

ZHAO Gang

1961 Born in Beijing

Zhao Gang lives and works in Beijing and New York

Education

State Academy of Fine Art, Maastricht, Holland

Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY, USA

MFA Bard College, Annandale on Hudson, NY, USA

Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 Zhao Gang: Carnivore, Lisson Gallery, Beijing, China
Zhao Gang: China Stories, Galerie Nagel Draxler, Berlin, Germany
- 2022 Zhao Gang: Holiday, Jinghope Art Center, Sanya, Hainan, China
Zhao Gang: Nothing is Happening, Long Museum, Chongqing, China
- 2021 Zhao Gang: Domestic Anxiety, Long Museum, Shanghai, China
- 2020 Zhao Gang 21st : Supports / ColorLumps as Anthropography of History, Kuandu Museum of Fine Art, Taiwan, China
- 2019 Zhao Gang: History Painting, Pérez Art Museum Miami (PAMM), USA
Zhao Gang, Greene Naftali Gallery, New York, USA
- 2017 Useless Things – Zhao Gang New Works, AYE Gallery, Beijing, China
Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, Tang Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China
- 2016 Gang Zhao, Tilton Gallery, New York, USA
Gang Zhao–Contemporary Chinese Painting, Galerie Nagel Draxler, Cologne, Germany
Zhao Gang: The Road to Serfdom II, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo (MAC), Santiago, Chile
- 2015 Cocksucker Blues, BANK, Shanghai, China
Paramour' s Garden, Suzhou Museum, Suzhou, China
Zhao Gang: The Road to Serfdom, Ullens Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
- 2014 Emperor and His... – Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, AYE Gallery, Beijing, China
- 2013 The Khitans - Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, Platform China, Beijing, China
Another Reality, Gallery LIN, Taipei, China
- 2012 Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, Wada Fine Arts, Tokyo, Japan
- 2011 Sisyphus - Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, Aura Gallery, Beijing, China
Sick Man – Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, Today Art Museum, Beijing, China
Burning the Wood: The Collection of Du Yuesheng - Zhao Gang Solo

- Exhibition, AYE Gallery, Beijing, China
- 2010 Gang Zhao, Galerie Christian Nagel, Berlin, Germany
- 2009 Dance in Dream – Zhao Gang Solo Exhibition, Triumph Art Space, Beijing, China
- 2008 Painting of Zhao Gang, Hong Kong Art Center/Hanart TZ Gallery, Hong Kong, China
Gang Zhao, TSI Yi Space Gallery, Beijing, China
- 2007 Gang Zhao, Jack Tilton Gallery, NY, USA
Gang Zhao, Galerie Christian Nagel, Cologne, Germany
Gang Zhao, 10 Chancery Lane Gallery, Hong Kong, China
Portrait Landscape Memory, He Xiangning Art Museum, Shenzhen, China
- 2006 Broken Narrative, Galerie Bleich-Rossi, Vienna, Austria
- 2005 Want Sex, Beijing Art Now Gallery, Beijing, China
The War Game, Galerie Christian Nagel, Berlin, Germany
- 2004 Irony of Mistranslation, Michael Goedhuis, NY, USA
- 2002 Gallery 4A, Sydney, Australia
- 1999 Courtyard Gallery, Beijing, China
- 1994 Peg Alston Fine Arts, NY, USA
- 1992 Vorpall Gallery, NY, USA
- 1991 The Unpainted Landscapes, Gutharc Balin Gallery, Paris, France
- 1990 Vorpall Gallery, NY, USA
- 1989 Via Del Moro 25/b, Rome, Italy
- 1987 Lavaggi Gallery, NY, USA

Selected Group Exhibitions:

- 2021 M+ Sigg Collection: From Revolution to Globalisation, M+ Museum, Hong Kong, China
Jing Zhe, Surplus Space, Wuhan, China
- 2018 Turning Point-40 Years of Chinese Contemporary Art, Long Museum West Bund, Shanghai, China
- 2017 Art and China after 1989: Theatre of the World, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, USA
Zhao Gang: Comfortably Dumb, KWM Art Center, Beijing, China
Carnival, Massimo De Carlo, Hong Kong, China
- 2016 Self, Massimo De Carlo, London, UK
Our Painting, Yang Museum, Beijing, China
- 2015 Chinese Spirit – The Fourth Chinese Oil Painting Exhibition, Chinese Academy of Oil Painting, Beijing; Tianjian Art Museum, Tianjin; Shangdong

- Art Museum, Jinan; Shanghai Art Museum, Shanghai; Xi' an Art Museum, Xi' an, China
- The Civil Power-Beijing Minsheng Art Museum Opening Exhibition, Minsheng Art Museum, Beijing, China
- 2014 About Painting, OCT Contemporary Art Terminal, Xi' an, China
- 2013 Paint(erly), BANK, Shanghai, China
- 2012 Pinellia, Aura Gallery, Beijing, China
- 2010 Demolition Milk II, Kunst Im Tunnel, Düsseldorf, Germany
- 2009 Embrace Suzhou - Exhibition of the Chinese Contemporary Arts, Suzhou Museum, Suzhou, China
- Guangzhou Triennale, Guangzhou, China
- Yokohoma Triennale, Yokohoma, Japan
- 2008 Delirious Beijing, PKM Gallery, Beijing, China
- Chinese Apartment Art: 1970s-1990s, Shuimu Art Space, Beijing, China
- 2007 Yi School: Thirty Years of Abstract Art Preview in Beijing, Wall Art Museum, Beijing, China/Spain
- Origin Point: Star Group Retrospective Exhibition, Today Art Museum, Beijing, China
- Long March Project in Performa 07, New York, USA
- A Point in the Red, Kashya Hilderbrand Gallery, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2006 Jiang Hu, Tilton Gallery, New York, USA
- The Face of Contemporary Art in China, Virginia Beach Contemporary Museum of Art, Washington D.C., USA
- Sao Paulo Biennale, Brazil
- Asian Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art, Brisbane, Australia
- 2005 Contemporary Erotic Drawings, the Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, Connecticut / Diverse Works Gallery, Houston, Texas, USA
- David Diao and Gang Zhao, Hanart TZ Gallery, Hong Kong, China
- Yokohoma Triennale, Yokohoma, Japan
- 2004 Sunrise Sunset, Smack Mellon Gallery, NY, USA
- Silknet, Galerie Urs Meile, Luzern, Switzerland
- Taipei Biennale, Taiwan, China
- Shanghai Biennale, Shanghai, China
- Le Monie et la Demon – Chinese Contemporary Art, Museum of Contemporary Art Lyon, France
- 2003 David Diao / Gang Zhao: at Mid-Career, Asian American Arts Center/Chambers Fine Art, NY, USA
- 2002 Jessica Murray Projects, NY, USA

- 2001 Central Academy Gallery of Fine Art, Beijing, China
Wei Liu and Gang Zhao, Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2000 Xing Xing Group Show, Tokyo Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1998 Salon 300, Williamsburg, NY, USA
David Lowe and Gang Zhao, Peng Gallery, Philadelphia, USA
- 1990 The Door, P,S,1, Institute of the Arts/Blum Helman Gallery, NY, USA
- 1989 The Stars: 10 Years, Festival d' Automne de Paris, Paris, France
- 1987 SUNY Albany Art Gallery, Albany, NY, USA
- 1986 Beijing / New York: Avant-Grade Chinese Art, Sharon Creative Arts
Foundation, CT. USA / Vassar College Art Gallery, Poughkeepsie, NY, USA /
City Gallery, NY, USA
- 1980 Xing Xing (The Star), China Art Gallery, Beijing, China
- 1979 Xing Xing (The Star), Beihai Park, Beijing, China