# TSAO Yidi

## Curriculum Vitae

#### PERSONAL INFOMATION

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Born in Northeast China, I'm currently based in Hong Kong and Berlin. Over the past five years, I have been involved in different roles in the contemporary art world, including writer, translator, producer and curator in various capacities, working with artists and art professionals from different cultures and regions around the globe. I'm driven by my passion in arts and media technology to create stimulating experience for the curious minds in a transnational context.

#### **EDUCATION**

2015.09 - 2016.07	MA in Creative Media (Curating Art&Media) with Distiction School of Creative Media, City University of Hong Kong
2009.09 - 2012.11	BA (Hons.) in English Language and Literature, Minor in Visual Arts <b>Hong Kong Baptist University</b>

#### **EXPERIENCE**

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2014.06 - present	Independent Curator, Producer, Writer, Translator: Hong Kong / Berlin
2015.09- 2016.05	<b>Chair of Artist Residence Programme</b> : International Symposium on Electronic Art 2016, Hong Kong
2013.10 - 2014.05	<b>Editor</b> : City Howwhy Ltd, <i>The Art Newspaper China</i> , Hong Kong
2013.03 - 2013.10	Gallerist: Contemporary by Angela Li, Hong Kong

#### PROJECTS, EXHIBITIONS AND SCREENINGS

11.18 - 2018.01.13	Curator: Exhibition Any Dimension You Like, Edmond Gallery, Berlin
2017.03.01 - 03.10	Guest Curator: Exhibition #exstrange, online
12.05 - 2017.01.02	Curator: Screenings & Exhibition <i>Janus Cinémathèque</i> and <i>Advertising Positions</i> , as part of <i>Montage Express</i> , <b>Oi! Street Art Space</b> , Hong Kong
2016.05.20 - 07.04	Curator: Exhibition <i>Re: FUSE</i> , supported by <b>Videotage</b> and <b>K11 Art Foundation</b> , chi K11 Art Space, Hong Kong
2016.05.16 - 05.22	Producer: Workshop <i>Curating Art After New Media HK: Professional Development Course</i> , in collaboration with <b>Videotage</b> , led by <b>Beryl Graham</b> and <b>Sarah Cook</b> , funded by Hong Kong Arts Development Council, Hong Kong
2016.05.13 - 05.15	Curator: Festival <i>WIKITOPIA2016: Surveillance &amp; Privacy in the Post-Snowden Era</i> , supported by <b>Videotage</b> and <b>Goethe Institute Hongkong</b> , Hong Kong

2015.11.27 - 11.29 Co-Curator: Immersive, interactive art exhibition *The Magnet Palace*, **Clockenflap** 

Music & Arts Festival, Hong Kong

2014.12 - 2015.06 Producer&Writer: Radio programme *The Sound of Art and Science,* Channel DAB31,

Radio and Television Hong Kong, Hong Kong

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

2017.03.31 - 04.01 "Grey Matters", *Forecast Forum*, Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin

#### WRITING AND TRANSLATION

Contribution and collaboration to/with the following magazines and institutions, including but not limited to, Art Bank, Artslink, Bloomberg Businessweek, Christie's, City Contemporary Dance Company, CoBo Social, Desing Anthology, Design Society, Galerie Krinzinger, Hong Kong Arts Festival, Hong Kong Arts Centre, Hong Kong Classic Music Yearbook, Hong Kong Dance Company, Leap, Modern Weekly, Microwave International New Media Arts Festival, Ran Dian, Robb Report China, Shanghai Biennale, The Art Newspaper China, Victoria&Albert Museum, Whitewall China, WKLY, Xavier Hufkens, etc.

#### **LANGUAGES**

**Mandarin** Mother Tongue

CantoneseFluentEnglishFluentGermanIntermediateFrenchIntermediate

#### **SKILLS**

**Graphic Design Web Development**Adobe Creative Suite
HTML, CSS, Javascript

**3D Modelling** SketchUp

Others Book Binding, Letterpress printing, Screen printing, Sewing, Soldering

### **SOCIAL & PERSONAL COMPETENCY**

Good interpersonal skills and team spirit Culturally adaptability Critical thinking Motivation and dedication

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