#### **SANTI WANGCHUAN** (b. 1988, Thailand)

Santi Wangchuan makes hand-woven works inspired by his family's traditions, reflecting an integration of religion, stories, equipment, and tools that are native to his hometown in Thailand. Born into a family of traditional weavers, he acquired the skill at a young age from his grandmother; and through his mixed media work, he resourcefully preserves an art technique that is soon to be lost, continuing the conservation of his culture. Wangchuan earned a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Thai Art (Second Class Honors) from the Faculty of Painting Sculpture and Graphic Arts, Silpakorn University, and recently graduated with an MFA in Visual Arts, the Faculty of Painting Sculpture and Graphic Arts, Silpakorn University, Bangkok. He was awarded the "3rd Honoured Bronze Award" at the 61st National Exhibition of Art, Bangkok, Thailand in 2015 and has participated in multiple art exhibitions, such as the 35th Bualuang Painting Exhibition, The Queen's Gallery, Bangkok in 2013, and the Amata Foundation's 'Art Awards'.

#### **EDUCATION**

2017	Doctor of Philosophy (Visual Art) Faculty of Painting Sculpture and Graphic Arts, Silpakorn University, Bangkok Thailand
2014	Master's degree of Fine arts, Visual Arts Program, Faculty of Painting Sculpture and Graphic Arts, Silpakorn University, Bangkok Thailand
2011	Bachelor's degree of Fine arts, Visual Arts Program, Faculty of Painting Sculpture and Graphic Arts, Silpakorn University, Bangkok Thailand
2006	Ubon Ratchathani Vocational College
2003	Benchama Maharat School
2000	Ubonwittayakom School

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2016 Weaving Works, Yeo Workshop, Gillman Barracks, Singapore

The Four, People's Gallery, Bangkok, Thailand

Asia Now Paris, Paris, France

# **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2022	Taem Si Sin, Magnificent Site of Civilization @ PhaTaem, Contemporary Art Festival in the Mekong River Basin, Pha Taem National Park, Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand
2021	ORNAMENTAL · 瓖 (XIĀNG), Yeo Workshop, Singapore
2020	Strange Things, TWENTY TWENTY at 2 Cavan Road, Singapore
2019	Catalogue, Yeo Workshop, Singapore
2018	3H13: Head Heart Hands Art Exhibition 2018, Ph.D. Faculty of Painting Sculpture and Graphic Arts, Silpakorn University, Thailand
	Art Busan, BEXCO Exhibition Centre 1, Busan, South Korea
2017	Threads & Tensions - Stories From Southeast Asia, Yeo Workshop, Singapore
	Art Central Hong Kong, Central Harbourfront, Hong Kong, China
	Art Stage Singapore, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore
2016	Art Stage Singapore, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore
2015	Same: Different, Yeo Workshop, Singapore
2014	Sense of Local, H.R.H. Princess Sirindhorn Art Gallery, Silpakorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
2013	The 35th Bualuang Painting Exhibition, The Queen's Gallery, Bangkok, Thailand

2012	The 34th Bualuang Painting Exhibition, The Queen's Gallery, Bangkok, Thailand
	The 29th Exhibition of Contemporary Art by Young Artists, Sanam Chandra Art Gallery, Silpakorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
2011	The 28th Exhibition of Contemporary Art by Young Artists, Sanam Chandra Art Gallery, Silpakorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
	Book and Learning Exhibition of Ubon Ratchathani, Suneegrand Hotel, Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand
	Art Society of Primary Educational Service Area, Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand
2010	Art and Culture Exhibition, Department of Cultural Promotion, Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand
	Culture creating and Creative Economy Exhibition, Pra-Pai hall, Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand
AWARDS	
2015	"3rd-Honoured Bronze Award" The 61th National Exhibition of Art, Bangkok, Thailand
2012	"3rd-Honoured Bronze Award" The 58th National Exhibition of Art, Bangkok, Thailand

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"Second Runner-Up Award" Bust Sculpting Skill Competition

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## **COLLECTIONS**

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**YEO WORKSHOP** 

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