

Eric Jiaju Lee

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EDUCATION

- 1999 M.F.A. Painting Hunter College, City University of New York
1996 B.A. Studio Art City College of New York, City University of New York, *summa cum laude*

AWARDS, GRANTS, RESIDENCIES

- 2006 Red Gate Residency Program, Beijing, China
MTA Arts for Transit finalist for New York City J,Z line station commission
2004 – 2006 Newark Museum Artist In Residence
2002 AT&T and Chinese American Arts Council Achievement Award
1996 James R. Steers Prize in Art, City College of New York
College Art Association Protégé Travel Grant
1995 Therese Ralston McCabe Connor Award, City College of New York
Fitzgerald Bynoe Scholarship, City College of New York
Dean's Prize in Art, City College of New York

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2006 *Eric Jiaju Lee: Beijing to Brooklyn*, Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ
2004 *Inscapes*, Domo Gallery, Summit, NJ
2002 *Suchness*, Gallery 456, New York, NY
Eric Jiaju Lee, SHMLRC Visual Arts Gallery, County College Of Morris, Randolph, NJ

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2007 *domo@domo*, DOMO Gallery, Summit, NJ
2006 *U8*, SOPA Fine Arts, Kelowna, BC, Canada
2005 *Selected Artists*, SOPA Fine Arts, Kelowna, BC, Canada
For Art's Sake, Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ
From Chinatown With Love, Cork Gallery, Lincoln Center, New York, NY
2004 *First Look*, Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ
2004 *Cell: A Mobile Exhibition*, RIDER Project, Brooklyn to New York, NY

- By the Skin Of Our Teeth*, MoCADA Museum, Brooklyn, NY
- 2003 *Perdurabo Artists*, Russell Sheridan Gallery, London, UK
- Peace Works*, The Times Square Lobby Gallery, New York, NY
- Nurturing the New*, NURTUREart Gallery, New York, NY
- 2002 *From Chinatown With Love*, Cork Gallery, Lincoln Center, New York, NY
- Now and Next*, Gallery 8, New York, NY
- Raw Desire*, Coralee Lynn Rose Studio, New York, NY
- 2001 *Indivisible*, SHMLRC Visual Arts Gallery, County College Of Morris, Randolph, NJ
- 1999 *MFA Thesis Exhibition*, Times Square Gallery, Hunter College, New York, NY

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2006 Dan Bischoff, "Making it Big," *The Star Ledger*, September 29, 2006, section 4 page 1.
- Jared Rehberg, "Triple Threat: Artist Eric Jiaju Lee," *iaLink*, No. 2.9, September, 2006.
- Interview, *SINO-Television*, New York, in rotation summer 2006.
- 2005 Cover artwork for music album *Baby Winter* by Barney McAll & Genji Siraisi, Kufala Recordings.
- Interview, *ImaginAsian Radio*, KSQQ 96.1 FM, San Francisco, aired May 1, 2005.
- 2004 Dan Bischoff, "Emerging Artists and Temporary Gallery Space Get First Look," *The Star Ledger*, September 19, 2004, section four page 3.
- Stephanie Alberico, "Rider Project 2004 presents 'CELL', A Mobile Exhibition," *New York Cool.com*, October, 2004, Arts section.
- Xiaoqing Rong, "Poetry, Painting, Music: Eric Jiaju Lee's Search for the Essential," *Sing Tao Daily*, April 5, 2004, B2.
- Mary Lin Liu, "Epiphanies of the Inner Landscape," *World Journal*, March 11, 2004, B2.
- 2003 The Affordable Art Fair Autumn Collection Catalogue, cover, London, UK.
- Interview, *Asian America*, WNYE-TV (PBS), New York, aired June 15, 2003.
- 2002 Audrey Mo, "Our Men in New York," *GQ (Taiwan)*, No. 72, September, 2002, 212.
- Jack Wang, "Eric Jiaju Lee Merges Chinese and Western Art in *Suchness*," *World Journal*, July 12, 2002, C7.
- Xiaoqing Rong, "Eric Jiaju Lee's *Suchness*: Synthesizing the Culture and Philosophy of East and West," *Sing Tao Daily*, July 12, 2002, B4.
- Tien Yi Shu, "Eric Jiaju Lee's Solo Exhibition Merges East and West," *Ming Pao Daily News*, July 12, 2002, A8.
- 2001 *Atomicpetals.com*, Winter, 2001.

Always Bright II: Paintings By Chinese American Artists, Homa & Sekey Books, Dumont, NJ.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2006 - Present Adjunct Assistant Professor of Fine Arts, Hunter College of the City University of New York, New York, NY.
- 2006 - Present Instructor/Facilitator, Lecturer, Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ.
- 2004 - Present Adjunct Professor of Visual Arts and Art History, Hudson County Community College, Jersey City, NJ.
- 2002 – 2003 Artistic Director, *Monolid* magazine, New York, NY.
- 2001 - 2006 Adjunct Professor of Fine Arts, County College of Morris, Randolph, NJ.
- 2000 Art Teacher, Grade 6-8, New York City Board of Education, I.S. 187, New York, NY.
- 1997 - Present Manager, City Climbers Club, New York, NY.

LECTURES

- 2007 Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ
- 2004 The Hun School of Princeton, Princeton, NJ
- 2003 Montclair Art Museum, Montclair, NJ
- 2003 Asian American Arts Centre, NY

COLLABORATIONS, OTHER

- 2005 - 2006 Collaboration in visuals with *Thinsezisee'm Dance/Theater* for "American Pop" Premiered June 2, 2006, Assembly Dance Theater, Taipei, Taiwan; upcoming China Tour.
- 2005 Collaboration in costume design and music with *RedDive* for "Peripheral City: City of Refuge" Premiered May 15, 2005, Lower Manhattan, NY.
- 2003 - 2007 Collaboration in conceptual development, videography, and original music with *RIFF Theater Company* for "Lee/gendary", showcase performances and 1st Annual Asian American Theater Festival June 2007, New York, NY
- 1999 Collaboration in visuals and live painting with *The Foundry* for "Park" Premiered July 20, 1999, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, CA.