

OOLONG GALLERY

IVAN DAVID NG

Education

MFA, The Ohio State University
Department of Art with research at the Advanced Computing Center for the Arts and Design

Resident, The Skowhegan School of Painting & Sculpture

Postgraduate Diploma in Education, Nanyang Technological University
National Institute of Education Singapore

BFA, Maryland Institute College of Art
Painting with Concentration in Photography

Solo Exhibitions

- 2023: Light in Perpetual, SEA Focus, Richard Koh Fine Art, Singapore
- 2022: Roads around a mountain, Chan + Hori Contemporary, Singapore
- 2017: Don't ask me where I come from, OH! Open House, Singapore

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2025: Celestial Bodies, Stove Works Art Center, Chattanooga, TN
- 2025: Desire Lines, Urban Arts Space, Columbus, OH
- 2024: Backscatter, Chilli Art Projects, London, United Kingdom
- 2024: Focal Point 3, Long Story Short, New York, NY
- 2023: Invisible Sound, Art Agenda SEA, Singapore
- 2023: Diverse Visions, Richard Koh Fine Art, Singapore
- 2022: Ivan David Ng & Boo Sze Yang, AC43 Gallery, Singapore
- 2022: State of Play, Richard Koh Fine Art, Singapore
- 2021: Re-THiNGing Gesture in Contemporary Sculptural Practice, Esplanade, Singapore
- 2021: The Orchid, The Wasp, Sikap Group, Singapore
- 2021: VADA Alumni Show, The Private Museum, Singapore
- 2020: UOB Painting of the Year Regional Winner's Showcase, UOB Art Space, Singapore
- 2020: Where the Sidewalk Ends, Chan + Hori Contemporary, Singapore
- 2019: ASYAAF, Dongdaemun Design Plaza, Seoul, South Korea
- 2018: Size Matters: A Question of Scale, Chan + Hori Contemporary, Singapore
- 2017: Don't ask me where I come from, Oh! Open House: Holland Village, Singapore
- 2016: Untapped: Discovery, Visual Art Development Association, Singapore
- 2015: Dreamscapes, Westport Contemporary Art Museum, Westport, CT
- 2015: Landscapes, Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, CO
- 2015: 30 under 30 Juried Exhibition, Vermont Center for Photography, Brattleboro, VT

Awards/Grants/Nominations

- 2025: Easton Community Art Award, Easton Town Center, Columbus, OH
- 2024: Alumni Grants for Graduate Research and Scholarship, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
- 2022: Singapore Art Week 2022 Major Grant, National Arts Council, Singapore
- 2021: Nominee for Sovereign Asian Art Prize, Sovereign Art Foundation, Hong Kong
- 2020: Gold Award, Established Artist Category, 39th UOB Painting of the Year, Singapore

2017: Untapped Connections Grant, Visual Art Development Association, Singapore
2016: Commencement Speaker, Class of 2016, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
2016: Chair's Award Travel Grant, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
2015: Westcliff Fund Merit Scholarship, Anderson Ranch Art Center, Aspen, CO
2012: Full Undergraduate Scholarship, Ministry of Education, Singapore

Visiting Artist Lectures/Panelist

2025: Senior painting seminar, Fashion Institute of Technology, New York, NY (Forthcoming)
2024: Art History I, Tarrant County College, Fortworth, TX
2023: Encountering Contemporary Art, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
2019: Crea, Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts & Lasalle College of the Arts, Singapore
2015: Dismantled Geographies, Society of Photographic Education Mid-Atlantic Region, Pittsburgh, PA

Publications

2025: New American Paintings, Issue 173: Midwest
2025: New American Paintings, Issue 171: MFA Annual
2024: Shoutout LA "Meet Ivan David Ng"
2022: Art & Market, *"The World is Quiet Here- A Review of Roads Around a Mountain"* by Clara Peh
2022: 'Roads Around a Mountain', Artist profile, Chan + Hori Contemporary

Notable Commissions/Collections

Louis Vuitton, Corporate Collection
Easton Town Center, Corporate Collection
Mandarin Oriental Group, Corporate Collection
Singapore Land Group, Corporate Collection
United Overseas Bank, Corporate Collection
People's Association Singapore, Public Art Commission
Uber Technologies Inc, Video Commission
One Farrer Singapore, Corporate Collection