KNARIK BOYAJYAN

CRAFTSWOMAN / DESIGNER / WORKSHOP LEADER

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ABOUT MYSELF

I'm passionate about art and upcycling. I love to travel the world and learn about new cultural values and include them in my personal project. I'm 26 years old female from Yerevan, Armenia. In 2016 I settled with my husband in Beirut, Lebanon and life is been really interesting. I'm weaving Carpets, experimental rugs, drawing, experiencing digital illustration, leading carpet

I'm looking forward to expand my horizon in arts and my goal for next year is to do my own exhibition in Beirut. Reflecting my 2 years work/stay in Beirut.

EDUCATION

2007-2010

Carpet Weaving

Kvand Carpet Weaving School

2010-2014

Business Management

Armenian State University of Economics

2014-2017

Graphic Designer

State Academy of Fine Arts of Armenia

SKILLS

ΗΙΜΔΝ

Interacting with people Love to teach Love to learn Passionate about experiences Leading Workshops

TECHNICAL

Photoshop Illustrator Digital Painting

MANUAL

Crafts Carpet Weaving Painting **Designing Bags**



REFERENCE

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Robert Saghir robert@biciklet.co UI / UX Designer +961 81 744 467

EXPERIENCE

2014-2016

ARTBRIDGE

While I was still studying I worked as Bookstore keeper & Barista at Artbridge, Yerevan.

2016-

JANPROUK

Janprouk is the brand me and my husband created to reflect my crafts. I started with weaving carpets & experimental rugs and turning the carpets into usefull gadgets.

You can find my work at

www.janprouk.com

2016-

BICIKLET

I'm the illustrator/Designer in this studio created by my husband and I. We usually do Graphic design / Animation.

2016-

CARPET WEAVING WORKSHOPS

As much as I love exploring cultures and meeting new people that have different perspective than me, with the help of my husband, We decided to start carpet weaving workshop in Beirut. I have lead several workshops throughout my stay in Beirut. I have worked with several groups of different ages & ethnicities.

I did several workshops for kids & teenagers and the results were fantastic and mostly I was working with adults that were interested in this art.

Important Insights

I lead a workshop in collaboration with the **United Nation**. We helped 12 helpless woman to learn carpet weaving in order to work and earn their living. This workshop was in 2017.

April 24 2017

We initiated a new program to teach the upcoming generation the art of weaving Armenian Carpets. The workshop was lead by me at Badquer.

You can find details about my workshops on www.facebook.com/janproukbags