

BIOGRAPHY

FLORENCE LEE YUK KI

Florence Yuk-ki Lee (b. 1994, Hong Kong) is a media artist and experimental animation filmmaker. Her practice encompasses experimental animation, installation, painting, and art publishing. Assembling and staging ephemeral bodies, personal stories, and poetic visual metaphors in her practice, Lee unearths ideas and inspirations from her daily encounters in Hong Kong—the city where she grew up—to investigate the multilayered connection between herself and her cultural identity. Her animation works comprise digitally hand-drawn frames that flow seamlessly from one to another, evoking numerous micro-narratives summoned from her personal memories, experiences and social shifts. Emotionally charged, Lee's work extracts the poetic from the mundane to explore the extraordinary in the ordinary.

EDUCATION

- 2021 MFA in Creative Media, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
2016 BA (Hons) in Graphic Communication Design (Moving Image specialism), Central Saint Martins, University of the Arts London, London, UK

SOLO EXHIBITION

- 2023 "Broken heart pieces disco ball," MOU PROJECTS, Hong Kong

EXHIBITIONS AND SCREENINGS

- 2023 "Park Voyage," Pre-show Animation, M+ Museum, Hong Kong
Microwave International New Media Arts Festival 2023 Screening Programme, Form Society, Hong Kong
"Art in Motion," HKIA Arts and Culture Festival 2023, Hong Kong International Airport, Hong Kong
Asia Art Archive Annual Fundraising Auction Preview Exhibition, Christie's Hong Kong
"Where There Is Peace," Association Concerning Sexual Violence Against Women, Hong Kong
"Urban Canvas," AIRSIDE, Hong Kong
"Citrus Worlds II," Presented by Asia Society, Art Central, Hong Kong
"Animafest Zagreb 1972 – 2022," Museum of Contemporary Art, Zagreb, Croatia
2022 "Mon OEil" online video series, Centre Pompidou, France
"Park Voyage," Pre-show Animation, M+ Museum, Hong Kong
"31 Women Artists - Hong Kong," 10 Chancery Lane Gallery, Hong Kong
"HK Forward 2021," 10 Chancery Lane Gallery, Hong Kong
2021 "System Dreams," Run Run Shaw Creative Media Centre, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
"Please Mind the Gap," MFA Graduation Show 2021, Run Run Shaw Creative Media Centre, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

ART COMMISSIONS

- 2022 "Park Voyage," Pre-show Commission, M+ Museum, Hong Kong
2021 "Textile for Food," The D. H. Chen Foundation Gallery, Centre for Heritage Arts & Textile, Hong Kong
"Water," in collaboration with Joanne Pang, Well Art (presented by Urban Spring), Hong Kong and Singapore

AWARDS & OFFICIAL SELECTIONS (FILM FESTIVALS)

- 2023 Ancey International Animation Film Festival (Official Selection of TV and Commissioned Films), France
Finalist, The 28th ifva Festival, Hong Kong
Merit Award, Animation Support Program, Hong Kong
The 19th Seoul Independent Animation Festival, South Korea
- World Festival of Animated Film Varna, Sofia
Canlandırılar Animation Film Festival, İstanbul
The 19th Seoul Independent Animation Festival, South Korea
ANIMASYROS International Animation Festival, Greece
Image Forum Festival 2023, Tokyo, Japan
- 2022 Cristal Award Nominee, Ancey International Animation Film Festival, France
Best Student Film Award Nominee, World Festival of Animated Film- Animafest Zagreb, Croatia
Best International Film Award Nominee, Fantoche International Animation Festival, Switzerland
Marilyn Marsh Saint-Veltri Award Nominee, Denver International Film Festival, USA
Special Mention Award, Animaphix International Animated Film Festival, Italy
MONSTRA Lisbon Animation Festival, Portugal
Flatpack Film Festival, United Kingdom
International Cosmopolitan Film Festival of Tokyo, Japan
Fest Anča International Animation Festival, Slovakia
Turku Animated Film Festival, Finland
The 18th Seoul Independent Animation Festival, South Korea
- 2021 Bronze Award, Los Angeles Animation Festival, USA
Special Jury Award, Tatsuno International Film Festival, Japan
Best Student Animated Film Award Nominee, Kuandu International Animation Festival, Taiwan
Tirana International Film Festival, Albania
BITBANG International Animation, Videogames and Digital Art Festival, Argentina
NEOSFEST Encuentro Internacional de Experimentación, Puebla
SPARK ANIMATION 2021, Canada
Canlandırılar Animation Film Festival, Turkey
ANIMAFILM International Animation Festival, Azerbaijan
Finalist, SHORT to the Point International Short Film Festival, USA
SUPERNOVA Digital Animation Festival, USA
Tbilisi International Animation Festival, Georgia
Shibuya TANPEN Film Festival CLIMAX at Sasebo, Japan
NewFilmmakers NY, USA
London International Short Film Festival, United Kingdom

ARTIST BOOK FAIRS

- 2023 Taipei Art Book Fair, Taiwan
CUT COPY PASTE, Singapore Art Book Fair, Singapore
- 2021 BOOKED: Hong Kong Art Book Fair, Tai Kwun Contemporary, Hong Kong
- 2020 BOOKED: Hong Kong Art Book Fair, Tai Kwun Contemporary, Hong Kong
- 2018 Taipei Art Book Fair, Taiwan
- 2017 Top 10 Poly Art Carnival @ Beijing Poly Art Museum, China
Hong Kong Print & Zine Fest, Hong Kong