

ROBERTS PROJECTS

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EDUCATION

2003 BFA, Xinjiang Arts Institute, Department of Painting, Xinjiang, China

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2021 Tang Contemporary Art, curated by Cui Cancan, Beijing, China
2020 "White" Tang Contemporary Art, Beijing, China "GREEN", Song Art Museum, Beijing China
"Poetry and the Villain" Lin & Lin Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan
2019 "Control" Mizuma Art Gallery, Singapore "Control" Roberts Projects, Culver City, CA
2017 "Desert Camel", "In The Desert Below A Constellation In The Sky", Tang Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
2016 "A Sense of Security" Tang Contemporary Art, Hong Kong "Zhao Zhao" Tang Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
"Lighter, Fragments, Untitled and Safe" Tang Contemporary Art, Hong Kong 2015
"Zhao Zhao: Constellations II" Chambers Fine Art, New York, USA
"Zhao Zhao" Hadrien de Montferrand, Hangzhou, China "Zhao Zhao" Carl Kostyál, Stockholm, Sweden "Omnipresent" Roberts & Tilton, Culver City, CA
2014 "Zhao Zhao: Uncertainty" Chambers Fine Art, Beijing, China
"Untitled: Zhao Zhao" Platform China Contemporary Art Institute, Beijing, China "How: Zhao Zhao" Platform China Contemporary Art Institute, Hong Kong
2013 "Zhao Zhao: Constellations" Chambers Fine Art, New York, NY "Nothing Inside II" Alexander Ochs Gallery, Berlin, Germany
"A Sense of Security: Zhao Zhao" Platform China Contemporary Art Institute, Beijing, China
"A Sense of Security II: China Likes Me and I Likes China" Platform China Contemporary Art Institute, Beijing, China
2012 "Nothing Inside" Alexander Ochs Galleries, Berlin, Germany
2011 "According to Zhao Zhao: New Works" Chambers Fine Art, Beijing, China "Walking Naked" Alexander Ochs Galleries, Berlin, Germany
2009 "5113, 51 Square Meters Project" Tajkang Space, Beijing, China
2008 "Da Quan Gou" China Art Archives and Wavehouse (CAAW), Beijing, China

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 "Gallery Artists Autumn Show" Lin & Lin Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan
"And Now" White Rabbit Gallery, Sydney, Australia
2018 "One Way Or Another" Roberts Projects, Los Angeles, CA
2017 "Islands, Constellations and Galapagos" Yokoshama Triennale 2017, Yokohama, Japan
"Post-sense-sensibility: Trepidation and Will", Shanghai Ming Contemporary Art Museum, Shanghai, China
"The Exhibition of Annual of Contemporary Art of China 2016", Beijing Minsheng Art Museum, Beijing, China

- 2016 "Nothing is True, Everything is Permitted" Tang Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
 Voyages" H Queen's, 80 Queen's, Hong Kong, China
 "Northern Land, Southern Seas" Tang Contemporary Art, Bangkok, Thailand
 "China International Gallery Exposition", Beijing, China "Art16 London", London, England
 "New Voices: A DSL Collection Story" Klein Sun Gallery, New York "JingShen: The Act of
 Painting in Contemporary China" Padiglione d'arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy
 "Everyday Legend", Minsheng Art Museum, Shanghai, China
 "Post-sense Sensibility: Trepidation and Will" Beijing Minsheng Art Museum, Beijing,
 China
 "The Decameron – BMCA Documenting Art" Blue Mountain Contemporary Art, Beijing,
 China
 "Taklamakan Project 2016" Art Basel Hong Kong Film Sector, Hong Kong 2015 "Spirit"
 PAC PADIGLIONE D'ARTE CONTEMPORANEA, Milan, Italy
 "BEYOND STUFF" Mizuma Art Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
 "Fusion: Chinese Modern and Contemporary Art Since 1930s" Wanlin Art Museum,
 Wuhan University, Wuhan, China
- 2015 "Art Basel Hong Kong 2015" Chambers Fine Art, Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition
 Centre, Hong Kong
- 2014 "Zero Tolerance" MoMA PS1, Long Island City, NY
 "My Generation: Young Chinese Artists" Tampa Museum of Art, Tampa, Florida
 (Oklahoma City Museum of Art, Oklahoma City, OK, October 25, 2014 – January 18
 2015; Orange County Museum of Art, Newport Beach, CA, June 26 – October 11, 2015)
 "Unlived by What is Seen" Tang Contemporary Art Center, Pace Gallery Beijing,
 Galleria Continua, Beijing, China
 "WORMHOL: GEO-ATTRACTION" Lin & Lin Gallery, Taipei, China "ART14 London" London,
 England
 "Time is a Saw: Established and Emerging Contemporary Chinese Artists" Crossman
 Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, Wisconsin "19th Biennale of Sydney"
 Sydney, Australia
- 2013 "China: Focus" The Armory Show 2014, Chambers Fine Art, New York, NY
 "Constellations" Art Basel Hong Kong, China
 "Humboldt Lab Dahlem" Museum of Asian Art, Berlin, Germany "More than Meets the
 Eye" Mizuma & One Gallery, Beijing, China
 "The 14th OPEN Performance Art Festival" Space Station, Beijing, China "Game of
 Thrones" Museum für Asiatische Kunst, Berlin, Germany "Read" Leo Xu Projects,
 Shanghai, China
 "Jungle II – A Thriving Morphology: Theory Of Relativity" Platform China Contemporary
 Art Institute, Beijing, China
 "Individual Growth – Motive Power of Contemporary Art" Tianjin Art Museum, Tianjin,
 China
 "Groundwork Community" Taikang Space, Beijing, China "FUCK OFF 2" Groninger
 Museum, Groningen, The Netherlands "Pessimism or Resistance" Taikang Space, Beijing,
 China
 "A Sense of Security III – A Thriving Morphology" Platform China, Beijing, China
 "Duchamp and/or/in China" Ullens Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
 "On|Off: China's Young Artists in Concept and Practice" Ullens Center for Contemporary
 Art, Beijing, China
- 2012 "China China" Pinchuk Art Center, Kyiv, Ukraine
 "The Worst Show" Gland, Beijing, China
 "Detached Involvement" Newageart Gallery, Beijing, China
 "Future Exhibition" CAFA Art Museum, Central Academy of Fine Arts, Beijing, China
- 2011 "Catching the Moon in the Water" James Cohen, New York, NY

- "Image, History, Existence" TAIKANG Life 15th Anniversary Art Collection Exhibition, National Art Museum of China, Beijing, China
- "5 x 5 Castello 11" Premi International d'art contemporani Diputacio de Castello, Castello, Spain
- "1 x 1: A Cross-strait-four-regions: Artistic Exchange Project" He Xiangning Museum, Shenzhen, China (Hong Kong Arts Centre, Hong Kong, May 19 – June 12, 2011 Kuandu Museum of Fine Arts, Taipei National University of the Arts, Taipei, China, August 19 – September 25, 2011)
- "Freestyle" Li Space, Beijing, China
- 2010 "51 m2: 16 Emerging Chinese Artists" Tai Kang Space, Beijing China
- "Reflection of Minds" MoCA Shanghai Envisage III, Shanghai, China
- "Conception as Enzyme" A4 Gallery, Chengdu, China "Sharism" Get it Louder 2010, Beijing/Shanghai, China
- "3 + X" Kunsthalle Lophem, Center for Contemporary Art, Lophem, Belgium
- "No-Name Station-China" Australia Contemporary Art Exhibition, Iberia Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
- "Interpret Out of Context" T Space, Beijing, China "Moving!" Li Space, Beijing, China
- "The Burden of Representation" Osage Gallery, Hong Kong, China "Also Space" C Space, Beijing China
- 2009 "Archives" Osage Gallery, Hong Kong, China
- "Art Economies Beyond Pattern Recognition" Osage Gallery, Shanghai, China
- "Personal Space" 24HR Art-Northern Territory Contemporary Art Centre, Darwin, Australia
- "Work in Progress: How Do Artists Work" Iberia Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
- 2008 "Delirious Beijing" PKM Gallery, Beijing, China "Insomnia" Bizart Art Center, Shanghai, China "Landscape Topology" Magee Art Gallery, Beijing China "Chinese Freedom" T Space, Beijing, China "Interposition 366" Zendai Moma, Shanghai, China

SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Daimler Art Collection, Berlin, Germany DSL Collection, Paris, France
 The Guy & Myriam Ullens Foundation, Switzerland Tiroche DeLeon Collection, Frankfurt, Germany White Rabbit Collection, Sydney, Australia

CURATORIAL PROJECTS

- 2010 "Tora Tora Tora" Chinese Emerging Photographers Group Show, Caochangdi Photospring Arles in Beijing, China

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- 2018 Feola, Josh. "Beijing/LA Artist Zhao Zhao is Treating Instant Noodles as Art" *Radii China*, September 2018
- "Artist Zhao Zhao's New Exhibition at Tang Contemporary Art in Hong Kong." Blouin Artinfo, July 2018
- 2017 Siqiao Lu. "Self-Portrait: Zhao Zhao." *Art Asia Pacific*, January 2018
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- 2015 Hodson, Hannah. "Zhao Zhao: A false sense of Security." March 2016
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- Osborne-Bartucca, Kristen. "Zhao Zhao." *Artillery*, March-April 2015
- We Wei, Ai. "Zhao Zhao." *Flaunt Magazine*, February 2015
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