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ARIN DWIHARTANTO SUNARYO: ASHFALL

Solo exhibition by Arin Dwihartanto
31 May to 7 July '13

EQUATOR ART PROJECTS invites you to Arin Dwihartanto Sunaryo: Ashfall, a solo exhibition by Arin Dwihartanto Sunaryo.

In this new body of work Arin Dwihartanto Sunaryo develops further his use of pigmented resin and volcanic ash as the material to make paintings with. In this body of work photographs are also combined with the paintings to give extra complexity, colour and depth. The ash as before comes from the recent eruption of Mount Merapi in Jogjakarta. He is fascinated by notions of, as he says, "preserving the maelstrom". Although these are abstract paintings the symbolism of the material and what he does with it is vital.

These are rich, turbulent paintings, a triptych, diptychs, and single panels. A painting from the new and very different *Ashflow* series will also be shown in which a very different mood exists, one of meditative calm. There is only the one colour, only the one direction.

In the project room he will show a range of smaller work in which he recycles and adapts the residues of resin that he creates when making his paintings. These are experimental works, but give a fascinating insight into future directions in which his work may expand.

2013 is the year in which Arin has become a truly international artist showing in New York (at Guggenheim), Berlin, Hong Kong and elsewhere. This exhibition is a unique opportunity to see a new body of work by one of the most exciting young artists in South East Asia.

Arin Dwihartanto Sunaryo will be in conversation with Tony Godfrey at equator Art projects between 2 and 3 on Saturday the 1st June.

A catalogue with an essay by Tony Godfrey and a conversation between Arin and him will be available.

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EXHIBITION OPENING & PUBLIC PROGRAMMES

OPENING RECEPTION:

DATE: FRIDAY, 31 May '13

TIME: 6.30 PM To 10 PM

PUBLIC LECTURE:

DATE: SATURDAY, 1 JULY '13

TIME: 2 PM To 3 PM

VENUE: EQUATOR ART PROJECTS

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About Equator Art Projects

The newly established Equator Art Projects is a sister gallery to one of the top Indonesian galleries – Langgeng Art Gallery. Equator Art Projects represents a core group of acclaimed Indonesian artists, and exhibits works of artists from the region, especially Singapore and the Philippines. Equator Art Projects aims to be a platform for art that is intelligent, sensuous, and “of-this-moment” — be it painting, sculpture or of a conceptual heritage. It also aims to contribute to the study of Southeast Asian art history through its exhibitions and publications.

About Gillman Barracks

Gillman Barracks (GB) is Asia’s up-and-coming destination for contemporary art. It will be distinguished as a vibrant centre in Asia for the creation, exhibition and discussion of contemporary art. Named after British general Sir Webb Gillman, GB is set amid lush greenery and was once a stronghold to the First Battalion of the Middlesex Regiment. The conserved colonial barracks will house galleries and creative businesses, as well as the Centre for Contemporary Art (CCA) Singapore. The international galleries will feature diverse and ever-changing contemporary art exhibitions, while CCA Singapore will bolster the region’s visual arts landscape through its international artist residency, research and exhibition programmes. By fostering cultural exchange and creation, showcasing the best and most innovative art of our times, as well as generating discourse and research, CCA Singapore will establish Singapore as an important centre for contemporary art in Asia. Gillman Barracks was officially launched on 14 September 2012, and is open to public since 15 September 2012. The Centre for Contemporary Art (CCA) Singapore will open in 2013. More information on Gillman Barracks can be found at www.gillmanbarracks.com.

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EVENT INFORMATION

Exhibition

*ARIN DWIHARTANTO SUNARYO:
ASHFALL*

Venue

Equator Art Projects 47 Malan
Road #01-21

Exhibition dates

31 May – 7 July 2013

Exhibition opening

Friday, 31 May 2013, 6.30pm – 10pm

Public Lecture

Saturday, 1 July 2013, 2pm – 3pm

Venue: Equator Art Projects

Speaker: Tony Godfrey &

Arin Dwihartanto Sunaryo

Admission

Free

Nearest MRT station

Labrador Park

Link to map

[http://gothere.sg/maps - q:109444](http://gothere.sg/maps-q:109444)

Gallery hours

Tuesday to Saturday: 12pm–7pm

Sunday: 12pm–6pm

Closed on Mondays and Public Holidays

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Arin Dwihartanto Sunaryo, *BLOWN*, pigmented resin, Merapi volcanic ash, digital print mounted on wooden panel, 2013