

✓ Editor's pick

## ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

### EXHIBITIONS

#### 3812 Gallery

Mon-Fri, 10.30am-7.30pm;  
Sat, 11am-5pm, G/F-3/F,  
118 Queen's Rd West, Sai Ying Pun.  
Inquiries: 2153 3812  
✓ Interbeing  
In his finely detailed landscape paintings, Lin Guocheng explores the relationship between all beings in the universe. Ends Aug 31

#### A22 Gallery

Tue-Sun, 1pm-9pm, 20 Gage St, Central. Inquiries: 2395 5198  
Wild & Free  
Bao Ho, Hom Nguyen and others explore the freedom of creativity and limitless boundaries, via works in a variety of media. Ends Sept 2

#### Asian Fine Arts

Mon-Sat, 10am-6pm (closed holidays), 21/F Lyndhurst Tower, 1 Lyndhurst Terrace, Central. Inquiries: 2526 1091  
✓ Desiring: Post 97 Hong Kong Ink Art  
Explore the evolution of ink art in the city before and after the 1997 handover, in this show curated by Eric Leung and Daphne King. Artists include Man Fung-yi, Kum Cheung and Hui Hoi-kiu. Ends Aug 31

#### Art Experience Gallery

Mon-Sat, 11am-6pm (closed holidays), Rm 2009, 20/F Cable TV Tower, 9 Hoi Shing Rd, Tuen Wan. Inquiries: 2110 9928  
First Smash 4  
Five up-and-coming local artists – Chan Oi-yun, Chang Yue-lam, Hung Ching-yan, Leung Mong-sum and Vera Chiu (painting) – showcase their works for the first time at a local commercial gallery. Various media, including painting, printmaking and photography, will be on display. Opening reception Aug 26, 3pm-6pm (artists attending). Ends Sept 23

#### Art Projects Gallery

Mon-Sat, 11am-6pm, Unit 17A, 17/F Regency Centre Phase 2, 43 Wong Chuk Hang Rd, Aberdeen. Inquiries: 2523 5688  
Intertwine  
Malaysian artist Chong Ai Lei makes her solo debut with two series that explore the human subconscious and the act of introspection. Opening reception Aug 26, 4pm-6pm (artist attending). Ends Oct 7

#### Blindspot Gallery

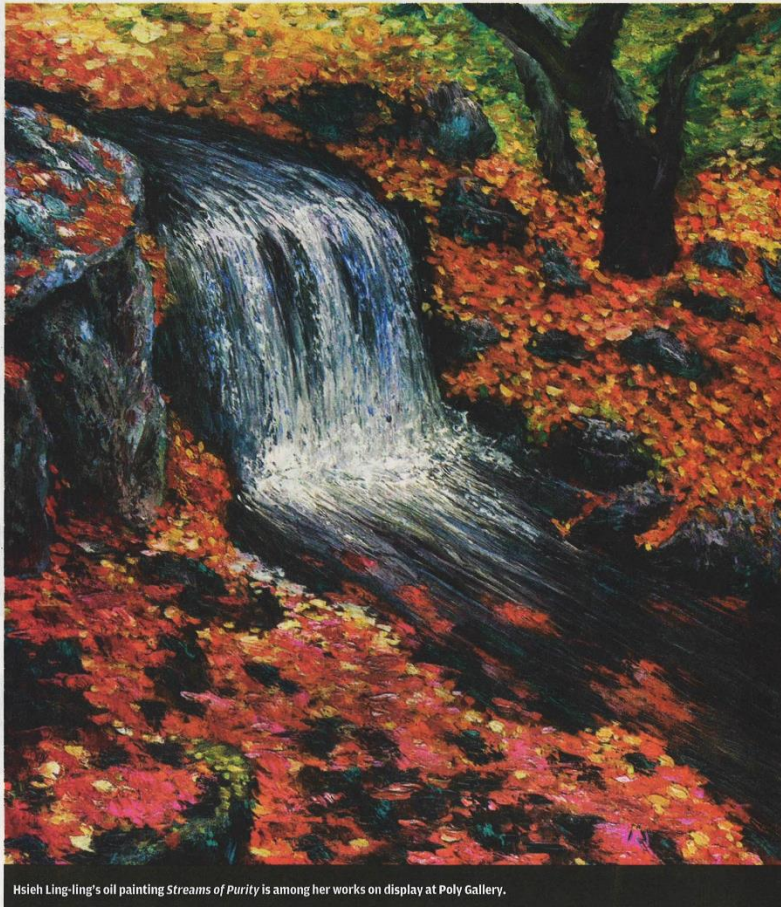
Tue-Sat, 10am-6pm, 15/F Po Chai Bldg, 28 Wong Chuk Hang Rd, Aberdeen. Inquiries: 2517 6238  
Happily Ever After  
Ten recent arts graduates from Hong Kong universities display works in a variety of media, including photos and installations. Participants include Chan Yuen-kiu and Cheng Yin-ngan. Ends Aug 26

#### Flagstaff House Museum of Tea Ware

Mon, Wed-Sun, 10am-6pm, 10 Cotton Tree Dr, Central. Inquiries: 2869 0690  
2016 Tea Ware by Hong Kong Potters  
Features 116 items, created by 93 local potters, that were entered into the museum's annual ceramics competition. Ends Jan 31

#### Gallery Edit

Tue-Sat, 11am-6pm (closed



Hsieh Ling-ling's oil painting *Streams of Purity* is among her works on display at Poly Gallery.

holidays), 3/F, 25 Hing Wo St, Tin Wan, Aberdeen. Inquiries: 2541 1299  
Plunging My Hand into the Lake of Billowing Trees  
Group show of new works by local artists Carla Chan, Yin Cheng, Jeremy Fung and Gavin Yip. Reception Aug 26, 4pm-7pm. Ends Sept 23

#### Galerie Ora-Ora

Mon-Fri, 10am-7pm; Sat, 11am-5pm, 7 Shin Hing St, Central. Inquiries: 2851 1171  
Twist/Turn  
Halley Cheng takes a political tone with his fragmented images that tackle themes including unity (or its absence) between Hong Kong and China. Reception Aug 24, 6pm-8pm. Ends Sept 16

#### Giant Year Gallery

Mon-Thu, noon-7pm; Fri-Sat,

11am-7pm (closed holidays), Shop H, 186 Hollywood Rd, Sheung Wan. Inquiries: 2549 4011  
Why Not Start Again  
Kurt Chan incorporates "erasing and shaping" techniques in his digital prints, which are displayed alongside ceramic pieces, in order to explore the immediacy and intimacy of creation. Ends Sept 8

#### Hanart T2 Gallery

Mon-Fri, 10am-6.30pm; Sat, 10am-6pm (closed holidays), 401 Pedder Bldg, 12 Pedder St, Central. Inquiries: 2526 9019  
✓ Painting at 90  
Works by nonagenarian Gaylord Chan that date back to the 1990s and include his early oil paintings, more recent digital paintings and laser-cut wooden works. Ends Sept 9

#### Hong Kong Museum of History

Mon-Fri, 10am-6pm; Sat-Sun and holidays, 10am-7pm (closed Tue except holidays), Special Exhibition Gallery and 1/F Main Lobby, 100 Chatham Rd South, TST, HK\$20 (half price on Wed). Inquiries: 2724 9042  
Longevity and Virtues: Birthday Celebrations of the Qing Emperors and Empress Dowagers  
Features 210 sets of articles, on loan from The Palace Museum in Beijing and associated with the birthday celebrations of Dowager Chongqing (mother of Qianlong), Emperor Jiaqing and Empress Dowager Cixi. Ends Oct 9

#### Osage Gallery

Mon-Sat, 10.30am-6.30pm (closed holidays), 4/F Union Hing Yip Factory Bldg, 20 Hing Yip St, Kwun Tong. Inquiries: 2389 8332

#### Music, Mathematics and Metaphysics

Beijing-based Li Xinping combines the abstract concepts inherent in maths and music, such as tone, pitch and rhythm, in his classically inspired paintings. Ends Aug 31

#### Over the Influence

Tue-Sat, 11am-7pm, 1/F, 159 Hollywood Road Central. Inquiries: 2617 9829  
Fast Taste  
Catherine Grossrieder's 15 new works are inspired by fast-food culture and feature her signature humour and surrealism. Ends Aug 31

#### Pace Gallery

Tue-Sat, 11am-7pm, 15C Entertainment Bldg, 30 Queen's Rd Central. Inquiries: 2608 5065  
✓ Sui Jiaqiao  
After almost a decade, the Chinese

conceptual artist returns to the city for this solo show, featuring works on paper and early sculptures from his "Earp Force" series. Ends Aug 24

#### Poly Gallery

Mon-Sun, 10am-6pm, 7/F One Pacific Place, 88 Queensway, Admiralty. Inquiries: 2303 9899  
✓ Purity  
Taiwanese actress/artist Hsieh Ling-ling presents 30 oil paintings that use bold colours, neat brushwork and clear compositions, created since 2011. Opens Aug 28. Ends Sept 3

#### Puerta Roja

Tue-Sat, 11am-7pm, 1/F Soho Art Lane, 189 Queen's Rd West, Sheung Wan. Inquiries: 2803 0332  
✓ Collectors Cabinet  
Works in a variety of media by contemporary artists representing Latin American and Spanish art. Participating artists include Carlos Cruz-Diez, Hector Velazquez and Irene Dubrovsky. Ends Aug 31

#### Sansiao Gallery

Mon-Fri, 11am-7pm, Rooms 104-105 Wilson House, 19-27 Wyndham St, Central. Inquiries: 2586 1018  
Memento  
The gallery's debut show, with works in a variety of media by international artists intent on capturing the beauty of the female form. Participating artists include Valasse Ting, Rupert J. Smith and Sid Avery. Ends Aug 31

#### Sin Sin Fine Art

Mon-Sat, 9.30am-6.30pm (closed public holidays), 52 Sai St, Central. Inquiries: 2858 5072  
Path  
Works by French-Colombian Pablo Posada Pernikoff and Frenchman Vincent Cazeu (aka Wensen Qi), who explore material forms and how they help shape ideas and emotions. Ends Sept 16

#### Sun Museum

Tue-Sat, 10am-6pm, 4/F, SML Tower, 165 Hoi Bun Rd, Kwun Tong. Inquiries: 2690 6790  
Celestial Cases:  
Antique Boxes of China  
A total of 87 boxes made of materials ranging from ivory to silver to gold and lacquer from nine private collections are on hand for the public to view. Highlights include a wooden box from the late Ming dynasty, along with another piece from the Qing dynasty. Inquiries: 2690 6790

#### Swing A Cat Gallery

Wed-Sun, 3pm-8pm, 241 To Kwa Wan Rd, To Kwa Wan. Inquiries: 9378 8614  
We Are the Roll Bros  
Hong Kong-raised, UK-based Pearl Law showcases a series of lighthearted illustrations based on a tribe of men with different kinds of food for hair. Ends Sept 24

#### University Museum and Art Gallery

Mon-Sat, 9.30am-6pm; Sun, 1pm-6pm (closed holidays), University of HK, 1/F TT Tsi Bldg, 90 Bonham Rd, Pok Fu Lam. Inquiries: 2241 5500  
Hong Kong in Ink and Colour  
A survey of Chinese ink, watercolour and oil paintings of Hong Kong

scenes, spanning the last 50 years, from the gallery's collection created by local artists and from donated pieces. Participating artists include Luk Kwok-yuen and Kan May-tin. Ends Aug 27  
Ying Tianqi: What Remains in Ruins  
Ying questions the dismantling of historic places such as Wuhu city and Xidi village in Anhui province, with mixed-media works, an installation and a video projection. Ends Aug 27

### AROUND TOWN

#### Cantopop Is Good Stuff!

A tribute to all things Canto-pop, with a range of items on display, including album covers, photos and artefacts relating to some of the biggest names in the local music scene. Until Sept 10, Daily, 10am-10pm, G/F Times Square, 1 Matheson St, Causeway Bay. Inquiries: 2118 8900

#### Hong Kong Pulse Light Show

The HK Tourism Board presents a recurring eight-minute light show with 3D projections, music and sound effects. Until Sept 2, Nightly, 8.20pm, 8.40pm, 9pm, 9.20pm, 9.40pm. Cultural Centre Open Piazza, 10 Salisbury Rd, TST, free. Inquiries: 2508 1234

#### International Design Furniture Fair

Themed "Redefining Luxury", this year's fair features talks, exhibitions and gallery showcases by world-class designers and architects such as William Lim. Aug 25, noon-9pm (VIP only, with three-day ticket package); Aug 26-27, 11am-7pm, Hall 3E, Convention and Exhibition Centre, 1 Expo Dr, Wan Chai. HK\$190 (one-day ticket for Aug 26 or Aug 27); HK\$280 (two-day ticket, Aug 26-27); HK\$380 (three-day ticket). HK Ticketing. Inquiries: 2392 9808

#### Heat Wave Pool Party

Indoor pool party with live music, performances and games. Includes entry to the 11pm after-party at Woobar, W Hong Kong, Aug 26, 8pm, Wet Pool, 76/F W Hong Kong, 1 Austin Rd West, Kowloon West. HK\$380-HK\$1,288 Ticketapp. Inquiries: 3717 2783

#### Downtown Cocktails

Sample cocktails from more than 20 bars in and around Chater Garden. Also includes workshops, live music and competitions. Participants include Honi Honi TKI Cocktail Lounge, The Woods, Brics, Sept 8-10, 11am-11pm, HK\$190 (11am-5pm or 5pm-11am) goo.gl/24FgVB; HK\$180 (door). Inquiries: 2677 7903

#### Beertopia

The city's biggest craft beer festival returns with more than 500 beers from around the world, plus live music, food and games. Sept 22-23, noon-11pm, Central Harbourfront Event Space, Central, HK\$235-HK\$355 (single day), HK\$445 (two-day) goo.gl/GcTSw9. Inquiries: info@beertopiahk.com