

State of the Art - China 2010: [Trends & developments in Chinese contemporary art]

ArtInsight, the events partner of leading art market research firm ArtTactic, in association with the **University of Westminster - Asian Studies**, have the great pleasure of inviting you to participate in an exclusive half-day seminar, focused on trends and opportunities in the Chinese contemporary art scene.

The seminar will include talks, & in-depth panel discussions, with key figures from all perspectives in the Chinese contemporary art world, including; curators, gallerists, museum professionals, collectors, artists, & art market experts - providing an insider's, comprehensive perspective of both market & artistic trends in China today, & into the future.

In 2009, when the global art market shrunk by more than a third, the Chinese art market bucked this trend, achieving record sales, and boosting its share of the world art market to 14%; now ranked third in the global market. Apart from the major success of its art market in recent years, the infrastructure of the Chinese art world has developed with a growing number of art districts, museums and galleries-rapidly becoming a major centre of art production, and confirming Asia's ever-increasing importance in the global art scene.

Date: Monday, April 12th, 2010 / 2:00pm-7:30pm (including Drinks Reception)

Location: University of Westminster, The Pavilion, 115 New Cavendish Street, London, W1W 6UW

Leadings Speakers to include:

Simon Groom: Director, Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh
Curator, *The Real Thing: Contemporary Art from China*, Tate Liverpool

Dr. Katie Hill: Curator & Senior Lecturer in Contemp Chinese Art (Univ. of Westminster)

Simon Kirby: Director, Chambers Fine Art (New York / Beijing)

Sylvain Levy: Leading Collector, & Founder- DSL Collection

Anders Petterson: Managing Director, ArtTactic

Sheng Qi: Artist

Jeffrey Boloten: Managing Director, ArtInsight (*Seminar Moderator*)

Price: **£95** (including Drinks Reception)

As spaces are limited, early booking is advised. For more information & bookings, contact:
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