

Nicholas Choong

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| Date of Birth | 1977 |
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Introduction

Cityscapes series is an iconic series of Malaysian artist Nicholas Choong. He is inspired by cityscapes of Kuala Lumpur, especially when night falls in the city. Choong portrays a city scenery with dense and rich colors. Whole city is illuminated by Lights from streetlamps, signs, cars, buildings and puddle shadows after scattered showers. Paint drips flow and move onto canvas randomly become different intermittent gleam of city lights. Choong states it is important to make conversations with paintings in the middle of creation. Describing details of a city scenery is not the main subject of Nicholas Choong's Cityscapes series. This series of paintings reveal his perspective and emotion of a cityscape as well as himself, about being an artist.

Awards

- 2018 Appointed Judge for Art Painting Category, Petron Vision National Art Competition
- 2018 Appointed Mural Artist for KVMRT - Mural @ Entrance A, Pasar Seni MRT Station KL
- 2018 Resident Artist - Southeast Asian Art Residency (February - April), Rimbun Dahan, Kuang
- 2015 Appointed Key Visual Artist for Tiger Beer Malaysia's TRANSLATE 2015

Selected solo exhibitions

- 2022 Twilight, Nicholas Choong Solo Exhibition, Art WeMe Contemporary Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 2021 Nocturne – Online Exhibition, Art WeMe Contemporary Gallery
- 2021 Surface Tension, A Solo Exhibition by Nicholas Choong, G13 Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 2020 A Rip in The Fabric of Time, The Art People Gallery / Artsy / Artsteps, Virtual + Online
- 2019 Particolare - Nicholas Choong Solo Exhibition, Art WeMe Contemporary Gallery, Pavilion KL, Kuala Lumpur
- 2016 RETROSPECTIVE: A Solo Exhibition by Nicholas Choong, Port Commune PJ
- 2015 Rotary Club Kota Kinabalu South (RCKKS) Gala Charity Dinner, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah
- 2014 SOLO (Studies of Loved Objects), Atelier Art Space, Petaling Jaya
- 2011 Solo exhibition, Epicenter Art Gallery, Petaling Jaya

Selected group exhibitions

- 2022 CIMB Artober – Hotel Art Fair, Element Hotel, Kuala Lumpur
- 2022 Affordable Art Fair, Singapore
- 2021 'Get-Go' (Group Show), K5 Gallery, Bukit Jalil KL
- 2021 Locals Only! 2021 , Taksu Gallery, Kuala Lumpur
- 2020 Traversing 175 (Group show celebrating The New Straits Times 175th Anniversary), Galeri Prima, KL
- 2020 'Unity Canvas' installation at Pavilion KL, Art WeMe Contemporary Gallery KL
- 2019 ART4SMALL (Group Show), Balai Seni Maybank, Menara Maybank, KL
- 2019 Locals Only 2019,Taksu KL
- 2018 LIKU - LIKU , Creative Space, National Art Gallery of Malaysia, KL
- 2018 MORPHOSIS (Group Show), Galeri Prima, Bangsar KL
- 2018 Sembilan Art Residency Exhibition, K7 Melaka in conjunction with the Melaka Festival 2018
- 2017 JOURNEY (sembilan Art Residency Inaugural Group Show), Hotel Seri Pacific KL
- 2016 Lukis, Ruang Sementara, Artrow, Publika KL
- 2015 Nada Rimba, Atelier Art Space Petaling Jaya
- 2015 'TheArtist Is Present' performance at sembilanArt Residency's End ofYearWrap up Party,Awegallery Petaling Jaya

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ABOUT US

Art WeMe Contemporary Gallery is a Malaysia-based contemporary art gallery, has one branch in Carmel-By-The-Sea (California, United States) and one office in Singapore. We feature mid-career and established artists to art collectors around the world. We also provide professional art consultancy and art commissioning services that adds great dynamism to your various needs.

At AWM, we showcase original artworks by mid-career and established artists to art lovers around the world; we believe the passion for art is most intense and joyful when the experience is shared with family and friends (“We”). Conversely, we also believe art exploration is an enlightening journey that is both personal & incredibly engaging; once embarked, it provides a boundless media to express your creativity, success, accomplishment and values (“Me”).



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