



## Gela Philauri

**Date of Birth:** May 8, 1961.  
**Place of Birth:** Gori, Georgia.

**Education:** M. S. Tuganov Arts professional School, Tskhinvali (1976 - 1980).  
The Tbilisi State Academy of Arts, Graphic Art (1981-1987).

**Specialty:** Graphic Artist.

Since 1986 - member of USSR Young Artist's Union.  
Since 2012 - member of Georgian Artist's Union.  
Since 2012 - member of National Creative Unity of Georgian Artists.  
Since 2015 - member of IWS (International Watercolor Society) Georgia.  
Since 2017 - partnership in Circle Foundation for the Arts, Lyon, France.  
Since 2017 - member of Georgian Art Guild.

1981 – 2000 - Cooperation with the state publishing houses,  
since 2000 - periodic cooperation with private publishing houses,  
Artist – illustrator.

**Awards:** Gold Medal in the REALISM category (International Fine Arts Exhibit  
«ART CLASH», New York Realism Online Gallery, New York City, USA, 2016).

**Certificates and Diplomas** (Albania, USA, England, Switzerland, Russia, France).

**Solo and group exhibitions** – from 1981 to the present day  
(in detail look on the website [www.damenia-philauri.com](http://www.damenia-philauri.com)).

**Part of the works are in private and public collections in many countries of the world.**

