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# **EDUCATION**

MFA; Printmedia; School of the Art Institute of Chicago (SAIC); US, 2021-2023 BFA; Painting (Printmaking); Central Academy of Fine Arts (CAFA); China, 2015-2019

## **EXHIBITIONS**

Solo Exhibition, Free Range; Chicago; IL, 2024 (upcoming)

Home Show, Compound Yellow; Oak Park; IL, 2024 (upcoming)

Connecting the Dots, Co-Prosperity Gallery; Chicago, IL, 2023

Center of Multiple Middles, Compound Yellow; Oak Park, IL, 2023

Navigation: Flags in Flux, Comfort Station SCAFFOLD; Chicago, IL, 2023

Muted & Mighty, The Martin Gallery; Chicago, IL, 2023

Two Story, Comfort Station; Chicago, IL, 2023

Conscious Containment (On Quartz), Color Club Arts; Chicago, IL, 2023

Serious Play, SAIC Galleries; Chicago, IL, 2023

A Generous Gesture, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2022

Whatever Hour You Woke There Was a Door Shutting, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2022

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES**

Offset Assistant, Printmedia Department, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2023

Teaching Assistant, Contemporary Practice; Prof. Maria Gaspar & Rosalynn Gingerich, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2023

Teaching Assistant, Offset Production(& Risograph); Prof. Brian Rush, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2023

Teaching Assistant, Artists' Books; Prof. Myungah Hyon, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2022-2023

Teaching Assistant, Painterly Print; Prof. Shaurya Kumar, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2022

Teaching Assistant, Funny Print and Multiples; Prof. Oli Watt, SAIC; Chicago, IL, 2022

Instructor, Picture Book & Printmaking, Cat Bus Children's Gallery, Beijing, Jan 2021 - July 2021

Instructor, Picture Book, "College Participation in Primary School", Beijing, Mar 2018 - Jun 2019

Teaching Assistant, Workshop of Guardian Fine Art Asia 2018, Beijing, Oct 2018

## TALKS / LECTURES / WORKSHOPS

Workshop: From Pixel to Page, held for students in artists' books class; SAIC, Chicago, IL, 2023

TA Artist's Talk (remote); SAIC, Chicago, IL, 2023

Workshop: Intro to Paper and Printing, held for non-bookmaker artists; SAIC, Chicago, IL, 2023

Printmedia Grad Talk; SAIC, Chicago, IL, 2022

## **AWARDS**

On Your Way Out Grant, SAIC; 2023

International Student Fellowship, SAIC; 2022-2023

National Scholarship (Top 3%), Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China; 2017-2018

Excellent Students Awards, CAFA; 2017-2018

School First Prize Comprehensive Scholarship, CAFA; 2017-2018

Outstanding Individual in Social Practice; Printmaking Department, CAFA; 2017

ASA Panama Scholarship (Top 8%); Foundation Department, School of Fine Arts, CAFA; 2016

# **VISUAL PRESS**

Mouth Magazine, Spring 2023 issue

Xerox Candy Bar, Funny Animals Spring 2023 issue

# **WRITING / COMMENTARY**

Exhibition text, "Tong Liu: Gathering, Then Losing", Co-Prosperity Gallery; Chicago, IL, 2023