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INTRODUCTION: Ahmed Mater Al-Ziad Aseeri is a multi media artist, poet and founder member of the Almuftaha Artists group in Abha. His powerful and ground-breaking series of 'X-Ray paintings' place him at the center of an emerging group of young artists from Southern Saudi Arabia. As a practicing doctor working in Abha's public hospital Ahmed's approach has been "evidence based and influenced by a direct experience of the world".



Paintings



Title: X-Ray 1, 2003

Dimensions: 135cm x 105cm

Medium: mixed media and x-ray film.

"This painting explores the confusion in the identity of mankind in the contemporary world. The x-ray, sitting on top of a deep, layered background of medical text and expressive paint, represents an objective view of the individual, chosen to provoke a familiar response."



Title: X-Ray 2, 2003

Dimensions: 105cm x 105cm

Medium: mixed media and x-ray film.



Title: X-Ray 3, 2003

Dimensions: 135cm x 105cm

Medium: mixed media and x-ray film.



Title: X-Ray 4, 2003

Dimensions: 135cm x 105cm

Medium: mixed media and x-ray film.