

Lau Sze Man

劉詩敏



Lau Sze Man (b. 1995) obtained her B.A. degree in Fine Arts from the Chinese University of Hong Kong in 2017. Lau believes that painting can retain complex feelings that can rarely be described verbally. To her, painting is a methodological recording of some of her rawest emotions at the moment, like writing a diary, sometimes transfixed in the moment-to-moment spontaneous process. However, she also regards time, whether a day or month, as an essential guide to tell whether certain elements need to be subtracted in the canvas. The subtraction process not only allows her to deduce her complicated feelings but also blurs any concrete meaning or messages. As a result, what would remain are painterly abstractions that convey sensibility to the viewers. Apart from acrylic and oil paint, Lau's occasional utilization of school stationeries like tapes, sticky notes, graphite, and color pencils further implicate a methodological practice of visual journaling or note-taking. Since graduation, Lau has been active in the Hong Kong art scene and has exhibited with several established art hotspots, including K11 Art Space, 10 Chancery Lane Gallery, and ACO Art Space. She has also exhibited in institutions such as de Bierumer School in Groningen, Netherlands, and the Chinese University of Hong Kong, where she received several Fine Art awards.



劉詩敏於 1995 年在香港出生，於香港中文大學藝術系取得學士學位。劉氏認為繪畫可以保留語言難以描述的複雜情感。對她而言，繪畫是一個紀錄當下最原始情感的方法，就像寫日記一樣，有時會不由自主地沈浸在轉瞬間。但同時她也將時間，不論長短，都看作重要的指引，以此刪減畫布上的元素。做減法的過程不僅讓她轉化複雜的感情，而且也模糊一切確切的資訊。最後通過抽象的畫面來傳遞感覺。除了丙烯和油畫，劉氏偶爾會選取常見的學生文具如膠帶、便條、鉛筆以及彩鉛來創作，從而更細膩地紀錄感受。畢業後，劉氏一直活躍在香港藝壇，曾在多個著名的藝術場地包括K11藝術空間、10號贊善里畫廊和藝鵠舉辦展覽。劉氏也曾於荷蘭格羅寧根的de Bierumer 大學和香港中文大學展出作品，並獲得多個藝術獎項。

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Education

2017 B.A. Fine Arts, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Solo Exhibition

2021 Stone that Got Thrown in Didn't Hit the ground, ACO Art Space
(Causeway Bay, Hong Kong)

Selected Group Exhibition

- 2022 Once Upon, Soluna Fine Art (Sheung Wan, Hong Kong)
May the Art World Tear Us Apart Til We Meet Again, de Bierumer School (Groningen, Netherlands)
- 2017 HKFORWARD17, 10 Chancery Lane Gallery (Central, Hong Kong)
Fresh Trend 2017 Art Graduates Joint Exhibition, Chi K11 Art Space (Tsim Sha Tsui, Hong Kong)
Bad Bitches Say No Goodbye, The Art of CUHK 2017 Undergraduate Exhibition, Cheng Ming Building, New Asia College, CUHK (Shatin, Hong Kong)
- 2016 CLICHÉ Scenery, The Art of CUHK 2016 Undergraduate Exhibition, Cheng Ming Building, New Asia College, CUHK (Shatin, Hong Kong)
- 2015 Rayleigh Scattering, The Art of CUHK 2015 Undergraduate Exhibition, Cheng Ming Building, New Asia College, CUHK (Shatin, Hong Kong)

Selected Awards

- 2017 Y. S. Hui Fine Arts Award, Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2016 Gaylord Chan Painting Award, Chinese University of Hong Kong
Cheung's Fine Arts Award, Chinese University of Hong Kong

