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Born in Zhejiang, China, Lin Ke(林科) is most known for his radically experimental body of digital works. Using his laptop as his studio space, Lin explores the various vicissitudes of the internet, using various software applications in ways they are not commonly used. Thoroughly ground- breaking and postmodern in ideology, Lin pushes back against the behavioural and

phenomenological structures technology reinforces in our lives, betraying ideologies associated with traditional art making, and reclaiming cyberspace for mankind's liberty to play.

Lin graduated from the New Media Arts Department of the China Academy of Art in 2008. He has been producing and exhibiting works internationally over the past half a decade, notably in Minsheng Art Museum Shanghai, Padiglione d'Arte Contemporanea Museum Milan, Museum Folkwang Essen, Museum of Contemporary Art Tokyo, Museum of Contemporary Art Cleveland and The Museum of Contemporary Art Los Angeles. He also gained major critical acclaim by winning the OCAT - Pierre Huber Art Prize in 2014, and the Chinese Youth Artist Award of the 9th AAC Art 2015. Ke is based in Shanghai, China.

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### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 Group show, 39+ Art Space, Singapore
- 2021 DISFRUTA, BANK/Mabsociety
- 2020 Duration: Chinese Art in Transformation, Beijing, Minsheng Art Museum IMMATERIAL/RE-MATERIAL: A brief history of computing art, Ullens Center for Contemporary Art UN/CONVENTIONAL, Emerging Media Artist Exhibition, OCAT Shanghai x KDIST The Return of Guests – Selections From the PSA
- 2019 *Lin Ke,* Ikon Gallery, Birmingham, England LIKE ME, BANK Shanghai, China Chinternet Ugly, Centre for Chinese Contemporary Art, Manchester, UK
- 2018 *FRONT International,* Museum of Contemporary Art Cleveland, Cleveland, USA Lumen *Quarterly,* World Organization Of Video Culture Development, Beijing, China Play & Loop, *Blindspot Gallery,* Hong Kong Flaneur's Square, Hive Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China

Seminar on Painting, Art Museum of Nanjing University of the Arts, Nanjing, China Presence-Young Artist Exhibition, China Academy of Art, Hangzhou, China Time Square, YveYANG GALLERY, New York City, USA

2017 Frontier - Re - assessment of Post-Globalisational Politics, OCAT, Shanghai, China Simultaneous Eiods - Guangzhou Image Triennale, Guangdong Museum, Guangzhou, China The Ecstasy of Time: Reframing the Medium of Knowing – Reframing, He Xiangning Art Museum, Shenzhen, China

Sharing Exhibition Episode 1 - Time Dividuals, Screen Room You Really Know Where You Are, For the First Time In History, Intelligentsia Gallery, Beijing, China

.com/.cn, K11 Art Foundation Pop-up Space, Hong Kong After us, chi K11 art museum, Shanghai, China

*Dragon Liver,* Phoenix Brain — Eight Emerging Artists, OCAT Shanghai *Saved by the web?,* Postmasters Gallery

COLLAGE: The Cards Players, Shanghai Gallery of Art

2016 Why Not Ask Again - 11th Shanghai Biennale, Shanghai Contemporary Art Museum, Shanghai, China Performing in the Shot: Video Collections from Wang Bin, New Century Art Founda tion, Shanghai, China

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Holzwege, ShanghArt Gallery (ShanghART at West Bund), Shanghai, China Each to His Own - Li Wendong & Wei Xingye Collection, OCAT Contemporary Art Xi'an, Xi'an, China Turning Point: Contemporary Art in China Since 2000, Minsheng Art Museum, Shanghai, China

Screen Test: Chinese Video Art Since the 1980s, CAFA Art Museum, Beijing, China The Exhibition of Annual of Contemporary Art of China, Beijing Minsheng Art Museum, Beijing, China This future of us, Group Show, Red Brick Art Museum, Beijing, China We - A Community of Chinese Contemporary Artists, K11 art museum, Shanghai, China GLOBAL: New Sensorium, ZKM, Center for Art and Media, Karlsruhe, Germany

- 2015 The Exhibition of Annual of Contemporary Art of China 2014, Beijing Minsheng Art Museum, Beijing, China Peepshow, Long March Space, Beijing, China The Ballad Of Generation Y, OCAT Contemporary Art Terminal Shanghai, Shanghai, China Tokyo Art Meeting, "TOKYO" Sensing the Cultural Magma of the Metropolis, Museum of Contemporary Art Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan Jing Shen, PAC Padiglione D'Arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy
- 2014 Works in Progress Photography from China, Museum Folkwang, ESSEN, Germany OCAT-Pierre Huber Art Prize Shortlist Exhibition, The Truth About Entropy, OCAT Contemporary Art Terminal Shanghai, Shanghai, China
- 2012 MAKE UP, V Arts Centre, Shanghai, China
- 2010 Dedicated To Money Makers, MadeIn space, Shanghai, China

### **ART FAIR PRESENTATIONS**

- 2021 BANK/Mabsociety at ART021 Shanghai Contemporary Art Fair 2021, BANK/Mabsociety
- 2020 BANK/Mabsociety at ART021 Shanghai Contemporary Art Fair 2020, BANK/Mabsociety
- 2019 BANK/ Mabsociety at ART021 Shanghai Contemporary Art Fair 2019, BANK/Mabsociety
- 2015 Gallery Yang at ART021 Shanghai Contemporary Art Fair
  Gallery Yang at Photo Shanghai 2015, Gallery Yang
  Gallery Yang at Art15 London, Gallery Yang
  Gallery Yang at Art Beijing, Gallery Yang

### AWARDS

- 2017 Shortlisted for the BMW Art Journey at Art Basel, Hong Kong Nominated for the Eleventh AAC Chinese Youth Artist Award of the year
- 2015 Won the Ninth AAC Chinese Youth Artist Award of the year
- 2014 Won the 2014 OCAT PIERRE HUBER ART PRIZE



39+ Art Space is a Singapore-based art gallery that focuses on showcasing internationally established and emerging contemporary artworks and collections.

"We see 39+ Art Space as a nouveau platform to introduce and promote international artists across Asia, and to springboard Asian artists to the global stage - as well as to be a player in the secondary art market. We are delighted to collaborate with these artists to feature contemporary art pieces, as part of the opening premiere to new possibilities and engagement in art in Singapore from 39+Art Space."

- Liu Ying Mei, Founder and Director of 39+ Art Space

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