Kailan Jia

Visual Artist

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Master's degree in Printmaking
Bachelor's degree in Oil Painting
Studied at the Guangzhou Academy of Fine Arts, China.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS AND AWARDS

2025 Still Waters
Burbank, California, USA

2023 Showcase Art Exhibition
Pasadena, California, USA

2019 Emergence - Women's Art Exhibition
Pasadena, California, USA

2016 Form and Shadow
San Diego, California, USA

2012 Where the Heart Leads
Pasadena, California, USA

2007 Forward! Forward! Forward! - The 2nd Guangdong New Youth Art Exhibition
Guangdong Museum of Art, Guangzhou, China | Selected artist

2004 Illustration West 42 - Bronze Award
Society of Illustrators of Los Angeles, California, USA

1997 2nd China Still Life Oil Painting Exhibition
Beijing, China

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

2004 | The Development of Books' Graphic Design
G. J. C Design Alliance, July

ARTISTIC PRACTICE

Rooted in oil painting and printmaking, my practice extends into digital still and moving images. I explore water, mist, light and calligraphic gesture, tracing the relationships between movement and stillness, recognisable landscapes and abstraction. East Asian aesthetics and the expressive qualities of painting and printmaking inform this work.