

Su Yu-Xin

Su Yu-Xin (b. 1991, Hualien) considers painting as a place where multiple disciplines and various perceptual capacities intersect. Painters have always played a vital role in the visual art industry, and the medium of painting reflects the discovery and re-invention of the material world. Hence, paintings bear witness to the history of the exchange between cultures and nature and project the painter's role through wars and migrations; they manifest territorial invasions, restitutions, the exploitation of pigments and their trades. While the history of painting often emphasizes the stylistic evolution of image production, the technology of colour pigments also evolves contemporaneously. Su Yu-Xin collects, studies, and processes these color substances scattered on the earth's crust. From there, she invents a new order on the painting surface through drawing, compression, and accumulation. For her, such landscape painting is a geological practice of rearranging plants, minerals, organic and synthetic matters.

Su Yu-Xin holds an MFA degree from Slade School of Fine Art, UCL, and a BA in Ink Painting from Taipei National University of Arts. Recent solo exhibitions have been held at OCMA, USA (2025); Albion Jeune, UK (2024), Longlati Foundation, Shanghai (2023); List Art Fair Basel, Online (2020); and KuanDu Museum of Fine Art, Taipei (2019). Su has shown internationally in numerous group exhibitions including at Gagosian, Hong Kong (2023); Blum & Poe, Tokyo (2023); Beijing Biennial 2022, Beijing; Perrotin, Shanghai (2023); UCCA Dune, Beidaihe, (2021-2022); UCCA, Beijing (2020); and National Taiwan Museum of Fine Arts, Taichung (2018), among others. In 2020, Su received the Huayu Youth Award Nomination, China.

CV

Born 1991 in Taiwan.

Lives and works in Los Angeles, USA

EDUCATION

2016	MFA, Slade School of Fine Art, UCL, London, United Kingdom
2014	MFA, Taipei National University of The Arts (TNUA), Taipei City, Taiwan
2013	BFA, Taipei National University of The Arts (TNUA), Taipei City, Taiwan

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025	Searching the Sky for Gold, Orange County Museum, Costa Mesa, CA, USA
2024	Precious, Albion Jeune, London, UK
2023	Dust that Rides the Wind, Longlati Foundation, Shanghai, China
2020	Parallel Impressionism, List Art Fair Basel, Online
2019	A Hue to Spell, KuanDu Museum of Fine Art, Taipei, Taiwan



2020

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025	Why We Paint?, Art Matters, HangZhou, China
2024	Wan Hai Hotel, Rockbund Art Museum, Shanghai, China
	The Revenant, Dual Presentation with Madeln Gallery, Frieze Los Angeles, USA
	One and All: New Artistic Styles of Contemporary Painting, National Art Museum of China, Beijing
2023	New Moroism, White Cube, Hong Kong
	Uncanny Valley, Gagosian, Hong Kong
	Michael Ho, Su Yu-Xin, Hiroka Yamashita, Blum & Poe, Tokyo, Japan
	I Feel the Way You Feel, Perrotin, Shanghai, China
2022	Beijing Biennial 2022, Beijing, China
2021	A Higher Calling, White Space Beijing, Beijing, China
	The Rearview Landscape, or a Trip of Ownership, UCCA Dune, Beidaihe, China
2020	Let Painting Talk, Taikang Space, Beijing, China
	A Long Hello, UCCA, Beijing, China
2019	Almost No Memory, Madein Gallery, Shanghai, China
	hic sunt leones, 798 Art Centre, Beijing, China
2018	Taiwan Biennial- Wild Rhizome, National Taiwan Museum of Fine Arts,
	Taichung, Taiwan
	Building Code Violation III, Special Economic Zone, Long March Space,
	Beijing, China
2016	Trembling Surfaces, Long March Space, Beijing, China
AWARDS	

Huayu Youth Award Nomination, China



EVENTS & PUBLICATIONS

2021 Let Painter Talk, Published by Taikang Space

2020 Artist Talk "How to be both" at Shanghai Institute of Visual Arts

2017 Artist lecture "Wet thought on dry images" at Taipei National University of Fine

Arts, Taipei

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

CC Foundation

Domus Collection

G Museum, Nanjing

Long Museum

Longlati Foundation

M Art Foundation

M Woods Museum

Minsheng Art Museum, Beijing

Orange County Museum of Art