

Vincent Cazeneuve/ Wensen Qi's Biography

Vincent Cazeneuve/Wensen Qi as he's called in china, studied at École des Métiers d'Art in Revel with expertise in wood cabinet making, marquetry and gilding. Lacquer painting, one of the most ancient arts in Asia, acted like a strong magnet to him. So Vincent COMMITED himself to live in China and with his own language deciphering the work of lacquer, learning the processes from traditional lacquerware.

Simultaneously, he blends his own creativity into Chinese lacquer traditions, mixing elements with his western roots. Vincent is deeply touched by way the materials are changing with effect of the time elements. He is also fascinated by the ability of human being to transform natural materials all along history.

- 2007 First journey to China, residence in the studio of a master in lacquer
Opening of his own studio in Chongqing
- 2008 Saorge South East of France, Group Show
Musée de Revel, France, European Heritage Day, Group Show
- 2009 Chongqing, Xintiandi (China), Inaugural Exhibition
Chongqing, China, 501 Art Space, Group Show
- 2010 Shanghai, China, Contemporary Art Fair
Toulouse, France, Gallery Ferme du pastel, Solo Show
Revel, France, Revelation Art Fair, Solo Show
Mianzu Museum, Sichuan, China, Sichuan earthquake memorial
Suzhou, China, Gallery Le Pont des Arts
- 2011 Chongqing, China, Moon Art Space, Group Show
Isles sur Sorgue, Gallery France, Solo Exhibition
St. Laurent des arbres, Chateau Beaupré Deuleuze, France, Solo Show
Shanghai, China, Hong Merchant Gallery, Solo Show
- 2012 Paris, France, Art et Matières, Solo Show
Bangkok, Thailand, Lotus Art de Vivre, Group Show
- 2013 Hong Kong, Poetic Layers, Sin Sin Fine Art, Solo Show
France, Revel Imara Art Museum, Laque Contemporaines, Solo Show
Hong Kong, REACH Art Basel, Sin Sin Fine Art, Group Show
Toulouse, France, Heritage Day Installation in collaboration with the
composer David Lataillade

- Shanghai, China, Hong Merchant Gallery, Solo Show
- 2014 Hong Kong, Double Happiness Sin Sin Fine Art, Group Show
Hong Kong, Revisit Part 2, Sin Sin Fine Art, Group Show
Shanghai at the Company Studio, Silk and paper work, Solo Show
Toulouse, France, Laque Contemporaines, Espace Roguet, Solo Show
- 2015 Shanghai, China, Dumonteil Gallery, Solo Show
Beijing Art Fair, Dumonteil Gallery, Group Show
Singapore Art Fair, Dumonteil Gallery, Group Show
Chateau Beaupré, France, Solo Show
Bangkok, silk and paper work, Solo Show
Bangkok, Yenakart Villa, Solo Show
- 2016 Singapore Art Fair, Group Show
Hong Kong, Committed, French May Hong Kong Festival of the French Culture with the French Consulate in collaboration with Sin Sin Fine Art, Solo Show
Beijing, China, Beijing Art Fair, Dumonteil Gallery, Group Show
Wensen Qi Chongqing First Solo Exhibition at Yang Guang 100 Arles
Teaching in Sichuan Fine Art Institute "Improvisation, Construction deconstruction around the Chinese traditional lacquer process"
- 2017 "A Long Fest Along the Silk Road" Exhibition and Lecture organized with Sichuan Fine Art Institute in the Chinese Cultural Center of Paris.
Chongqing, China, Modern Oriental, Art Appreciation, Group Show