

Faris Nakamura  
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Richard Koh Fine Art

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Faris Nakamura (b.1988, Singapore) graduated with Bachelor in Fine Arts (First Class Honours) from LASALLE College of the Arts in partnership with Goldsmiths, College of London in 2014.

Through sculptures, installations and site-specific works, Faris investigates the way people navigate and orientate themselves as they encounter space. He desires to understand their attachments and detachments towards space, how these develop, and their impact.

Faris was most recently awarded the Young Talent Programme Winners' Solo, 2017/2018. He was the Grand Winner at the Shitsurai International Art Competition, Kobe Biennale, 2015 and the Winston Oh Travel Award recipient, 2013.

Faris has exhibited both locally and internationally. He has showcased at venues such as The Substation (Singapore), ION Art (Singapore), Scotts Square (Singapore), Gillman Barracks (Singapore), Kobe Biennale (Japan), Georgetown Festival (Penang, Malaysia) FASS Art Gallery (Turkey), and Palazzo Ca' Zanardi, (Venice).

It is also notable that Faris is a flautist and has performed at venues such as the Esplanade Concert Hall and the Victoria Concert Hall (Singapore).

## Education

2011 - 2014 Bachelor (First Class Hons) of Fine Arts, Goldsmith, University of London by LASALLE College of the Arts, Singapore

## Solo Exhibitions

- 2019 *Remember This Place, For We Will Be Back Here Again Someday*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Singapore  
*The Camouflaged Man: Invisibility & Mimicry, S.E.A Focus*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Gillman Barracks, Singapore
- 2018 *Young Talent Programme Winners' Solo*, ION Art Gallery, Singapore
- 2015 *NMH x Flanuer 5.0: Between Places*, New Majestic Hotel, Singapore

## Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2018 *The Concerned Citizens Showcase*, The Substation, Singapore  
*Departure 3, Ipreciation*, Singapore
- 2017 *AAF: Young Talent Programme*, F1 pit Building, Singapore  
*VADA: Untapped Emerging - Shophouse 5*, Singapore
- 2016 *EPHEMERA*, The Substation, Singapore  
*Contemporary Venice: Architectures of Identities*, Palazzo Ca' Zanardi, Venice
- 2015 *Art Bounties*, Central Public Library, Singapore  
*Art of Our City: Young Singaporean Artist*, The Art Space@ Suntec, Singapore  
*Affordable Art Fair*, F1 Pit Building, Singapore  
*Art Discovered Edition 1*, The Art Fellas Gallery, Singapore  
*Shitsurai Art International Exhibition*, Kobe Biennale 2015, Meriken Park Kobe, Japan
- 2014 *Lasalle Show 2014*, ICA Gallery, Singapore  
*Dibs Collaboration*, Dibs Restaurant, Marine Terrace Blk 55, Singapore  
*Open field: Offbeat@Winstedt*, Winstedt Road No. 9, Singapore



“sMall iDeas”, FASS Gallery, Sabanci University,  
Tuzla - Istanbul, Turkey

2013 Art of Giving Exhibition, Scotts Square, Singapore

Winston Oh Travel Award 2013, Praxis Space  
Gallery, Singapore

Lasalle Show 2013, ICA Gallery, Singapore

George Town Festival, Penang, Malaysia

2012 *And the Story Goes*, Brother Joseph McNally  
Gallery, Singapore

*Raw & Craft*, Ngee Ann Kong Si Library, Lasalle  
College of the Arts, Singapore

2011 *Exhibition With Heri Dono*, Critique Room, Lasalle  
College of the Arts, Singapore

*Beyond Limits*, Praxis Space Gallery, Singapore

## **Awards**

2017/2018 Young Talent Programme Winner's Solo

2015 Kobe Biennale Grand Winner, Shitsurai Art  
International Competition, Kobe Biennale

2014 First Class Honours, Bachelor of Fine Arts

2013 Winston Oh Travel Award





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