

Dr. Choong Kam Kow 鍾金鈞

(b. 1934, Ipoh, Malaysia)

QUALIFICATIONS

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| 2006 | Hon. Doctor of Arts, The Robert Gordon University, Scotland. UK |
| 1980 – 81 | ACLS-Fulbright Research Fellow, USA |
| 1968 | MFA, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, New York, USA |
| 1961 | BA (Fine Art), National Taiwan Normal University, Taipei, Taiwan |

POSITIONS HELD

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| 1988 – | Chairman, Federation of Asian Artists- Malaysia Committee |
| 2005 – 09 | Member, Board of Trustees, National Art Gallery, Malaysia |
| 2000 – 09 | President & CEO, Malaysian Institute of Art, Kuala Lumpur |
| 1995 – 99 | Vice President, Malaysian Institute of Art, Kuala Lumpur |
| 1989 – 94 | Dean, Sch. of Fine Art, Lasalle-Sia College of the Arts, Singapore |
| 1969 – 89 | Lecturer/ Senior Lecturer/ Head Dept. of Fine Art, MARA Inst. of Technology, (now UiTM), Malaysia |
| 1966 – 68 | Head, Art Dept., United Nations International School, N.Y.C., N.Y., USA |

AWARDS

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| 2018 | ‘Most Outstanding Global Alumni Award’ from M.O.E Taiwan |
| 2017 | ‘HUASHUI Lifetime Achievement Award’ from Malaysia Chinese Cultural & Arts Consultative Council |
| 2001 | ‘Most Outstanding Alumni Award’, National Taiwan Normal University, Taiwan for outstanding achievement in art practice and art education |
| 2000 | ‘Bintang Ahli Mangku Negara’ (A.M.N.) by Seri Paduka Baginda Yang DiPertuan Agong XI |

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

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| 2016 | <i>Choong Kam Kow: Cross Culture-Trans Region</i> , Guangdong Museum of Art, China |
| 2014 – 15 | <i>Choong Kam Kow Retrospective Exhibition: Cross Culture – Trans Era</i> , National Visual Arts Gallery, Malaysia |
| 2006 | Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan |
| 2004 | Guangdong Museum of Art, Guangzhou, China |
| 1999 | Art Gallery University of Wolverhampton, UK Art Gallery University of Northumbria, Newcastle, UK |
| 1998 | Art Gallery, University of Brighton, UK |
| 1992 | Taiwan Museum of Art, Taichung Taiwan Touch Stone Gallery, Hong Kong |
| 1991 | Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Taiwan |
| 1988 | Frederikshavn Art Museum, Denmark The Bank for Public Employment, Copenhagen, Denmark |
| 1975 | Asian Art Museum, University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia |
| 1970 | Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia |
| 1968 | Avis Rohr Gallery, Camden, N.J. USA The Abacus Art Gallery, Providence, Rhode Island, USA New Masters Art Gallery, N.Y.C. USA |
| 1967 | Pratt Graduate Art Gallery, N.Y.C. USA International Centre, N.Y.C. USA |
| 1966 | International Centre, N.Y.C. USA |
| 1965 | Ipoh, Malaysia |

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 *Reinterpreting Minimalism*, Segaris Art Centre, Kuala Lumpur
The 8th Beijing International Art Biennale, National Museum of Art, Beijing, China
- 2018 4th Kunming International Art Biennale, Yunnan Museum of Art, China
9th Asian International Art Exhibition, Qingdao, China
Contemporary Asia Printmaking Exhibition, Hsinchu County Museum of Art, Taiwan
- 2017 *The Unreal Deal*, National Bank Museum Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 2016 True Colour Art Museum, Suzhou, China
- 2015 Art Kaohsiung 2015, Taiwan
Maritime Silk Road Art Festival, Shanghai, China
- 2014 28th Asian International Art Exhibition, Kinmen, Taiwan
- 2013 Asian International Artists Workshop & Exhibition, Bangkok, Thailand
27th Asian International Art Exhibition, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2012 International Mini Print Exhibition, Art gallery DeQiun, Taipei, Taiwan
Open Show, Galeri Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia
- 2011 Semangat Chandan II Exhibition, Galeri Chandan, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Paper Trail - Art Exhibition, Galeri Chandan, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
2011 International Paper Art Exhibition, Dr. Sun Yatsen Memorial Hall, Taipei, Taiwan
Figure In Paint: Contemporary Water Colour Exhibition, Galeri Petronas, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Malaysian Gems - Art Exhibition, KL Lifestyle Art Space, Malaysia
Genting Art Festival, Genting Highland Resort, Malaysia
26th Asian International Art Exhibition, Hangaram Art Museum at Seoul Arts Center & Jeonbuk Province Museum of Art, Jeonbuk, Korea
- 2010 *Pre - Mongolia 25th AIAE Exhibition*, Galeri Chandan, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Inception: Continuity & Beyond - The Oriental Masters, OAC Centre, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
25th Asian International Art Exhibition, Mongolia National Modern Art Gallery, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
- 2009 24th Asian International Art Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- 2008 *Semangat Chandan* - Art Exhibition, Galeri Chandan, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
23th Asian International Art Exhibition, The University Art Museum of Guangzhou Academy of Fine Arts, Guangzhou, China
- 2007 *Merdeka 50 - A Celebration of Malaysian Art*, Islamic Art Museum, Malaysia
Susur Masa (Timelines) Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
22th Asian International Art Exhibition, Selasar Sunaryo Art Space, Bandung, Indonesia
- 2006 *Malaysia-Vietnam Art Show*, Museum of Fine Art, Hanoi, Vietnam.
21th Asian International Art Exhibition, Singapore art Museum, Singapore
- 2005 20th Asian International Art Exhibition, Ayala Museum, Manila, The Philippines
- 2004 19th Asian International Art Exhibition, Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka
Continuities: Contemporary Art of Malaysia at the Turn of the 21st Century, Guangdong Museum of Art, Guangzhou, China
Identity versus Globalization, Chiangmai Art Museum / National Art Gallery, Thailand/
Dahlem Museum, Berlin, Germany
- 2003 18th Asian International Art Exhibition, Hong Kong Heritage Museum, Hong Kong, SAR
- 2002 2002 Anseong International Art Exhibition, Korea
17th Asian International Art Exhibition, Daejeon Municipal Museum of Art, Daejeon, Korea
Asia Fine Art Professors Art Exhibition, Changwon, Korea.
- 2001 *Asian Art 2000 - A Vision of Change*, University of Brighton Art Gallery, Brighton, UK
16th Asian International Art Exhibition. Guangdong Museum of Art, Guangzhou, China.

- End of Growth?* - International Art Exhibition, Art Museum, Chiangmai University/
Silpakorn University Art centre, Thailand
- 2000 15th Asian International Art Exhibition, Tainan County Cultural Centre, Taiwan
- 1999 Malaysian Contemporary Art Exhibition, China Museum of Art, Beijing, China
- 14th Asian International Art Exhibition, Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan
- 1998 *Rupa Malaysia - A decade of Art 1987-1997*, Brunei Gallery, School of Oriental and
African Studies, London University, UK
- 13th Asian International Art Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- 1997 *Art to Heart*, Galeri Petronas, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 12th Asian International Art Exhibition, Centre de' Actividades Turisticas Rua de Luis
Gonzaga-Gomes, Macau, SAR
- 1996 Asian Contemporary Art Exhibition '96, Art Center, Seoul, Korea
- 11th Asian International Art Exhibition, Metropolitan Museum of Manila, The
Philippines
- 1995 *Human View*, Asian Contemporary Art Exhibition, Gallery Doll, Seoul, Korea
- 10th Asian International Art Exhibition, National Museum of Art, Singapore
- 1994 *Beauty of Fibre Art Exhibition*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- 9th Asian International Art Exhibition, National Museum of History, Taipei, Taiwan
- 1993 8th Asian International Art Exhibition, Fukuoka Museum of Art, Japan
- 1992 6th Asian International Art Exhibition, Tawaga Museum of Art, Japan
- 7th Asian International Art Exhibition, Merdeka Building, Bandung, Indonesia
- 1991 Malaysian Contemporary Art Exhibition, Muraokaya Art Gallery, Fukuoka
- The Question of Identity* - Art Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- 1990 3rd Asian-European Biennial, Museum of Contemporary Art, Ankara, Turkey
- 5th Asian International Art Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 1989 3rd Biennial of Havana, Cuba
- 4th Asian International Art Exhibition, Metropolitan Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea
- 1988 *Contemporary Paintings of Malaysia*, National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- Contemporary Paintings of Malaysia*, Pacific Asia Museum, Pasadena, L.A. California, USA
- 3rd Asian International Art Exhibition, Fukuoka Museum of Art, Japan
- 1987 *Malaysian Art 1957 – 1987*, National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 1986 1986 Contemporary Asian Exhibition at National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul,
Korea
- 1985 International Ink and Brush Painting Exhibition, Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Taipei
- 2nd Asian Art Show, Fukuoka Museum of Art, Japan
- ASEAN International Mobile Art Exhibition in Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, Bangkok,
Manila & Jakarta
- 1984 ASEAN International Mobile Art Exhibition at Kuala Lumpur, Jakarta, Manila, Singapore
and Bangkok
- 1983 International Contemporary Ink Painting Exhibition, Singapore
- International Art Exhibition, Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Taiwan
- 1982 International Contemporary Ink Painting Exhibition, Kuala Lumpur
- 1981 1st Asian Art Biennale, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- 1980 ASEAN International Art Exhibition, Jakarta, Indonesia
- 1979 *Salon Malaysia*, National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 1978 *Malaysian Art 1965-1978*, Commonwealth Institute, London
- 1977 *Malaysian Art Since Independence (1957-1977)*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- Painting and Graphic Art Competition & Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- 1972 ASEAN International Art Exhibition, Singapore
- National Invitation Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
- 1971 *Malaysian Art 1931-1971*, National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 1970 *Experiment'70 (The New Scene continuation)*, Galeri 11, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- Annual Art Exhibition*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia

1969 *Annual Art Exhibition*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
1968 *Annual Art Exhibition*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
1964 *Annual Art Exhibition*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia
1963 *Annual Art Exhibition*, National Art Gallery, Malaysia

COLLECTIONS

Metropolitan Museum of Art, NYC, USA
National Art Gallery, Malaysia
Fukuoka Asian Art Museum , Fukuoka, Japan
Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Taiwan
National Museum of History, Taipei, Taiwan
Frederikshavn Art Museum, Denmark
National Taiwan Museum of Art, Taichung, Taiwan
Singapore Art Museum
Guangdong Museum of Art, Guangzhou, China
Kyushu Sangyo University Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan
Art Museum, Guangzhou Fine Art Academy, University City, Guangzhou, China
Museum Art Gallery, University of Science, Malaysia
Asian Art Museum, University of Malaya
Shah Alam Art Space, Malaysia
Philip Frasier Private Hospital, L.A. USA
Laane-Og Sparekassen for Offentlige Ansatte, Denmark (The Bank for Public Employment)
Laerestandens Brandforsikring, Denmark (The Insurance Company for Teachers, Denmark)
Dafolo , Denmark (The Official Printing Company for School System, Denmark)
Galeri Petronas, Malaysia
Bank Negara (National Bank of Malaysia)
Perak Art Foundation
Zain & Co., Kuala Lumpur
Kedah State Art Gallery, Malaysia
Kelantan State Art Gallery
University of the Pacific, Stockton, California, USA
Kampo Harada Collection, Kyoto, Japan
The Aldrich Collection, University of Brighton, U.K.
Art & Heritage Collection, The Robert Gordon University, Scotland, U.K.
Fukuoka Cultural Foundation, Japan
Permodalan Nasional Berhad. Malaysia
IJM Engineering & Construction Sdn. Bhd
FUNG Group, Hong Kong
Association of Bank, Malaysia
Esso Companies in Malaysia
Mobil Companies in Malaysia
Shell Companies in Malaysia
Chung Khiaw Bank & Lee Wah Bank (now UOB)
Chase Manhattan Bank (KL)
The Dime Bank, Brooklyn, NYC, USA
Alaska-Pacific Venture Honolulu, Hawaii
United Asian Bank
Stamford College, Kuala Lumpur
Private collections at home and abroad