

the singapore show future proof

14 January – 15 April
2012

Singapore Art Museum at 8Q
222 Queen Street
SAM Front Lawn
The Substation

PROGRAMMES

Artists In Conversation: Geographies of the Mind

Artists Donna Ong, Charles Lim, Robert Zhao and Shah Rizzal each deal with specific aspects of urban and political geography in their work: from the fragility and sadness of the city, to the multiplicity of perspectives and the exploration of ideas involving place and home. Join them in a discussion about these issues that pervade their work.

Fri, 10 Feb | 7.30pm – 8.30pm
Programme Space, SAM at 8Q

Free admission. Registration required.
Please email nhb_sam_programs@nhb.gov.sg.

Since the birth of contemporary practice in Singapore, signalled by the formation of The Artists Village, 5th Passage and the landmark exhibition, *Trimurti*, artists here have been exploring various genres of creative work – from sculpture and paintings to performance art, site-specific installations to graphic design and interactive media.

The Singapore Show: Future Proof presents artworks from young artists whose innovative and unique practices have generated attention and accolades in various art circles. Their artistic ventures take place from streets to galleries; their concerns local to geopolitical; their material both found and acquired. With strong, consistent and resilient presence in the local as well as international contemporary art scenes, these motivated youth have enlivened Singapore's art landscape and can be considered to be amongst those to look out for today.

Artist Tour and Workshop: Speak Cryptic

Drawing inspiration from ancient Roman columns depicting military victories, street artist Speak Cryptic's stairwell murals at SAM at 8Q draw a fascinating narrative of everyday life in Singapore. Join Speak Cryptic as he shares his stories at *The Singapore Show: Future Proof* and take part in an exciting zine-making workshop.

Sat, 18 Feb | 2pm – 4pm | SAM at 8Q
\$12 (includes admission to the exhibition).
Limited spaces. Tickets available at SAM and SISTIC.
For ticket availability at the door, please call
SISTIC hotline 6348 5555.

Artists

Ang Sookoon
Angela Chong
Genevieve Chua
Chun Kaifeng
Clog 2
Gerald Leow
Charles Lim
Lynn Lu
Mojoko+Eric Foenander
Dawn Ng
Francis Ng
Donna Ong
Ruben Pang
:phunk studio and
Keiichi Tanaami
Rizman Putra
Bruce Quek
Ryf
Shah Rizzal
Speak Cryptic
Grace Tan and Randy Chan
Melissa Tan
Vertical Submarine
Andree Weschler
Joel Yuen
Robert Zhao

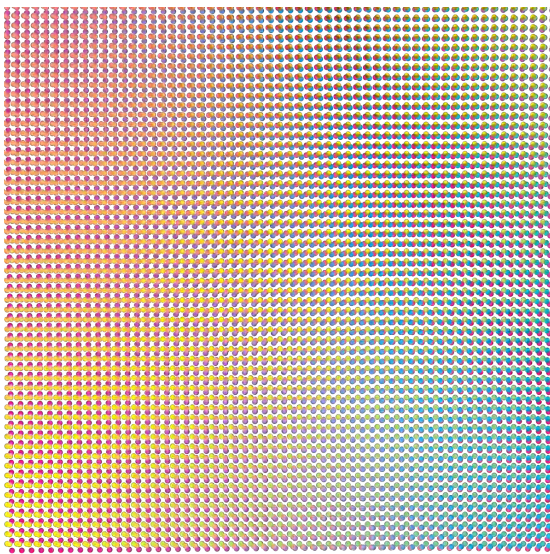
Curator Tour

What does it mean to be a young artist in Singapore? SAM senior curator, Khairuddin Hori, takes visitors on a tour of *The Singapore Show: Future Proof* and addresses some of the challenges faced by young and emerging contemporary artists in Singapore.

Wed, 22 Feb | 7:30 – 8:30pm | SAM at 8Q
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The Singapore Show: Future Proof is a parallel event of *Art Stage Singapore 2012*.

Presented at SAM at 8Q with SAM-commissioned installations at 222 Queen Street, SAM Front Lawn and The Substation. The public installations are supported by the National Heritage Board's Precinct Development Unit.



VISITOR INFORMATION

Singapore Art Museum at 8Q
8 Queen Street | Singapore 188535

222 Queen Street | Singapore 188550
SAM Front Lawn | 71 Bras Basah Road |
Singapore 189555

The Substation | 45 Armenian Street |
Singapore 179936

General Enquiries: 6332 3200
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Museum admission applies.
Open daily 10am to 7pm (last admission at 6.15pm), until 9pm on Fridays.
Free admission every Friday from 6pm to 9pm.

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Asian Contemporary Art
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Artist Presentations

Immerse yourself in an exciting line-up of artist presentations at the opening weekend of *The Collectors Show*, and take a closer look at the fascinating and unusual works of Asian contemporary art that collectors from around the world have added to their collection.

Sat, 14 Jan | 2pm | Glass Hall, SAM
Complimentary with purchase of admission ticket.
Registration required. Please e-mail
nhb_sam_programs@nhb.gov.sg.

The Collectors Show: Chimera brings together notable works of Asian contemporary art from 21 private collections around the world. A tribute to the art patrons of today, the exhibition offers an insight into the breadth and remarkable richness of private art collections, and the unique and highly personal visions and passions that shape them.

Titled *Chimera*, a deliberately evocative word that references both the mythological hybrid monster and the idea of an illusion, fantasy, or delusion, the exhibition presents contemporary art in all its various and hybrid forms, from painting to sculpture, to new media and interactive multi-media. The works selected eschew conventional spectacle in favour of a reflection on vision and visuality, offering up visually seductive surfaces tinged with undercurrents of anxiety. These artworks remind us of the spectres of our age – questions and issues which continue to haunt us and test our judgement at every turn and corner of our new millennium.

Curator Tour

Join SAM curator, Tan Siuli, as she shares her thoughts on the artworks which, while beguiling on the surface, reveal deep-seated anxieties that speak of our contemporary condition.

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Featured Collections

Shirish Apte	Rubell
ASAL Collection	Family Collection
Burger Collection	Leo Shih
Lito and	Dr George Soo
Kim Camacho	Arif Suherman
Chen Rong Chuan	Taguchi Art
Marcel Crespo	Collection
Hara Museum	Dr Andreas Teoh
of Contemporary	Tiroche-DeLeon
Art	Collection &
Amrita Jhaveri	Art Vantage Ltd
Lee Jae-Hwan	Hugh Young
Paulino and	Other private
Hetty Que	collections

Featured Artists

Hamra Abbas	Takashi Murakami
Sheba Chhachhi	Donna Ong
Alfredo Esquillo Jr	Rashid Rana
Patricia Eustaquio	Raqib Shaw
Bharti Kher	Yasmin Sison
Tomoko Konoike	Tabaimo
Yayoi Kusama	Tromarama
Lee Yong Baek	Entang Wiharso
Li Hui	Yee I-Lann
Lin Tianmiao	

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First Love: Collectors in Conversation

Take part in an informal sharing session as art collectors talk about the first work of art they collected and whether—and how—their tastes have changed since then.

Fri, 3 Feb | 7.30pm – 8.30pm | Glass Hall, SAM
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