GAJAH GALLERY SINGAPORE PRESENTS

PARTICLE POETRY: a show case by teamLab



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Impermanent Life, at the Confluence of Spacetime New Space and Time is Born Digital Work, 4 Channels, Continuous Loop 121 x 271 x 15cm Edition of 8

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Gajah Gallery Singapore presents *Particle Poetry*, a showcase of six single-channel and multiplechannel works by the art collective teamLab, presented in collaboration with **Ikkan Art International**. Known as "ultra technologists", interdisciplinary art collective teamLab leads the field of digital installation and multimedia art, navigating the confluence of art, science, technology and the natural world. Several digital installations by teamLab can be found across Singapore in public and permanent collections, including *Resonating Forest – Shiseido Forest Valley* which opened at Jewel Changi Airport in April 2019, and has marvelled travellers and visitors from across the world.

The digital works at Gajah Gallery span a six-year period of 2012 to 2018, including *Impermanent Life, at the Confluence of Spacetime New Space and Time is Born, Sunflower Phoenix, Gold Waves, and Flower and Corpse Glitch.*

Particle Poetry opens on Friday, 26 February at Gajah Gallery, in Tanjong Pagar Distripark in Singapore. As Gajah Gallery celebrates our 25th Anniversary, we also look to the future of art within the region of Southeast Asia by presenting contemporary mediums and collaborative projects.

teamLab (f. 2001) is an international art collective, an interdisciplinary group of various specialists such as artists, programmers, engineers, CG animators, mathematicians and architects whose collaborative practice seeks to navigate the confluence of art, science, technology, and the natural world.

teamLab aims to explore the relationship between the self and the world and new perceptions through art. In order to understand the world around them, people separate it into independent entities with perceived boundaries between them. teamLab seeks to transcend these boundaries in our perception of the world, of the relationship between the self and the world, and of the continuity of time. Everything exists in a long, fragile yet miraculous, borderless continuity of life.

teamLab's works are in the permanent collection of the Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney; Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide; Asian Art Museum, San Francisco; Asia Society Museum, New York; Borusan Contemporary Art Collection, Istanbul; National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne; and Amos Rex, Helsinki.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2020	Resonating Life in the Acorn Forest, Musashino Woods Park, Higashi-Tokorozawa,
	Saitama
2019	Throughout Time: The Sense of Beauty, Nijo-jo Castle, Kyoto
2019	teamLab, Espacio Fundación Telefónica, Madrid
2018	Masslessness, Amos Rex, Helsinki
2017	Waterfall Deep in the Mountains, Shikoku
2016	Between Art and Physical Space, Borusan Contemporary, Istanbul
2015	EXPO Milano, Japan Pavilion, Milan
2014	mission [SPACE x ART] – beyond cosmologies, Museum of Contemporary Art Tokyo,
	Tokyo
2013	If The World Changed, Singapore Biennale, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore
2012	"We are the future", National Taiwan Museum of Fine Arts, Taichung

PUBLIC ARTWORKS

Jewel Changi Airport, Singapore MORI Building DIGITAL ART MUSEUM: teamLab Borderless, Tokyo teamLab Borderless: Shanghai, Shangai Ruins and Heritage: Rinkan Spa & Tea Ceremony, Takeo Hot Spring, Kyushu SuperNature, The Venecian, Macao FUTURE WORLD: WHERE ART MEETS SCIENCE, ArtScience Museum, Singapore Continuous Life and Death at the Now of Eternity II, Grand Central Terminal, New York National Museum of Singapore Digital Light Canvas, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore MoonFlower Sagaya Ginza, Tokyo Mifuneyama Rakuen Hotel, Kyushu Enso in the Qing Dynasty Wall, The Temple Hotel, Beijing Tokushima Bunkanomori Park, Tokushima

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Showcase Schedule:

Opens Friday, 26 February 2021 Closes Sunday, 21 March 2021

<u>Gajah Gallery Singapore</u> 39 Keppel Road Tanjong Pagar Distripark, #03-04 Singapore 089065

Opening Hours: 11 am – 7 pm Weekdays 12 nn – 6 pm Sat, Sun & PH Free Entry +65 6737 4202

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ARTWORKS



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Flower and Corpse Glitch 2012 Digital Work, Single Channel, 19min 25sec (Loop) Edition of 10



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Sunflower Phoenix 2017 Digital Work, Single Channel, Randomized Video Loop 3 Sequences, 5 mins 20 secs each

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145 x 83 x 8cm Edition of 10

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Gold Waves 2017 Digital Work, 6 Channels, Continuous Loop 121 x 411 x 15 cm Edition of 4