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**THE SPACE BETWEEN US**  
**A Journey to 21 Countries over 5 Continents**

The First Solo Exhibition by Photographer  
& Founder of Pursuit of Portraits Saunak Shah

*This photo gallery will celebrate Saunak's work to 21 countries across 5 continents showcasing diversity and inclusivity across all races and cultures, minorities, gender equality and the LGBTQ community.*



*The Space Between Us* features travel and portrait photographer Saunak Shah, founder of Pursuit of Portraits; a NYC based collective representing diverse global creatives.

**Saunak Shah** is fueled by a desire to celebrate diversity and inclusivity across race, gender, socio-economic status and the LGBTQ community. From November 2017 through November 2018, Saunak journeyed to Vietnam, China, Thailand, Malaysia, India, Indonesia, Singapore, Spain, Morocco, Portugal, United States, South Africa, Kenya, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, and Cuba, creating a global network of over **50 million** people.

*The Space Between Us* showcases individuals of all backgrounds captured by Saunak as he traveled throughout these countries. Through his art and organized events, Saunak brings the creative community together by bridging the gap between online and in-person connections, fostering positive relationships, providing a platform and visibility for emerging artists, and sharing stories that empower and influence creatives globally.

Here are some photos from “**The Space Between Us**” collection: [Click Here >](#)



**Parasol Projects** is a full-service pop up agency providing short term rental spaces and production throughout SoHo and Lower East Side. Parasol Projects space, 171 Elizabeth, is where *The Space Between Us* will take place from July 4 to July 7, 2019.

Learn more about Parasol Projects at <https://parasolprojects.com>

Download the file of *The Space Between Us* flyer: [Click here.](#)

To access the free RSVP, to learn about giveaways of Saunak’s work, and to view more information about *The Space Between Us*, visit the [EventBrite Link.](#)

**Saunak Shah** is an Indian-born, New York City-based portrait photographer and art director. His work focuses on the underlying narrative of people and the environments they live in. Saunak quit his full-time job as Global Associate Design Director at IBM iX to go on *The Global Pursuit*, where he has crossed boundaries farther than continents to connect beyond color, judgement, or bias.

Learn more about Saunak here: <http://www.saunakspace.com/about/>

Instagram: <http://instagram.com/saunakspace>

Saunak’s headshot can be found here: [Saunak Shah Headshot](#)

**Pursuit of Portraits** is a global creative collective that unites portrait photographers and enthusiasts of all skill levels and backgrounds, facilitates collaboration, and fosters supportive

relationships. PoP platforms include the [Instagram account](#), a biannual print magazine, and small to large scale photography-centered events & meet-ups. The Instagram community has grown to **245k followers** with over **7 million** photos shared through *#pursuitofportraits*.

You can learn more at: [www.pursuitofportraits.com](http://www.pursuitofportraits.com)

Instagram: [www.instagram.com/pursuitofportraits](https://www.instagram.com/pursuitofportraits)

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**The Global Pursuit** is a collection of photographs and stories from the journey across 5 continents and over 21+ countries in 1 year, furthering the mission of [Pursuit of Portraits](#). Fueled by a desire to embrace diversity and celebrate inclusivity, Saunak produces The Global Pursuit; a movement using social media and digital influence to positively impact and support all races and cultures, minorities, gender equality, the LGBTQ community, and all lifestyles, through the Pursuit of Portraits platforms.

See **The Global Pursuit** at: <http://www.pursuitofportraits.com/the-global-pursuit/>

*“Every Pursuit meet is a promise that fuels our shared interests forward; the promise to support creatives from all backgrounds and experiences. At Pursuit, we take pride in hosting events that positively impact the community at large. We measure impact in humanity, not in likes alone. With over 60+ models that were represented at “Pursuit of Love”, it is a testament that showcases cultural diversity at a single event and the reason why people (and brands alike) are attracted to a pop meet because of what sets us apart”,* says **Saunak Shah, Founder of Pursuit of Portraits.**

Source: <http://www.pursuitofportraits.com/news/2019/2/21/pursuit-of-love>

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