

## Snow Yunxue Fu

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1987 b. Guiyang, China  
Lives and Works in Chicago, Illinois.

### Education:

- 2014 School of the Art Institute of Chicago (**M.F.A. in Film, Video, New Media, and Animation**)
- 2011 School of the Art Institute of Chicago (**B.F.A. in Studio Art**)
- 2010 Sichuan Normal University, Chengdu, China. (**B.A. in Visual Arts**)
- 2009 Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, MO. (**B.F.A. in Painting**)

### Memberships, Awards, and Scholarships:

- 2014 Artist Resident of 2014-2015 Chicago Artist Coalition HATCH Project
- 2014 Nominated for The Claire Rosen and Samuel Edes Fellowship
- 2013-2015 Member of the College Art Association
- 2012 School of the Art Institute of Chicago graduate Merit Scholarship and Grant.
- 2011 School of the Art Institute of Chicago undergraduate Merit Scholarship.
- 2009 Student of the Year Award, Southeast Missouri State University art department.
- 2009 Member of the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society.
- 2007 Member of the Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society.
- 2006-2009 Name Listed in Dean's List 6 consecutive semesters.

### Selected Exhibitions:

- Feb 2015 *Pro, ifva* (Incubator for Film and Visual Media in Asia), **Hong Kong Arts Center**, Hong Kong.
- Nov 2014 *Trample and Krast*, Group Format, **Uptown Art Center**, Chicago IL.
- Oct 2014 *The Gap 3*, Brian Scratch, **NURTUREart Gallery**, Brooklyn, New York.
- Oct 2014 *gLass*, **SIMULTAN Festival**, Timisoara, Romania.
- Oct 2014 *Karst and The Closure*, A Sampling: (Put Away Your) Short Shorts, **Comfort Station**, Chicago IL.
- Oct 2014 *gLass*, **Festimation: International Animation & New Media Arts Festival**, Missoula, Montana.
- Sep 2014 *LOsT in PProjectiOn*, Snow Yunxue Fu solo Architectural Video Projection Night, LVG vs LG\*: Mixed Use Lot Project, **LAWN Gallery\***, Chicago IL.
- Aug 2014 *Mind H*, Snow Yunxue Fu online solo show, **MPSTN Gallery**, Chicago IL.
- Jul 2014 *Obsolete and Seem*, ReConstellation, **Park sis n3w M3dia art festival for Volume 1**, Chicago IL.
- Jun 2014 *Geo and Or*, IAIA Digital Dome Screening, **Currents: Santa Fe New Media Festival**, Santa Fe, NM.
- May 2014 *Port City*, Rain Trip Not Tee, Interpretation, **Beneath the Tree International**, Tianjing, China.
- May 2014 *Pro?*, SAIC MFA Show, Sullivan Gallery, Chicago IL.
- Feb 2014 *Gus*, Chicago Filmmakers First Student Shoot Out, **Chicago Filmmakers**, Chicago IL.
- Feb 2014 *The Virtual Senses*, Snow Yunxue Fu's Solo Show, **The Gallery C Space**, Beijing China.
- Feb 2014 *Gus*, **9:16 Film Festival**, Port Adelaide, South Australia.
- Feb 2014 *Gus and Or*, Pro\*jest Proj\*ect, **Sullivan Gallery**, Chicago IL.
- Mar 2014 *Sight*, **ExTV Project**, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL.
- Dec 2013 *Gus*, Within and Without, **West Loop Art Loft**, Chicago IL.
- Nov 2013 *Or*, **Prak-Sis Mini Art Fest**, LiveLab, Chicago IL.

- Nov 2013 *Sight, I See You*, Detroit International Videonale, **Kunsthalle Detroit Museum of Contemporary Art**, Detroit MI.
- Oct 2013 *Ma*, Terrifying Noble Splendid, Group Show, **TEMP Art Space**, New York, NY.
- Oct 2013 *Gone*, The Sublime Revisited, Group Show, **Ann Street Gallery**, Newburgh, NY.
- Oct 2013 *Going, And the End*, and *Once Upon*, Rough and Tumble, Group Show, **Projects North**, FAT Village Arts District, Florida.
- Oct 2013 *Pro*, versus Reality: Feminine Perspectives in 3D, Curating and participating in The Video Installation Group show, **SUGS Gallery**, Chicago IL.
- Jul 2013 *Access*, **Currents: Santa Fe New Media Festival**, Santa Fe, NM.
- Jun 2013 *Ma 1*, Next Generation: Asian American Independent New Media and Film Festival, **Gene Siskel Film Center**, Chicago IL.
- Mar 2013 *Gap 1* and *Gap 2*, **Autumn Space Gallery Benefit Auction**, Chicago IL.
- Feb 2013 *Access* and *Encounter*, **MOMA**, PopRally Abstract Currents Online Screening, NY.
- Dec 2012 *Ma*, The Fifth Wall, Video Installation Group Show, **Sullivan Gallery**, Chicago IL.
- Nov 2012 *Access*, Real Virtuality, Video Installation Group Show, **SAIC Grad Open Studio**, Chicago IL.
- Feb 2012 *And the End*, Florida Oasis, Video Installation Group Show, **Comfort Station Logan Square**, Chicago IL.
- Nov 2011 *In and Out*, & *A Walk*, SAIC B.F.A Exhibition, **Sullivan Gallery**, Chicago IL.
- Aug 2010 *Spring*, Sichuan Art Graduates Exhibition, **West Village Art Gallery**, Chengdu, China.
- May 2010 *Up, Down, and Spring*, Sichuan Normal University Graduation Show, **Chengdu Art Museum**, Chengdu China.
- Jun 2009 *Ice and Snow*, Mother and Daughter Painting Show, **Black Door Gallery**, Cape Girardeau MO.
- Jun 2009 *The Two Person Exhibition*, Mother and Daughter Painting Show, Ameristar Gallery, **St. Charles Art Foundry**, St. Charles, MO.
- May 2009 *Generation & Nurture*, Sculpture Group Show, **Kent Library**, Cape Girardeau MO.
- May 2009 *Big Canvas*, *Small World*, *Snow Yunxue Fu* Painting Solo Exhibition, **O'Fallon Culture and Art Center**, O'Fallon MO.
- May 2009 *Snow Yunxue Fu* B.F.A. Exhibition, Southeast Missouri State University, **River Campus Student Gallery**, Cape Girardeau MO.
- Feb 2009 *Beyond the Circle*, Southeast Missouri State University, **Annual Juried Show**, Cape Girardeau MO.
- Feb 2008 *Why Don't You Believe I Love You*, Southeast Missouri State University, **Annual Juried Show**, Cape Girardeau MO.
- Feb 2007 *Naranja*, Southeast Missouri State University, **Annual Juried Show**, Cape Girardeau MO.

### Professional Experience:

- June 2014- Present **Teaching:**  
**School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL:**  
**Film, Video, New Media, and Animation Department (FVNMA)**  
**& Continuing Studies Department**  
 -Digital Animation Class (Continuing Studies, Summer 2014);  
 -Media Practices: Moving Image (FVNMA, Fall 2014);  
 -Animation Studio (Continuing Studies, Fall 2014 & Spring 2015);  
 -Moving Images (Continuing Studies, Spring 2015 & Summer 2015);  
 -Digital Body 3D Animation (FVNMA, Spring 2015);  
 -Game Spaces and Virtual Environments (Continuing Studies, Summer 2015);
- Aug 2012 – May 2014 **Teaching Assistant:**  
**School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL:**  
**FVNMA, Contemporary Practices Department, and Photo Department:**  
 Assisting courses includes:  
 -Virtual Installation (FVNMA, Spring 2014);  
 -Intro to Experimental 3D (FVNMA, Fall 2012 and Fall 2013);

- Viewfinder (Photo and FVNMA, Fall 2013);
  - Freshman Core studio (Contemporary Practices, Fall 2013 and Spring 2013);
  - Atmospheric Animation (FVNMA, Spring 2013).
- \*Taught two class periods in Intro to Experimental 3D Animation and Core Studio Class, and taught parts of classes in Atmospheric Animation Course under the supervisor of class instructors.

Jan 2013 – May 2013 **Education Program Intern: Zhou B. Art Center, Chicago IL**

- Teach Artist Studio Workshops to elementary students and youths;
- Co-develop *Oh Art* Education Program and Art Contest;
- Organized educational event weekends;
- Coordinated with residential artist to organize classes for the public.

Oct 2011 – May 2013 **Gallery Assistant: Autumn Space Gallery, Chicago IL**

- Assisted curating and installation of shows;
- Emailed press releases to writers and art critiques;
- Maintained and updated the gallery website;
- Promoted the gallery events.

Jan – Dec 2011 **Education Program Intern:**  
**Art Institute of Chicago, Ryan Education Center, Chicago IL**  
 Proposed and organized the exhibition *Young Talent: Chinese Guiyang Stars Children's Art School Show* in the Trott Family Gallery and the Educator Resource Room;

- Art Workshop Assistant;
- Student Museum Tour Assistant;
- Educational family programs and exhibitions Assistant;
- Maintained Children's Gallery;

June 2008 – 2010 **Teaching:**  
**Chinese Guiyang Stars Children's Art School, Guiyang, China**

- Teach Chinese watercolor course and Western Oil Pastel course to k-8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Jan – Dec 2009 **Gallery Assistant:**  
**Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau MO**  
**University Student Gallery**  
 Installed and de-installed monthly shows and weekly galleries management

**Curating:**  
 Sep 2014 **Co-curator: with Xiao Han**  
**The Research House for Asian Art (RHAA)**  
 A Place to Wear -- Chicago painting mini survey group show, presenting Chicago established and emerging painters Nik Burkhart, Diane Thodos, Tony Phillips, Brad Carter, Judith Raphael, Mo Chen, Seth Hunter, Laura Wetter, Mari Lamp, Xiaotang Wu, David Lozano, and Stella Zee.

July - Aug 2014 **Co-curator: with Tie Jojima and Nhung Walsh**  
**Park sis n3w M3dia art festival for Volume 1.**  
 Chicago featuring work by emerging and establishing artists such as Gregory Bennett, Carla Ganis and Justin Petropoulos, John Monteith, and Snow Yunxue Fu.

Aug 2013 – May 2014 **Lead Coordinator and Curator: Eye and Ear Clinic**  
<http://eye-and-ear-clinic.tumblr.com/>

Organized free public screening and exhibition programs through Eye and Ear Clinic, which is a student group supported by the FVNMA department at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago. Assist other students to also curate screenings, organize gallery-based exhibitions, and arrange artist lectures and studio visits in order to generate deeper interaction between SAIC larger student body with the bigger contemporary art world.

Curated talks from artists such as Carla Gannis; Nicolas O'Brien; Robert Campbell; the curator group Parallel Studio; the art theorist Adalberto Muller; the Chicago International Film Festival Programming Director Mimi Plauché.

Aug 2012 – May 2014 **Organizer:**

**SAIC FVNMA Grad Students Curated Chicago Home Screenings:**

Organized events to screen artwork by the graduate students in the SAIC Film, Video, New Media, And Animation Department bi-monthly.

Oct 2013

**Freelance Curator:**

**School of the Art Institute of Chicago Student Union Gallery, Chicago IL,**  
<http://versusrealityshow.weebly.com/>

Co-curate video installation show *VERSUS REALITY* with Ali Hiba. Presenting six female artists from FVNMA Department. Depicting the multiple perspectives of femininity by creating 3D simulated figures and environments to critique stereotypes about females constructed by media sources like the entertainment and gaming industries.

May 2013

**Project Curator: Autumn Space Gallery, Chicago IL**

Curate Experimental 3D Screening of twelve Chicago Video artists

**Skills:**

**-Film, Video, New Media, and Animation:** Experimental 3D Animation, Atmospheric and Fluid 3D Animation, 3D Modeling, Digital 2D Animation, Video Editing, Video Installation, Digital Sound, Image and Sound.

**-Computer Software:** Proficient in Mac and PC, Autodesk Maya (3D Animation), RealFlow (3D Fluid Animation), Poser (Digital Body Modeling), Z-Brush, AutoCAD (3D Printing), Rhino (3D Object Modeling), Logic Pro (Digital Sound), After Effects, Final Cut Pro, Adobe Suites (such as Photoshop and Premiere), and Microsoft Suites.

**-Fine Art:** Techniques in 3D and 2D animation, 3D printing, oil painting, Chinese watercolor painting, mold making, casting, screen printing, woodworking, ceramics wheels, Video Art History, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Performance Art History, Modern and Contemporary Art History.

**-Languages:** Mandarin Chinese, English, Chinese Guiyang dialect.

**Publications:**

2014 Brain Scratch, NURTUREart Gallery and eBook publish, Brooklyn, NY.

2014 A City to Wear (芝城之炼)—A Survey Show on Contemporary Chicago Painting, Curated by Snow Yunxue Fu and Summer Xiao Han, RHAA Publish, Chicago IL.

2008 "The Girl Who Catches the Moon", book collection of Snow Yunxue Fu's childhood artwork, Xinhua Publishing, Guiyang, China.

2005 Guizhou Children's Art, book collection of students' artwork from Guiyang Stars Children's Art School, Guizhou People Publishing, Guiyang, China.

**Award and Collection:**

2009 "Student of the Year" Award, Southeast Missouri State University, Art Department.  
1994 Permanent Collection, Kissing the Mother, National Museum of China.