

Faizal Yunus
CV

Richard Koh Fine Art

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Faizal Yunus (b.1989, Malaysia) is a Malaysian based artist who works mainly in printmaking, painting and installation. He graduated in Bachelor of Fine Arts from Mara University of Technology (UiTM) in 2012 with a major in printmaking. Faizal has been drawn towards nature as he grew up in such a surrounding that has helped him nurture a unique imagination and interpretation of the greenery around him. Autonomy has driven him to believe that the egalitarian society is a vital key to which he adapts the banal practices of everyday life into his art-making-process.

For his first solo exhibition *Matrix* (2016), he began looking at his daily life for inspiration as he sought to break free from the limitations of the common art materials. *Vortex* (2018), revolved around his journey to find different perspectives on causes that pushed him to his decision making, it serves as his poetic statement on the current state of pollution that surrounds us and the human role of undoing the beauty within our landscape.

His awards include MEAA 2019 (*Malaysian Emerging Artists Award*), organized by HOM & Galeri Chandan, Kuala Lumpur. He also completed the Southeast Asian Artist Residency Program at Rimbun Dahan, Selangor, Malaysia in 2018. Selected exhibitions include *Malaysian Art, A New Perspective*, (2017), Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia and S.E.A. FOCUS 2020, Gillman Barracks, Singapore.

Education

- 2012 B.A (Hons) in Fine Art (Printmaking) Universiti Teknologi Mara, Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia
- 2010 Diploma in Fine Art, Universiti Teknologi Mara, Machang, Kelantan, Malaysia

Solo Exhibitions

- 2021 *Unprecedented Order*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 2018 *Vortex*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 2016 *Matrix*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2020 *In Our Own Frame*, RKFA SG 10th Anniversary Show, Richard Koh Fine Art, Gillman Barracks, Singapore
 - Cantum Combine*, Online Show, Richard Koh Fine Art & Contemporary Identities International Online Art Magazine. Curated by Elham Shafaei
 - Locating Malaysian Contemporary Art: The Echo Boomers*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 - S.E.A. FOCUS, Gillman Barracks, Richard Koh Fine Art, Singapore
- 2019 Art Expo Malaysia, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 - Transit 2 x 2*, HOM Art Trans, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 - MEAA 2019 (*Malaysian Emerging Artists Award*), Whitebox & Blackbox MAP, Publika, Kuala Lumpur
- 2017 *Malaysian Art, A New Perspective*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 - Art Stage Singapore 2017, Richard Koh Fine Art, Singapore
- 2016 *Malaysian Art, A New Perspective*, Richard Koh Fine Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 - Art for Charity Exhibition*, Eyes Art Gallery, Alam Impian, Shah Alam, Malaysia
- 2015 *French Malaysian Young Artist Award*, National Visual Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 2014 *Islamic Art Exhibition*, MAA Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 2013 *Start Carnival Art Exhibition*, Menara Mara, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia



- Degree Showcase, Universiti Teknologi Mara, Shah Alam,
Selangor, Malaysia
- 2012 Urban Art, Pelita Hati Gallery, Kuala Lumpur,
Malaysia
- Rurbanization Art Show, Galeri Seni Tuanku Nur Zahirah
Universiti Teknologi Mara, Malaysia
- 2011 Open Show, Galeri Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia
- 2010 Diploma Showcase, Universiti Teknologi Mara,
Machang, Kelantan, Malaysia
- Pantera Muda Printmaking Show, Universiti Sains
Malaysia (USM) Pulau Pinang, Malaysia

Awards & Residencies

- 2019 Winner, MEAA 2019 (Malaysian Emerging Artists Award), HOM & Galeri Chandan, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 2018 Resident artist, Rimbun Dahan, Kuang, Malaysia





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