

Julia Hung / Yu-Wen Hung

Julia Hung, born in Taipei in 1986, is an artist whose multicultural upbringing breathes life into both her identity and her art. Her creations exhibit an ever-changing quality, reminiscent of water, effortlessly transcending boundaries and forms while retaining their intrinsic essence. This fluidity mirrors her diverse perspective and embraces the profound Taoist philosophy of interdependence and interchangeability.

With a Bachelor of Design degree from OCAD University and a Master of Fine Arts degree from HEAD - Genève, Hung seamlessly blends traditional techniques with various mediums to explore alternative modes of thinking and creating art. The resulting microcosm boldly ventures beyond societal norms and cultural barriers.

In 2017, Hung emerged as a finalist for the "New Heads - Fondation BNP Paribas Art Award", and her works have been acquired by Artvera's gallery. Recognitions include being a grantee of Asian Cultural Council's New York Fellowship program in 2024, finalist in the "Taoyuan Fine Arts Exhibition" in 2023 and runner-up in the "Pingtung Fine Art Award" in 2020.

Her diverse portfolio encompasses the collection of King Car Cultural & Educational Foundation and several permanent public artworks, such as a recent suspension sculpture gracing the lobby of t.Hub Taipei and Hotel Indigo Alishan. Hung has conducted solo exhibitions in Taiwan and participated in group exhibitions in Europe and Canada. In recent years, she has gained recognition as a rising talent in Asia.

Julia (Yu-Wen) Hung

1986, born and based in Taipei

EDUCATION

- 2016 MASTER OF ART HES-SO IN FINE ART, WORK.MASTER - CONTEMPORARY ARTIST
PRACTICE, HEAD, GENEVA
- 2012 BACHELOR OF DESIGN, ILLUSTRATION, OCAD UNIVERSITY, TORONTO

SOLO EXHIBITION

- 2023 *Untamed*, Soka Art, Tainan
- 2021 *An Unusual Knot*, Hiro Hiro Art Space, Taipei
- 2021 *The Miscellaneous of Being and Living*, New Taipei City Arts Center, Taipei
- 2020 *Will Looped*, The Art Space by the Studio, Taipei
- 2015 *CAPRICE - Eggspectation*, KO Art | Cafe | Life, Taipei
- 2012 *Cupicle*, Chococrepe, Toronto

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITION / COLLABORATION

- 2024 *Airy Disk*, River Art Gallery, Taichung
- Taipei Dangdai*, Taipei Nangang Exhibition Center, Taipei
- Voices*, POPOP Taipei, Taipei
- 2023 *FIABCN 2023 — CAC Virtual Gallery*, Museu Marítim de Barcelona, Barcelona
- Art Taipei 2023*, Taipei World Trade Center Exhibition Hall 1, Taipei
- Art Osaka 2023*, Osaka City Central Public Hall, Osaka City
- Forestry Island Eco Art Festival 2023*, Pingtung
- New Balance Grey Day 2023*, Taipei
- Similarities: Co-exhibition of 6 Artists*, San Gallery, Tainan
- 2022 *The Seedin Lab - Ocean*, The Seedin Lab, Taipei
- Art Taipei 2022*, Taipei World Trade Center Exhibition Hall 1, Taipei

- Wonders & Wonderers* - Trends Art Window, Breeze Xin Yi, Taipei
- Artificial Phenomena*, American Express Centurion House, Regent Taipei (Hotel), Taipei
- 2021 *All Solo!*, Dadaocheng Project by Liang Gallery, OrigInn Space, Taipei
- 2020 *Pingtung Art Exhibition*, Pingtung Art Museum, Pingtung
- 2019 *Taiwan Lantern Festival*, Pingtung
- 2018 *Immortagram*, Element, Taipei
- 2017 *L'Oranger*, Art Genève, Palexpo, Geneva
- L'Oranger*, LIYH (LiveInYourHead Gallery), Geneva
- 2016 *Happy Silly Kids*, HEAD, Geneva
- Chantier Confort*, Le Confort Moderne, Poitiers
- A Recipe of No Recipe*, HEAD, Geneva
- 2014 *White Noise*, HEAD, Geneva
- Bourgeois Bore*, ISTITUTO SVIZZERO DI ROMA, Rome
- Eggspectation - Sunny Side Up*, HEAD, Geneva
- 2013 *Cupcake.Cliché.Fusion*, HEAD, Geneva
- 2012 *97th Annual OCAD Graduate Exhibition*, OCAD, Toronto

AWARD

- 2024 *Asian Cultural Council, New York Fellowship*, Grantee, New York
- 2023 *Taoyuan Fine Arts Exhibition* Finalist, Taoyuan
- 2020 *Pingtung Fine Art Award* Runner-up, Pingtung
- 2017 *New Heads - Fondation BNP Paribas Art Awards* Finalist, Geneva

COLLECTION / PUBLIC ART

King Car Cultural & Educational Foundation, Taipei

Artvera's Gallery, Geneva

Hon Hui Rui Guang CO., LTD., Taipei

Indigo Hotel Alishan, Chiayi

Jian Sushi Restaurant, Taipei

PUBLICATION / WRITING

2023 *Untamed*

2017 *L'Oranger (exhibition catalogue)*

2016 *Vrai de Vrai / Real de Real - In The Mood for Egg*

2016 *A Recipe of No Recipe*