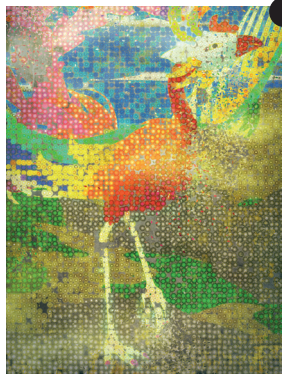




The Singapore Art Week and activities to kick off the Singapore Bicentennial celebrations take centre stage this month



11: A Bizarre Social Experiment



ONGOING FLEETING TIME, CAPTURED MOMENT

Capturing themes of nature, life cycles and the study of time, this exhibition at the Miaja Gallery, in collaboration with Ikkan Art Gallery, features three celebrated Japanese creatives including teamLab. Till January 12, at Level 2 APS Building (9 Muthuraman Chetty Road). miajagallery.com

17 IMPART COLLECTORS' SHOW 2019:

FABULOUS MONSTERS
This exhibition by Art Outreach Singapore features works from private Singapore-based and regional collections with artists who retreat into a dream-like realm, in response to today's uncertain sociopolitical times. Till February 2, at ArtScience Museum. artweek.sg; artoutreachsingapore.org

24 ART STAGE SINGAPORE 2019

Southeast Asia's flagship art fair returns with a new direction, I Am Art, with artist-, gallery- and collector-led presentations, to reflect the region's dynamic art scene. Till January 27, at Sands Expo & Convention Centre. artweek.sg; artstage.com

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SLASH FEAT. MYLES KENNEDY AND THE CONSPIRATORS

Guns N' Roses guitarist Slash (pictured), together with Myles Kennedy and The Conspirators, perform for one night only at The Coliseum. slash.bandwagon.asia



17 11: A BIZARRE SOCIAL EXPERIMENT

Telok Ayer Arts Club and artist Dawn Ng present this experiential showcase, bringing together pairs of strangers, immersing themselves in 11 intriguing storylines, in a bid to find affinity. Till February 14, at 2 McCallum Street. telokayerartsclub.sg

25 LAN SHUI'S FAREWELL - MAHLER'S RESURRECTION

Singapore Symphony Orchestra music director Lan Shui directs his swansong in *Mahler's Resurrection Symphony*, a monumental 90min work involving an augmented orchestra, along with two vocalists and a choir. Till January 26, at Esplanade Concert Hall. sso.org.sg

25 PUBLIC VS PRIVATE MUSEUMS: BRIDGING THE DIVIDE?

Debuting at the Singapore Art Week 2019, the Frieze Academy sees local and global creatives discuss on the topic of private museums and foundations across Southeast Asia, and their collaborations with public institutions. At National Gallery Singapore. artweek.sg; frieze.com/academy

28 I LIGHT SINGAPORE - BICENTENNIAL EDITION

Held in conjunction with the Singapore Bicentennial celebrations, the annual i Light festival returns with an expanded showcase of sustainable light art installations across cultural hotspots. Till February 24. ilightsingapore.sg



16 M1 SINGAPORE FRINGE FESTIVAL 2019

With Suzann Victor's 1997 *Still Waters* performance as inspiration, this annual festival explores the remaking of histories. Till January 27, at various locations including Esplanade - Theatres on the Bay. singaporefringe.com

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HARBIN

UNTIL FEBRUARY 28

Let your inner child run wild at the Harbin International Ice and Snow Sculpture Festival complete with illuminated ice buildings, fireworks and so much more. icefestivalharbin.com

SYDNEY

JANUARY 9-17

A smorgasbord of theatre, outdoor concerts, gourmet bites and even an all-night bonfire await at the cultural extravaganza that is the annual Sydney Festival. sydneyfestival.org.au

GENEVA

JANUARY 14-17

The first big watchmaking event of the year, the Salon International de la Haute Horlogerie, presents dazzling timepieces from 35 exhibitors over four days. sihh.org

UTAH

JANUARY 24-FEBRUARY 3

Park City transforms into an A-listers' playground for the Sundance Film Festival, the largest annual US celebration of independent movies and storytellers. sundance.org