

## GABRIEL CHEAH

b. 1998, Kuala Kangsar, Malaysia

Gabriel Cheah is a Malaysian-born contemporary visual artist, ceramicist, and sculptor based in Kuala Lumpur, who uses art as a tool of self-expression and escapism. He graduated from the Malaysian Institute of Art, Kuala Lumpur, in 2021. His work has received recognition, including being named in Prestige 40 under 40 (PRESTIGE Malaysia, 2024) and The Z List 2023 (Lifestyle Asia, 2023).

As an artist, he aims to create hopeful pieces that radiate positive energy and joy. His deep connection to Perak, a state in northwest of Peninsular Malaysia, means that elements of his diverse cultural background are always present throughout his whimsical artworks - be it a painting or sculpture. His artwork is influenced by the environment where he grew up; from the production of Labu Sayong, to the golden elements, and the beautiful and classical architecture found in Kuala Kangsar itself. His sculptures are created using clay originating from his birthplace - the royal town of Kuala Kangsar, Perak. Gabriel's works also combine various mediums, including acrylic, clay, plaster, European crystal, and 24K gold leaf.

Cheah's past exhibitions include: "Microcosm: Intimacies Beyond Distance," 2025, Tang Contemporary Art Singapore; "Unveiling South East Asia: Harmony In Diversity", 2025, Lucie Chang Fine Arts, Hong Kong; "ArtMoments Jakarta 2025, G13 Gallery, Indonesia; "1000 Tiny Artworks 2025", Hin Bus Depot, Malaysia; "CLICK Experience COLLAPSE in 3D," 2024, Malaysia.

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## EDUCATION

2021 Graduated from Malaysian Institute of Art, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

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## SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 "COLLAPSE," HARTA Space, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 "The Wayfarer in Motion: Group Exhibition", Tang Contemporary Art Bangkok, Thailand  
"Microcosm: Intimacies Beyond Distance," Tang Contemporary Art, Singapore, Singapore,  
Singapore  
"Celebrating Diversity: Consuming Culture, Constructing Identity," G13 Gallery, Selangor,  
Malaysia  
"Unveiling Southeast Asia: Harmony in Diversity," Lucie Chang Fine Art, Sheung Wan, Hong  
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