

# MU PAN

Born in 1976, Taichung City, Taiwan

Lives and works in New York City, USA

## EDUCATION

2001 Bachelor in Illustration as Visual Essay, The School of Visual Arts, New York, USA

2007 Master Fine Arts with honours, The School of Visual Arts, New York, USA

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025 For the life of a creature, Galerie LJ, Paris

2024 Enter the dragon, Galerie LJ, Paris

2023 Another Journey to the West, Galerie LJ, Paris, France

2022 To Have A Mother Means Milk, Hashimoto Contemporary, New York, USA

2021 Don't Concentrate On The Finger, Galerie LJ, Paris, France

2019 Mu Pan And Other Beasts, Exhibition Retrospective, Colección Slo, Madrid, Spain

The Sword of MUtual Demise, Galerie LJ, Paris, France

2018 Bright Moon Shines On The River, Joshua Liner Gallery, New York, USA

Art Central Hong Kong, with Galerie LJ, Hong Kong

Battles Without Honor and Humanity, Poulsen Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark

2017 Treat Your Mother Right, Galerie LJ, Paris, France

2016 Your Mother Should Know, Poulsen Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark

2015 Fake Cover, Galerie LJ, Paris, France

2014 One Inch Punch, Copro Nason Gallery, Santa Monica, USA

2012 The Way of The Dog, 3rd Ward, Brooklyn, USA

2011 Art Taipei, Exposition personnelle dans le cadre du prix Artist Wanted/3rd Ward Open Call, Taipei

The Other Mountain and The Other Sea, KunstRaum H&H, Cologne, Germany

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2026 *Iconostasis*, Museum of Contemporary Art

Galerie LJ, Paris

*Tainted Love*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London, UK

*Beasts of Legend: Animals in East Asian Art*, Worcester Art Museum, Worcester, MA, USA

2025 *Carnival*, Deitch Projects, New York

*Rakugaki 7*, Giant Robot, LA

2024 *Hybrides: Composed Creatures From Sagas, Myths and Legends*, De Warande, Turnhout (Belgique)

2023 *Where the Wild Roses Grow*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Schloss Görne, Berlin, Germany

Zona Maco, Mexico DF, Represented by Hashimoto Contemporary, Mexico  
2022 Asia Now, Paris, with Galerie LJ. Paris, France  
*The New Ark*, curated by Art Can Die and Director Jacq, River City, Bangkok  
2021 *The Garden of Earthly Delights: A Contemporary Perspective on Bosch's Masterpiece*,  
Matadero, Centro de Creación Contemporanea, Madrid, Spain  
2020 Poulson Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark  
Art Madrid, with Galerie LJ, Madrid, Spain  
Art Herning, with Poulsen Gallery, Denmark  
2019 Summer show, Poulsen Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark  
Pulse Miami, with Poulsen Gallery, Miami, USA  
Art On Paper, with Poulsen Gallery, New York, USA  
Art Central, with Galerie LJ, Hong Kong  
*Solid State*, curated by Louie Cordero & Jordin Isip, Blanc Gallery, St. Ignatius, Philippines  
2017 La Belle Peinture, Spacejunk, Grenoble, France  
La Belle Peinture, Spacejunk, Lyon, France  
La Belle Peinture, Spacejunk, Bayonne, France  
Art Central, with Galerie LJ, Hong Kong  
2016 *Pulse Art Fair*, with Poulsen Gallery, Miami, USA  
YIA Art Fair, with Galerie LJ, Paris, France  
2015 Japanese American National Museum, Giant Robot Biennale IV, curator Eric Nakamura,  
Los Angeles, USA  
*Samurai*, Worcester Art Museum, Exposition collective, curator: Eric Nakamura  
Samurai curator Eric Nakamura, Group Exhibition, Worcester Art Museum, Boston, USA  
2014 Group Show, Galerie LJ, Paris, France  
2013 *Hey ! Part II*, Musée de l'Art Brut, Paris, France  
*Futur-ology*, Copro Nason Gallery, Santa Monica, USA  
2012 *SommerLoch 2012 Silly Season 2012*, KunstRaum H&H, Cologne, Germany  
*Permanent Collection*, Nancy Margolis Gallery, New York, USA  
*The Ace is Wild*, Copro Nason Gallery, Santa Monica, USA  
2011 *Dark Water*, Copro Nason Gallery, Santa Monica, USA  
*Sommerloch 2011*, KunstRaum H&H, Cologne, Germany  
La Luz de Jesus 25th Anniversary Group Show, Los Angeles, USA  
*Verge: Art Brooklyn*, New York, USA  
*Silly Season 2011*, KunstRaum H&H, Cologne, Germany  
*UNICEF's Tap Project*, GR2, Los Angeles, USA  
2010 *Silly Season 2010*, KunstRaum H&H, Cologne, Germany  
2009 2009 GEISAI Taiwan, Taipei, Taiwan  
*Papershapers*, Scion Installation LA Gallery, Los Angeles, USA  
Kerpoof!, Dr. M. T. Geoffrey Yeh Art Gallery, St. John's University, Queens, USA  
*Windows Brooklyn*, The Green Onion, Brooklyn, USA  
2008 *Friends*, Cheryl Pelavin Fine Arts LLC, New York, USA  
2007 *Thesis Show*, Visual Arts Gallery, New York, USA

*To All My Relations*, La Luz De Jesus Gallery, Los Angeles, USA  
2006 *The Book Show*, Visual Arts Gallery, New York, USA  
*The Type – writer Show*, Red Letter Gallery, Tampa, Florida, USA  
*The Unforgiving Drawing Show*, Changing Room Gallery, New York, USA  
2005 *The Ghost and Specters*, Compound Gallery, Portland, USA  
*The Super-hero Group Show*, Compound Galley, Portland, USA  
*Winter Group Show*, Fuse Gallery, New York, USA  
2004 *Meathaus @Meltdown Group Show*, Meltdown Gallery, Los Angeles, USA  
2003 *The Social Affair Group Show*, Memphis University, Memohis, USA

## HIGHLIGHTS AND AWARDS

2011 Catherine Rhodes Scholarship  
2007 Artist Wanted/3rd Ward Summer Open Call Grand Prize  
2006 MFA Illustration Department Merit Scholarship  
2001 Alumni Scholarship Award

## COMMISSION

2019 Image for opening scene of movie *Midsommar* by Ari Aster.  
2015 Main poster image for award-winning motion film by Daniel and Matthew Wolfe “Catch Me Daddy”

## REFERENCES

<http://www.galerielj.com/portfolio/mu-pan-paintings-epic-battles-animals-chinese/>  
<https://www.gallerypoulsen.com/artist/download/cv?artistid=15>