

## SONG LING

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Born in Hangzhou, China  
Bachelor of Arts, China National Academy of Fine Arts, China  
Lives and works in Melbourne, Australia

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2013 Faces, Eva Breuer, Sydney
- 2012 Beauty & the Beast, Niagara Galleries Melbourne
- 2011 A day in the life, Michael Reid, Sydney
- 2010 Kaleidoscope, Niagara Galleries, Melbourne
- 2009 Eva Breuer Art Dealer, Sydney
- 2008 When We Were Young, Niagara Galleries, Melbourne
- 2007 Eva Breuer Art Dealer, Sydney
- 2006 Niagara Galleries, Melbourne
- 2001 Contemporary Ink Work by Song Ling, Zhejiang Painting Academy, Hangzhou, China
- 1997 Caulfield Arts Complex, Melbourne
- 1996 Paintings by Song Ling, Pinacotheca, Melbourne
- 1994 Paintings by Song Ling, Pinacotheca, Melbourne
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- 1991 Mystical East, Chinese Museum, Melbourne
- 1989 Impounded Visions, Frank Hardy Fine Art, Brisbane

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2012 9<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, Gaffer Ltd Hong Kong
- 2011 2011 Festival of Fisheries Ghost Art Award, Campbell Town Art Centre, NSW  
LA Art Show, Los Angeles, Gaffer Ltd Hong Kong  
Art for science, Nellie Castan Gallery, Melbourne  
2011 Savage Club Art Prize Exhibition, Melbourne  
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney  
Citizen Collectors, Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, NSW  
Prometheus visual arts award 2011, Merrimac, QLD  
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney  
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney  
Artwork to Tapestry, Tarra Warra Museum of Art, Victoria  
Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, NSW
- 2010 The 2010 Stan and Maureen Duke Gold Coast Art Prize, Gold Coast City Gallery, Gold Coast, QLD  
2010 Festival of Fisheries Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown Art Centre, NSW  
Paul Guest Prize 2010, Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria  
Melbourne Art Fair, Niagara Galleries, Royal Exhibition Building, Melbourne  
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney  
Williamstown Festival Contemporary Art Prize, Melbourne  
The Stanthorpe Art festival Award, Stanthorpe Regional Art Gallery, QLD
- 2009 The Eutick Memorial Still Life Award, the Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, NSW  
Art for Science, Nellie Castan Gallery, Melbourne  
Sunshine Coast Art Prize 09, Caloundra Regional Gallery, Queensland  
2009 City of Darebin and La Trobe University Art Prize, Bundoora Homestead Art Centre, Melbourne  
Recent acquisitions from the Deakin University art collection, Deakin University, Melbourne

- Coming Home, Linda Gallery, Beijing, China  
 Now 2.0, ACGA Gallery, Federation Square, Melbourne  
 Salon des Refuses Exhibition, The National Trust S.H.Ervin Gallery, Sydney  
 Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2008  
 Art Singapore 2008, Gaffer Hong Kong, Singapore  
 Melbourne Art Fair, Niagara Galleries, Royal Exhibition Building, Melbourne  
 From Mao to Now, Sydney Olympic Park, Sydney  
 Australian Contemporary, the Rotunda, Exchange Square, Central Hong Kong  
 Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney  
 Linden Postcard Show, Linden, Melbourne
- 2007  
 The 2007 Stan and Maureen Duke Gold Coast Art Prize, Gold Coast City Gallery,  
 Gold Coast, QLD  
 ABN AMRO 2007 Emerging Artist Award Finalists Exhibition, Sydney  
 2007 Blake Prize Exhibition, National Art School, Sydney and Tour  
 Savage Club Art Prize Exhibition, Melbourne  
 ABN AMRO 2007 Emerging Artist Award Melbourne Exhibition, Melbourne  
 2007 MLC Acquisitive Art Exhibition, Melbourne  
 The City of Darebin and La Trobe University art prize 2007, Bundoora Homestead  
 Art Centre, Melbourne  
 Art for Science, Nellie Castan Gallery, Melbourne  
 Crossroads, Toyota Community Spirit Gallery, Melbourne  
 The 2007 Prometheus Art Exhibition, Gold Coast  
 Art@mgs Contemporary Art Exhibition, Motor Works Gallery, Melbourne  
 Tattersall Contemporary Art Prize Exhibition, Melbourne
- 2006  
 If You Were To Collect, the Deloitte Art Exhibition, Melbourne  
 Geelong Contemporary Art Prize exhibition, Geelong Gallery, Victoria  
 ABN AMRO Emerging Artist Award Finalists exhibition, Sydney  
 New Social Commentaries F.J.Foundation Art Prize Exhibition, Warrnambool Art  
 Gallery, Victoria  
 ABN AMRO Emerging Artist Award Melbourne exhibition, Melbourne  
 Melbourne Art Fair, Niagara Galleries, Royal Exhibition Building, Melbourne
- 2004  
 Sydney Affordable Art Fair, East and West Art, Sydney
- 2001  
 New Space-2000, Hangzhou, China
- 1999  
 International Contemporary Calligraphy, Hangzhou, China
- 1997  
 Pinacotheca Artists, Pinacotheca, Melbourne  
 Chinese Painting, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
- 1995  
 Chinese Artists Association, Fire Station Gallery, Melbourne
- 1994  
 A Place of Refuge, Ballarat Art Gallery, Victoria
- 1993  
 1993 Diamond Valley Art Award Exhibition, Melbourne
- 1992  
 Transitional Chinese Art in Australia, East and West Art, Melbourne
- 1990  
 Raja Idris Gallery, Melbourne
- 1989  
 The Light of Asia, the Centre, Gold Coast, Queensland
- 1988  
 Australia in the Mirror of the East, Galleria Di Tonetto E Salla, Gold Coast,  
 Queensland  
 Mayoon Fine Asian Art, Los Angeles, USA
- 1986  
 The Pond, a series of art events, happenings and environmental installations, China  
 Beyond the Open Door, Pacific Asia Museum, Los Angeles then touring
- 1985  
 New Space, Hangzhou, China  
 Sport in Chinese Art, China Art Gallery, Beijing, China  
 Young Advancing Chinese Artists, China Art Gallery, Beijing, China

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

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 Suzanne Carbone, *Artists' multicultural palette*, The Age, November 24, 2011  
 Kate Just, *Song Ling Pop Artist*, ARTicle, Volume 12, Number 1 and 2, 2011 Melbourne.

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Helen Redmond, %A stable influence+, Vogue Living, Autumn/winter 2010.  
Kate Just, Song Ling-Kaleidoscope, Exhibition catalogue, Niagara Publishing, Melbourne  
Paul Gladston, %Song Ling in Conversation with Paul Gladston+, Yishu, volume7, November 2008  
Harriet Fesq, %Strokes of genius+, Art Market Report, Issue29, August 2008  
Megan Backhouse, %Art around the Galleries+, the Age, February 2, 2008  
Jeff Makin, %New point of inspiration in dot matrix+, The Herald Sun, January 29, 2008  
Alison Barclay, %Artists brush with a deserving cause+, The Herald Sun, July 28, 2007  
Lu Peng, %A History of Art in Twentieth-Century China, Dec, 2006, China  
A New social commentaries 06q Artwork, Issue 65, December 2006  
Christopher Heathcote, Ideas along an artists journeyq The Age, April 29, 1992  
Rebecca Lancashire and Mike Daly, %Chinese Culture Goes on Display+The Age, February 1991  
Of Contemporary Chinese Artists, Chinese Research Institute, Beijing, 1988

## **COLLECTIONS**

Art Bank, Sydney  
ANZ Bank Collection, Melbourne  
Deakin University Art collection, Melbourne  
Hawkesbury One Art Group Collection  
Pacific Asia Museum, Los Angeles  
Private collections, Australia, Hong Kong, USA, Singapore and UK  
Yuz Foundation . Budi Tek, Shanghai  
Long Museum, - Shanghai

## **COMMISSIONS**

Deakin University Tapestry Commission, Iq n Ready, 2009  
Private portrait commissions, Australia