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Solo Exhibitions

- 2019 SAD Info Days | Seoul Art Space Geumcheon, Seoul
- 2018 Stopping By Woods On A Snowy Evening | Videotage, Hong Kong
- 2016 There Is No Time | Hong-ti Art Center, Busan, Korea
- 2016 Piccoloministr. 316 | Goethe-Institut Hongkong, Hong Kong
- 2015 Flat D, 6/F, Aldrich Garden | Academy of Media Arts Cologne, Germany
- 2012 Sitcom | Observation Society, Guangzhou, China
- 2011 Memory Disorder | Gallery Exit, Hong Kong
- 2008 Anonymity - The Debut Solo Exhibition of Silas Fong | Artist Commune, Hong Kong

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2020 Booked: Tai Kwun Contemporary's Hong Kong Art Book Fair | Tai Kwun Contemporary, Hong Kong (Forthcoming)
- 2019 King Sejong and Music: Chihwapyeong | Presidential Archives, Sejong City, Korea
 - Make: Experiments in Art Making | Platform-L Contemporary Art Center, Seoul
 - Exit Strategies | H Queen's, Hong Kong
 - Booked: Tai Kwun Contemporary's Hong Kong Art Book Fair | Tai Kwun Contemporary, Hong Kong
- 2018 Once A God: The Myth of Future Refugees: Taehwa Eco-River Art Festival | Taehwa River Grand Park, Ulsan
 - The Day the Gods Stop Laughing | Duddell's Hong Kong
 - Housewarming | Better Than Company, Seoul
- 2017 Changsaengjeon | Jangsangpo Shinjin Inn, Ulsan
 - Up Close Yet Unfamiliar | AMC Lab, Seoul
 - Mark CHUNG, Silas FONG, Nicole WONG | Gallery Exit, Hong Kong
 - Folding / Unfolding: Mobile Photography Exhibition | HKBU AVA Kai Tak Campus, Hong Kong
 - Me: Millennials | K11, Hong Kong
 - Through the Lens | chi K11 Art Space, Hong Kong
 - Simultaneity - Reframing Hong Kong II | Redtory Museum of Contemporary Art, Guangzhou, China

- 2016 Time Test: International Video Art Research Exhibition | CAFA Art Museum, Beijing, China
- POST PiXEL.: Animamix Biennale 2016 | Run Run Shaw Creative Media Centre, Hong Kong
- Black Bile | 100 ft. PARK, Hong Kong
- Hazy Winter | Canton Gallery, Guangzhou, China
- 2015 Both Sides Now 2 – It was the Best of Times, it was the Worst of Times? | chi K11 art space, Hong Kong;
Ray Art Center, Shanghai, China
- 15 Invitations: a short history of the art book bag (and the things that go in them) | Asia Art Archive, Hong Kong
- The Shifting Territory | Museum of Contemporary Art, Taipei, Taiwan
- after/image | Pure Art Foundation, Hong Kong
- 2014 DIY Future - New Media Arts Exhibition | Hong Kong City Hall
- alle berichten darüber - documentary photography | Academy of Media Arts Cologne, Germany
- Looking at the Big Sky | National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2013 Cynetart International Festival for Computer Based Art | Festspielhaus Hellerau, Dresden, Germany
- Microwave International New Media Arts Festival 2013 | Hong Kong Film Archive, Hong Kong
- inToAsia: Time-based Art Festival 2013 – “MicroCities” | The NARS Foundation, New York, United States
- Moving on Asia: Towards a New Art Network 2004–2013 | City Gallery Wellington, Wellington, New Zealand
- Move on Asia Video Art in Asia 2002 to 2012 | Media Museum, ZKM, Karlsruhe, Germany
- 2012 Hong Kong Eye - Contemporary Hong Kong Art | Saatchi Gallery, London
- Move on Asia | Alternative Space Loop, Seoul, Korea
- Running on the Sidelines - Hong Kong New Media Art Exhibition | Soka Art Center, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2011 Video Art For All - International Video Art Festival 2011 | Orient Foundation, Paraca Luis De Camoes, Macau
- The 11th Seoul International New Media Festival | Media Theater i-Gong, Seoul, Korea
- The Order of Things | Netfilmmakers, Copenhagen, Denmark; Videotage, Hong Kong
- 2010 Liverpool Biennial 2010 Screening at LOOP | Alternative Space LOOP, Seoul, Korea
- Liverpool Biennial 2010: Media Landscape, Zone East | Contemporary Urban Centre, Liverpool, UK;
Korean Cultural Centre UK, London, UK
- Work in Spreading: Images of Circulation and Retranslation | Iberia Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
- Move On Asia 2010 Single Channel Video Art Festival (*Touring Exhibition*) | Para/Site Art Space, Hong Kong;
Tate Modern, London; Alternative Space LOOP, Seoul, Korea
- Art Taipei 2010 | Taipei World Trade Center, Taipei, Taiwan
- Hong Kong Contemporary Art Biennial Award 2009 | Hong Kong Museum of Art, Hong Kong
- 2009 Mirror Stage | Hong Kong Visual Arts Centre, Hong Kong
- a place changes as we look | agnes b.'s LIBRAIRIE GALERIE, Hong Kong
- This is Hong Kong (Touring Exhibition) | Kunsthalle Wien, Vienna, Austria; Kuandu Museum of Fine Arts,
Taipei, Taiwan; Map Office, Hong Kong; Casa Asia, Madrid, Spain; IFA Gallery, Berlin, Germany; East Side Projects
Birmingham, England; subvission. art. festival. off., subvission, Hamburg, Germany; Alternative Space Loop, Seoul,
Korea; LOOP Festival, Casa Asia, Barcelona, Spain

Artist Residencies and Exchange

- 2020 Cheongju Art Studio, Cheongju (Forthcoming)
- 2019 Seoul Art Space Geumcheon, Seoul
- 2018 Art Stay, Ulsan
- 2018 FUSE Residency, Videotage, Hong Kong
- 2016 Hong-ti Art Center, Busan, Korea
- 2016 Oi!, Hong Kong
- 2013 GlogauAir, Berlin, Germany
- 2011 Summercamp Electrified 2011, Timelab, Gent, Belgium
- 2010 City as Play: HK - Japan Cultural Exchange Programme
Co-organised by Osage Art Foundation and Museum of Contemporary Art Tokyo

Awards & Achievements

- 2015 Finalist, Media Art Category, The 20th Hong Kong Independent Short Film and Video Awards
- 2010 40 under 40, Perspective Magazine
- 2009 Young Artist Award, Hong Kong Contemporary Art Biennial Awards, Hong Kong Museum of Art
- 2009 Gold Award, Interactive Media Category, The 14th Hong Kong Independent Short Film and Video Awards
- 2008 Outstanding Work, Graduation Show, Academy of Visual Arts, Hong Kong Baptist University

Grant

- 2016 Emerging Artist Scheme, Hong Kong Arts Development Council
- 2016 Arts Development Fund (Cultural Exchange Project), Home Affairs Bureau, Hong Kong Government
- 2016 HKADC Delegation in Gwangju Biennale 2016, Hong Kong Arts Development Council
- 2013 Prof. Maiching Kao Fine Arts Fund, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Education

- 2013 - 2015 Class of Beate Gütschow, Media and Fine Art, Academy of Media Arts Cologne, Germany
- 2010 - 2012 Master of Fine Arts, Department of Fine Arts, Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2007 International exchange programme, International School for Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 2005 - 2008 Bachelor of Arts in Visual Arts, Academy of Visual Arts, Hong Kong Baptist University

Selected Publications

Vocabulary: Understanding Your Art Professor and Make Life Easier. Seoul, 2019, pp. 1-48.

Small Talk: Sample Conversations for Your Perfect Date and Successful Meeting. Hong Kong, 2018, pp. 1-100.

Stopping By Woods On A Snowy Evening. Hong Kong Arts Development Council, Hong Kong, 2018, pp. 1-40.

Timesheets. Artist book commissioned by Oil Street Art Space, Hong Kong, 2016, pp. 1-80.

Silas Fong: Works 2008-2016. Hong Kong Arts Development Council, Hong Kong, 2016, pp. 1-76.

20 Years of Goethe Gallery. Goethe Institut Hongkong, 2016, pp. 22-23.

POST PIXEL. Animamix Biennale. Exh. cat. Leisure and Cultural Services Department, Government of Hong Kong SAR, 2016, pp. 24-27.

Piccoloministr. 316. Exh. cat. Goethe Institut Hongkong, Hong Kong, 2016, pp. 1-16.

Time Test: International Video Art Research Exhibition. Exh. cat. CAFA Art Museum, Beijing, 2016, pp. 236.

Silas Fong: Sitcom. Exh. cat. Observation Society, Guangzhou, 2012, pp. 1-16.

Hong Kong Eye: Contemporary Hong Kong Art, Skira Editore S.p.A. , Milan, 2012.

Move on Asia. Exh. cat. Alternative Space LOOP, Seoul, 2012, pp. 62-63.

Media Landscape, Zone East. Exh. cat. Alternative Space LOOP, Seoul, 2010.

This is Hong Kong: 15 Video Artists, Para/Site Art Space , Hong Kong, 2010.

Work in Spreading: Images of Circulation and Retranslation, Timezone 8, Beijing, 2010.

Some Rooms. Exh. cat. Osage, Hong Kong 2009. 40-49.

Anonymity, Artist Commune, Hong Kong, 2009.

Preoccupations: Things Artists Do Anyway — 111 Artists Reveal Their Obsessions, Laiyan Projects & Studio Bibliotheque , Hong Kong, 2008

Teaching, Guest Lectures, Artist's Talk

2017-Present Assistant Professor, Department of Photography, College of Arts, Chung-Ang University, Seoul, Korea

2017 Guest Speaker, Artist's Talk, RAT School of Art, Seoul, Korea

2016 Tutor, Workshop (8 Sessions) – Book of Light and Show, Hong Kong Visual Arts Centre

2016 Speaker, Artist's Talk, Piccoloministr. 316, Goethe-Institut Hongkong

2013 Guest Speaker. Dept. of Cultural and Creative Arts, The Hong Kong Institute of Education

2012 Guest Speaker, Young Friends, Friends of the Art Museum, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

2012 NewNowNext – A Talk with Young Chinese Artists. Asia Art Pacific and Chambers Fine Arts of New York/Beijing

2012 Guest Speaker, Centre for the Arts, Student Affairs Office, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

2011 Guest Speaker, Portfolio Workshop. Visual Arts Axis, Academy of Visual Arts, Hong Kong Baptist University

2009 Guest lecturer and Workshops Hong Kong Visual Arts Centre

2009 Guest Speaker, Hong Kong Contemporary Art Biennial Awards, Hong Kong Museum of Art