

Dr Iskandar Jalil

1940, Singapore

EDUCATION

- 1972 Colombo Plan Scholarship in Ceramics Engineering, Japan
- 1968 Pottery for Schools, Teachers' Training College, Singapore
- 1966 Colombo Plan Scholarship, Textile Weaving and Spinning, India
- 1959 - Teacher's Training College, Singapo
- 1962

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 A Master Potter's Travelogue: A Solo Exhibition by Dr. Iskandar Jalil, Japan Creative Centre/Tembusu Gallery, Singapore
- 2020 Iskandar Jalil: Awakening, Tembusu Art Gallery, Singapore
- 2018 Dr Iskandar Jalil: Paradox, Japan Creative Centre/Mulan Gallery, Singapore
- 2016 Iskandar Jalil: Kembara Tanah Liat (Clay Travels), National Gallery, Singapore
Dr Iskandar Jalil: A Master Potter's Philosophy & Process, National Institute of Education, Singapore
- 2015 In Pursuit of the Ethical Pot, Japan Creative Centre, Mulan Gallery/Art-2 Gallery, Singapore
- 2012 Images of My Pottery Travel, Art-2 Gallery, Singapore
- 2007 Material, Message, Metaphor, Art-2 Gallery, Singapore
Reshaping Asia, The 4th World Ceramic Biennale, Incheon Ceramic Centre, Korea
- 2005 For Cambodia, Raffles Le Royal, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2004 New Zealand Festival of Arts, Wellington, New Zealand
- 2001 Potter's Life, Potter's Thoughts, Art-2 Gallery, Singapore
- 1995 My Dialogue With Clay, Takashimaya Gallery, Singapore
- 1992 Ceramics, Bon Belta, Miyazaki Prefecture, Japan
- 1990 The Potter's Journey, National Museum Art Gallery, Singapore
- 1984 Raw, Pliable and Earthy, Alpha Gallery, Singapore

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 Sambal Goreng, Maya Gallery, Singapore
- 2018 Ceramic Expressions (2nd Edition), Japan Creative Centre/Mulan Gallery, Singapore
Singapore Stories, Mulan Gallery, Singapore
- 2017 Ceramic Expressions (1st Edition), Japan Creative Centre, Mulan Gallery, Singapore
- 2016 The Cultural Medallion & Visual Arts 1979-2015, Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts, Singapore
- 2015 Balance in Imperfection, Japan Creative Centre Singapore
Tribute to Local Clay, Maya Gallery, Singapore
- 2013 Iskandar Jalil - A Lifelong Passion for his Craft and his Teaching, Japan Creative Centre, Singapore
Encore!, Maya Gallery, Singapore
JBCS Gallery Official Opening, Dragon Kiln, Singapore
Shakkei, The Glocal Connect Village Art Gallery, Temasek Polytechnic, Singapore
- 2012 Tribute.sg, Esplanade:Theatres on the Bay, Singapore
The 6th Ngee Ann 3D Art Exhibition, Ngee Ann Cultural Centre, Singapore
- 2007 Fourth World Ceramics Biennale, Incheon, Gwangju and Yeosu, Korea
- 2006 Dragon Kiln, Jalan Bahar, Singapore
Ceramics: Beyond Borders, Singapore National Library Board, Singapore
Ceramitivity, National University of Singapore, Singapore
- 2005 Seven Masters, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore
A Different Light: Works from Selected Collections, Drama Centre, Singapore
- 2004 Material Matters : Inaugural Exhibition, The Arts House at Old Parliament, Singapore
Crossroads, Making of New Identities, National University of Singapore, Singapore
- 2002 Discovery Phase, Art-2 Gallery, Singapore
- 1999 City/Community: Singapore Art Today, National Arts Council & National Heritage Board
Ceramitivity, National University of Singapore, Singapore
Shifting Paradigms: Handmade, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore
Feature 5, Art-2 Gallery, Singapore
- 1997 Singapore Art '97, Invited Section, SICEC, National Arts Council & National Heritage Board, Singapore
- 1996 Down to Earth, Art Focus Gallery, Singapore

- 1994 Contrasts (with Ng Eng Teng), Takashimaya Gallery, Singapore
Gane & Benge Meet Iskandar Jalil, Art-2, The Substation, Singapore
- 1993 Hong Kong Festival of Arts, Hong Kong
Art in Asia, Singapore Art Fair, World Trade Centre, Singapore
- 1991 Pottery, Miyazaki, Kyushu, Japan
Clay Pieces, National Museum, Singapore
Singapore Pottery, National Stockholm Gallery, Sweden
- 1990 Infinity, Westin Stamford Hotel, Singapore
- 1989 Born of Fire, National Museum Art Gallery, Singapore
- 1988 Basics, National Museum, Singapore
Clay and Cloth, National Museum Art Gallery, Singapore
- 1987 Transformation Image – Contemporary Ceramics in Singapore, National Museum, Singapore
National Museum’s Centenary Art Festival, National Museum Art Gallery Singapore
Ying and Yang, National University of Singapore
- 1986 Clay Works, Alpha Gallery, Singapore
- 1985 International Ceramics, Taipei, Taiwan
- 1981 International Design, Osaka, Japan
- 1979 Ceramics and Sculpture, Gallery Asia, Singapore
- 1977 National Day Exhibition, Victoria Memorial Hall, Singapore
- 1976 Contemporary Singapore Sculpture, National Museum Art Gallery, Singapore
- 1975 14 Singapore Ceramics Artists, National Museum Art Gallery, Singapore
- 1972 ASEAN Art Exhibition, travelling exhibition to ASEAN countries

AWARDS & APPOINTMENTS

- 2016 Honorary Doctor of Letters (*honoris causa*), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 2015 Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Rosette, Japan
Meritorious Service Medal (National Day Awards), Singapore
- 2014 Japanese Foreign Minister’s Commendation Award, Japan
- 2012 The Public Service Star (BBM) Award, (National Day Awards), Singapore
- 2002 Achiever of The Year Award (Macdonald / Berita Harian), Singapore

- 1997 Pingat APAD, awarded by *Angkatan Pelukis Aneka Daya*, Singapore
1994 Fellow, Centre of the Arts, National University of Singapore, Singapore
1992 - 2006 Member of Advisory Panel, National Arts Council, Singapore
1988 Cultural Medallion (Visual Arts), Singapore
1977 Special Award, National Day Art Exhibition, Singapore

COMMISSIONS & PROJECTS

- 2009 Wall Mural, Embassy of Singapore in Vientiane, Laos
2004 Marina Barrage, Public Utilities Board, Singapore
2003 Wall Mural, National Trade Union Congress, Singapore
2002 Wall Mural, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore
1995 The Straits Times 150th Year (Singapore Press Holdings), Singapore
1994 Corporate Gifts for Keppel Shipyard, Singapore
Pan United Corporation, Singapore
1992 Clock Tower, Miyazaki Prefecture, Japan
Special gifts for International Design Forum Speakers, Design Centre, Singapore
Special gifts, Sotheby's Singapore, Plum Blossoms Gallery, Singapore
1990 Changi International Airport Terminal 2, Singapore
1988 Mural, Tanjong Pagar SMRT station, Singapore

COLLECTIONS

Former President Wee Kim Wee, Singapore
Former President George Bush, United States of America
Lee Kuan Yew (Minister Mentor), Singapore
CapitaLand, Singapore
Changi Airport Group, Singapore
Economic Development Board, Singapore
Governor of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
Keppel Shipyard, Singapore
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore

Monetary Authority of Singapore
National Heritage Board, Singapore
National Museum, Stockholm, Sweden
National Museum, Singapore
Raffles Country Club, Singapore
Sultan of Brunei Collection, Brunei Darussalam
Trade Development Board, Singapore