

# **TENZING RIGDOL**

Born 1982, Kathmandu, Nepal Lives and works in New York, NY

#### **EDUCATION**

BFA (Painting and Drawing) and BA (Art History) 2005, University of Colorado, Denver, USA

Diploma in Tibetan Traditional Thangka Painting 2003, Tibet Thangka Art School, Kathmandu, Nepal, under the tutelage of Gen Phenpo Tendhar and Tenzin Gawa

Tibetan Traditional Sand Painting and Butter Sculpture 2002, Shekar Chorten Monastery, Kathmandu, Nepal, under the tutelage of Lama Thupten

Tibetan Traditional Collage and Thangka Art 1999, under the tutelage of Tsering Yankyi

## **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

All exhibitions with published catalogues have been marked with an asterisk \*

2015

Change is the Eternal Law, Rossi & Rossi, Hong Kong

2013

Darkness into Beauty, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK\*

2012

Tenzing Rigdol, Art Stage Singapore, Rossi & Rossi, Singapore

2011

Our Land Our People, in collaboration with Rossi & Rossi, site-specific installation, TCV Dharamshala, India

2009

Experiment with Forms, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK\*

# **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2017

Lucid Dreams and Distant Visions: South Asian Art in the Diaspora, Asia Society, New York, USA

2016

Image-In Tibet, La Lanterns, Rambouillet, France

2015

Tibet Art Now, Fracis Boeske Projects, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Transcending Tibet, Trace Foundation with Art Hub, Rogue Space Chelsea, New York, U.S.A
The European Fine Art Fair (TEFAF), Maastricht, Netherlands
Anonymous- Contemporary Tibetan Art, CU Art Museum, Boulder, CO, U.S.A
Busan Biennale, Sea Art Festival

2014

KORA, Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY, U.S.A

Parallel Realities, Arndt Gallery, Berlin, Germany

Tenzing Rigdol- Offerings, Performance, Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY, U.S.A



Anonymous- Contemporary Tibetan Art, Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY, U.S.A A Time for Dreams, the IV Moscow International Biennale, Moscow Museum of Art, Moscow, Russia

Impermanence, Rossi & Rossi Gallery, Hong Kong, China

Our Clouded Hills, Art-14, London, United Kingdom

Tibet-India: Buddhist Tradition & Transformations, The Metropolitan Museum of the Art, New York, U.S.A,

### 2013

Same Difference, Rossi & Rossi Gallery, London, United Kingdom

In-between, Rossi & Rossi Gallery, London, United Kingdom

Anonymous-Contemporary Tibetan Art, The Fleming Museum of Art, Burlington, VT, U.S.A Anonymous- Contemporary Tibetan Art, Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art, New York, U.S.A

#### 2012

Victory - Triumph in Classical and Contemporary Asian Art, Rossi & Rossi Gallery, London, United Kingdom

#### 2011

Roundabout: Face to Face, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, Israel

Tibetan Contemporary Art-Tantric Vision in Modern Self-expression, Tibet House Gallery, Tibet House, New York, U.S.A, Tibetan Contemporary Art, Temnikova & Kasela Gallery, Temnikova & Kasela Gallery with Rossi & Rossi, Estonia, Tibet.Art.Now. Tibetan Art between Tradition and Modernity, Palazzo Nerucci, Rome, Italy

Tradition Transformed - Tibetan Artist Respond, Crow Collection of Asia Art Museum, Dallas, TX, U.S.A

Beyond the Mandala, Contemporary Art from Tibet, Volte Gallery with Rossi & Rossi, Mumbai, India

The Missing Peace, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX, U.S.A

Anonymous- Contemporary Tibetan Art, The Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth, U.S.A

### 2010

The Missing Peace, Brukenthal National Museum, Sibiu, Romania

Roundabout, City Gallery Wellington, Wellington, New Zealand

Boys and Girls Come out to Play, Summer Exhibition, Rossi & Rossi Gallery, London, United Kingdom

The Missing Peace, Nobel Museum, Stockholm, Sweden

Scorching Sun of Tibet, Songzhuang Art Museum, Beijing, China

Tradition Transformed - Rubin Museum of Art, New York City, NY, U.S.A

Jaishri Abhichandani and Tenzing Rigdol, Art HK 10, Rossi & Rossi, Hong Kong, China

# 2009

The Missing Peace, The Frost Art Museum, Florida International University, Miami, CA, U.S.A 50 x 50- Art for Tibet, Live Painting by Tenzing Rigdol, Art in General, New York, U.S.A Exile Brushstrokes, Maysles Cinema, Harlem, NY, U.S.A

The Missing Peace, Fundacion Canal, Madrid, Spain

Contemporary Tibetan Art, Oglethorpe University Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA. U.S.A

### 2008

Painting with Poetry, Red Mill Gallery, Johnson, Vermont, U.S.A

New Works by Tenzing Rigdol and Palden Weinrab, Dinter Fine Arts Gallery, New York, U.S.A

SH Contemporary O8, The Asia Pacific Contemporary Art Fair, Shanghai, China

Contemporary Tibetan, Art Hong Kong O8, Hong Kong, China



### 2007

The Missing Peace, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts (YBCA), San Francisco, CA, U.S.A Past and Present- Tibetan Art -13<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Christopher Farr Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, U.S.A

Consciousness and Form- Contemporary Tibetan Art, Rossi & Rossi, London, United Kingdom The Missing Peace, Emory Visual Arts Gallery, Atlanta, GA, U.S.A

The Missing Peace, Rubin Museum of Art, New York, U.S.A

Tenzing Rigdol: Aesthetic Deconstruction, Performance, Rubin Museum of Art, New York, U.S.A The Missing Peace, The School of Visual Art, New York, U.S.A,

Tibetan Encounters: Contemporary meets Tradition, Neuhoff Gallery, New York, U.S.A

#### 2006

The Missing Peace, Loyola University Museum of Art (LUMA), Chicago, IL, U.S.A Waves on the Turquoise Lake---Tibetan Contemporary Art, CU Art Museum, Boulder, CO, U.S.A

The Missing Peace, UCLA Fowler Museum of Cultural History, Los Angeles, CA. U.S.A

#### 2005

BFA Thesis Show: Fusion Art Volume III, Emmanuel Gallery, Denver, CO, U.S.A Young Guns, Plus+Gallery, Denver, CO, U.S.A

### 2004

UCDHSC Alumni Marriot Exhibition, Marriot Gallery, Denver, CO, U.S.A

#### 2003

Fusion Art Volume II, Auraria Library, Denver, CO, U.S.A

# **FELLOWSHIPS AND RESIDENCIES**

2011

Iowa Writers Residency, University of Iowa, Iowa City, USA

### 2008

Rubin Museum of Art: Himalayan Artist Fellowship, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, USA

### **PUBLIC COLLECTIONS**

Glenbarra Art Museum, Japan Metropolitan Musuem of Art, New York, NY Rubin Museum of Art, New York, NY World Museum Liverpool, Liverpool UK