art Against Corona'.



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