

# Hai ZHANG

- 1976 Born in Kunming, China
- 1999 Bachelor of Architecture, Chongqing University, Chongqing, China
- 2000 Move to the USA
- 2001 Master of Architecture, Florida International University, Miami, Florida

Currently lives and works in New York City

## SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITION

- 2021 Aged Innocence, Miyako Yoshinaga Gallery, New York, NY
- 2020 *The Beginning*, Chambre 07, Quartier du Chateau Vienux, Aubenas, France
- 2019 Silueta, Galerie du Tableau, Marseille, France
- 2018 The Eye is not Satisfied with Seeing, Miyako Yoshinaga Gallery, New York, NY,
- 2015 *Between Destinations*, 2015 Lianzhou International Foto Festival, Lianzhou,
- 2014 Hai Zhang- Everywhere, Nowhere, Luise Ross Gallery, New York, NY
- 2013 *Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost.* Galerie Voies Off, Arles, France *Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost,* Galerie du Tableau, Marseille, France *Unintended Homecoming*, Galerie Voies Off, Arles, France
- 2012 *Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost*, 2012 Bursa International Photography Festival, Bursa, Turkey *My Goal is Never Ending*, 2012 Pingyao International Photography Festival, Pingyao, China
- **2007** *Story Telling A personal gathering time*, Chang Gallery, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas

## **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2015 20 Years of Voies Off, Galerie Voies Off, Arles, France Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost & Awaiting the Rain, the Deutsche Bank Americas Foundation, New York, NY Sweet Seed & New York, New York, New York Foundation for the Arts, New York, NY Border Area, the Worker and Kolkhoz Woman Museum and Exhibition Center, Moscow, Russia
2014 Unintended Homecoming, Slick Attitude Art Fair, Paris, France Unintended Homecoming, Galerie Binomein, Paris, France Group Exhibition at Hôtel de Luppé, Fondation Carmignac, Arles, France. Raising the Temperature, Art in Environmental Reactions, Queens Museum, New York

*New York Eden*, Luise Ross Gallery, New York



2013 Contemporary documentary photography in the ever-changing Chinese landscape, Chobi Mela VII Photography Festival, Bangladesh Shipakala Academy, Dhaka, Bangladesh Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost in Come Again! Seen-Unseen, Galeri Bu, Istanbul, Turkey Borderland in the Russian Moment Expedition G20, the Russian Museum, Saint. Petersburg, Russia

Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost, Vivacom Art Centre, Sofia, Bulgaria

- 2012 *America Through a Chinese Lens,* Museum of Chinese in America, New York *Great Photographs,* Luise Ross Gallery, New York
- 2011 Southern Memories: Part 2, Slow Exposures, Photography Festival, Molena, Georgia
- 2010 *Southern Memories: Part 1*, Slow Exposures, Photography Festival, Molena, Georgia 2010 Valorate, VIII Colectiva de Arte, San Jose Historical Customs House, Costa Rica
- 2008 Meditation in Contemporary Chinese Landscape, Godwin-Ternbach Museum of Queens College, Queens, New York To Kill a Mockingbird, 2008 China Shandong International Contemporary Photography Biennial, Museum of Shandong University of Art & Design, Jinan, Shandong province, China
- 2007 *By Pass Pass By,* Shenzhen/Hong Kong Bi-City Biennial 2007, Jingse Gallery, Chongqing, China

Story Board, Amerasia Bank Gallery, Queens, New York

**2005** *Aphasia,* 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition of Asian American Arts Centre, Asian American Arts Centre, New York.

## PUBLIC COLLECTION

*To Kill a Mockingbird* – The Library of Congress, Washington, DC *The Eye is not Satisfied with Seeing* - The Library of Congress, Washington, DC *Untitled* – The Asian American Art Centre, New York, NY

## SELECTED PUBLIC TALK AND LECTURES

- 2018 Three Projects Conversation with Ryan Wong, Miyako Yoshinaga Gallery, New York
- 2014 Don't Follow Me, I'm Lost & Awaiting the Rain, Queens Museum, New York
- 2013 Contemporary Documentary Photography in the Ever-Changing Chinese Landscape Three Visions, Chobi Mela VII Photography Festival in Bangladesh, Dhaka Edward M. Kennedy Center, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- 2012 Sin Titulo, Photographic Exploration through Cultures, College of Architecture + the Arts, Florida International University
   Chinese Photography in Two Generations, Li Zhensheng and Hai Zhang with Robert Pledge, Director of Contact Press Images, 2012 Bursa International Photography Festival
   Artist Talks in Conjunction with America through a Chinese Lens, Arthur Ou, Hai Zhang, and Julie Quon with Christopher Phillips, Curator of ICP, the Museum of Chinese in America
- **2011** *Water, Culture and Climate Change* A view of people's transforming relationship with the Yangtze River, Arnhold Hall, The New School University, New York



*A Photographic Exploration of Rising Chinese Urban Space through People,* photographs of *China 2008-2011*, Queens Museum of Art, New York *Journey of Others*, Ullens Center for Contemporary Arts, Beijing, China

- 2010 *Moving-out & Living-in* photographs and short film from the project New Demand for *People's Housing,* India China Institute, The New School University, New York *Moving-out & Living-in,* Brooklyn Public Library, Brooklyn, New York *Designing Sustainable Cities for China,* Asia Society, New York
- 2005 Aphasia, Asian American Arts Center, New York, New York

## AWARDS AND GRANTS

- **2016** Abigail Cohen Fellowship for Documentary Photography, nomination, Asia Society and Magnum Foundation, New York, New York
- **2014** *Unintended Homecoming Best Photobook Dummies,* 2014 Kassel International Photobook Dummy Awards, Kassel, Germany
- 2013 Deutsche Borse Photography Prize, nomination 2014
- 2010 International Photography Awards, Under the Glory of Shanghai 2010 Expo, Honorable Mention in Professional Editorial Category, New York, New York
- Artist-in-Residence, Monte Azul Center of Art and Design, Costa Rica
- **2009** Rafael Vinoly Architecture Research, Fellowship, New York, New York
- 2008 Monte Azul Center of Art and Design, Artist-in-Residence, Costa Rica

## SELECTED MEDIA

Elle Man, The New York Times, The Initium, Dwell Magazine, Domus Magazine, Trends Home

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY\_(PUBLICATION, REVIEW, ARTICLE AND ESSAY)

- 2016 *Between Destinations,* Featured Project on LensCulture, Paris, France Miracle or Mirage, the Initium Media, Hong Kong *15 Talented Asian Photographers,* Dodho Magazine, Barcelona, Spain
- 2014 Unintended Homecoming, Spotlight Featured Project on LensCulture, Paris, France Raising the Temperature, Exhibition catalog, Queens Museum, New York, Feb 2014 Hai Zhang – Everywhere, Nowhere, Musee Magazine, New York, New York, June 2014
- 2013 *Lost in China,* PDN (Photo District News) Photo of Today, Jan 29, 2013 *Interview of Hai ZHANG,* La Journal de La Photographie, Jan 29, 2013 *Interview of Hai ZHANG,* Radio 3D FM, Arles, France, Jan, 2013



*Poor Accommodations,* ChinaFile, a Project of the Center of US-China Relations at Asia Society, New York, NY, April 2013

*Pressures and Distortions,* ChinaFile, a Project of the Center of US-China Relations at Asia Society, New York, NY, April 2013

*The Russian Moment,* 20 Leading World Photographs Expedition to Russia, RIA Novosti, Moscow, Russia, July 2013

- **2012** *Pressure and Distortion* The Challenge of Affordable Housing in China, Shenzhen and Shanghai, P. 16-118, (Rafael Vinoly Architecture Research Fellowship)
- 2010 Featured Immigrant Artist of the Month, (June 2010), New York Foundation of Arts *To Document the Unprivileged People in China via Lens,* Singtao Daily, New York (June 11)
- 2009 Hai Zhang's Photo Documentary Project, The PhotoDaily Magazine, Hong Kong, (Aug)
- **2008** *A Journey towards Comprehension*, OZ Journal, an Architecture and Planning Journal by Kansas State University, (Oct)
- 2007 *To Kill a Mockingbird*, Featured project on FILE Magazine, (Sept 2007)
- 2006 *Beyond Measure,* Exhibition Catalogue, New York *The Lay Life,* a photo essay of the Buddhist Practice in America, Columbia Journal of American Studies, Columbia University, New York

## PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- 2011 Queens Museum of Art, New Yorker Photography Workshop, Instructor, New York The College of Architecture, Visiting Critic of Contemporary Design Seminar Kansas State University, Planning & Design, Manhattan, Kansas
- 2009 Parsons School for Design, Visiting Professor, New York, New York