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ALEX FACE

Born in 1981 in Chachoengsao, TH
Lives and works in Bangkok

Alex Face (Patcharapon Tangruen) is a renowned Thai graffiti artist celebrated for his thought-provoking street art that transcends boundaries in Thailand and beyond. In 2009, inspired by his newfound fatherhood, he introduced a distinctive three-eyed, bunny-eared character symbolizing innocence and wonder. Known for his street art skills and mastery of European old masters' techniques, Alex Face has seamlessly blended traditional and contemporary elements. In 2022, he marks two decades in the realms of street art and fine arts, leaving an indelible imprint on the urban landscape and art scene worldwide.

Education

2002 BFA (Printmaking), Department Of Fine Arts, King Mongkut's
Institute of Technology Ladkrabang (KMITL), Bangkok, TH

Solo exhibition

2025 *Alex Face, Caminhos Esquecidos (Forgotton Paths)*, The Holdout,
Areeiro, PT
2025 *Faded Landscape*, CultPrint, Penang, MY
 Cycle Upon Cycle, DREAM GRAFF Gallery, Chiang Mai, TH
2024 *Impressions: Unrest*, Parasol Project (247 Elizabeth Street),
New York, US
 WAVE PERIOD : KHAO LAK POP-UP, Khao Lak, Phang-nga, TH
 Symphony of Coexistence, Art Museum of Sichuan Fine Arts
Institute, Chongqing, CN
2023 *Neon and Fire Vanitas*, Dorothy Circus Gallery, London, UK
 Neon and Fire Vanitas, Dorothy Circus Gallery, Rome, IT

- 2022 *20th Year Alex Face*, 127 Na Ranong, Bangkok, TH
"FACES", Vertical Gallery, Chicago, US
The Recreational Island, Gallerie Very Yes, Reunion Island, FR-RE
- 2021 *Invisible Border*, Lei Xiang Gallery, Taipei, TW
Scorch and Drop, Thinkspace (Gallery I), Los Angeles, US
- 2020 *Monument of Hope*, BANGKOK CITYCITY GALLERY, Bangkok, TH
Fragile, Art Porters Gallery, Singapore, SG
- 2019 *Drifting Upstream*, Galleria Ravagnan, Venice, IT
- 2016 *Alive*, BANGKOK CITYCITY GALLERY, Bangkok, TH
- 2013 *KA-MOAD 2013*, Mite Ugro ZaZa Gallery, Gwangju, KR
- 2012 *The Underground Adventure*, Artery Postmodern Gallery, Bangkok, TH
- 2009 *Alex Growth*, Art Gorilla Art Gallery, Bangkok, TH
- 2008 *Alex Art Exhibition*, Produce Shop, Bangkok, TH
- 2007 *Love & War*, Third place, Bangkok, TH
Project Zero, Central World, Bangkok, TH
- 2006 *Keep on Keeping on*, si-am art space, Bangkok, TH
Urban River, Art Gorillas Art Gallery, Bangkok, TH

Selected exhibition

- 2025 *Here and Now*, Vrij Paleis, Amsterdam, NL
- 2024 *Asian Influence*, STRAAT Museum, Amsterdam, NL
- 2022 *Going Places; travels of the mind, spirit and heart*, Art Porters Gallery, Singapore, SG
Milk, Dorothy Circus Gallery, Rome, IT
Shapeshifters, Kunstlinie, Almere, NL
Milk, Dorothy Circus Gallery, London, UK
- 2021 *Art Move*, Bangkok Art and Culture Centre (BACC), Bangkok, TH
Desolated Vacation, Gallery Ether, Tokyo, JP
ปลด / Dismantle, Joyman Gallery, Bangkok, TH
The 8th Anniversary Show, Vertical Gallery, Chicago, US

- 2020 *The Terrordome*, Black Book Gallery, Colorado, US
Miami in Chicago, Vertical Gallery, Chicago, US
Very Miracle Show, Gallerie Very Yes, Reunion Island, FR-RE
DREAMS' VIRTUAL REALITY EXHIBITION, Galleries's Night
 Bangkok 2020, Bangkok, TH
- 2019 *Mystical Creatures*, Vertical Gallery, Chicago, US
- 2018 *SOS*, BANGKOK CITYCITY GALLERY, Bangkok, TH
CO-, Galleri A / A minor, Oslo, NO
Power of the Streets, Yelo House, Bangkok, TH
- 2017 *Off the Wall*, Artstage Jakarta, Jakarta, ID
- 2016 *Pressionism: Graffiti Masterpieces on Canvas*, Singapore
 Pinacothèque de Paris, SG
- 2015 *Different Stroke*, @Hin Bus Depot, Penang, MY
Souled out studios show, Muse Modern Art, Sydney, AU
- 2013 *Entrée Libre: Graffiti Exhibition Alex Face & Jace*, Alliance Française
 Bangkok, Bangkok, TH
Thai-Tai Project, JUT Foundation (MOT), Taipei, TW
- 2012 *Thai Trend*, Bangkok Art and Culture Centre (BACC), Bangkok, TH
Pride of The Nation#1 Tony Jaa, Artery Postmodern Gallery,
 Bangkok, TH
Exhibition 20th Anniversary Department of Fine Art, King Mongkut's
 Institute of Technology Ladkrabang (KMITL), Bangkok, TH
- 2010 *After the Quake*, Minimal Gallery, Chiang Mai, TH
- 2009 *Aesthetics of body*, HOF Art Space, Bangkok, TH
Block 18, Minimal Gallery, Chiang Mai, TH
- 2008 *BKK Street Connection*, Art Gorillas, Bangkok, TH
Underground Toys 2, Art Gorillas, Bangkok, TH
Change, HOF Art Gallery, Bangkok, TH

Festival & special project

2024	<i>FLY, One Bangkok, Bangkok, TH</i>
2023	<i>POW! WOW! Festival, Hawaii, US</i>
2019	<i>Peinture Fraîche Festival, Lyon, FR</i>
2018	<i>Beyond Bliss: Bangkok Art Biennale 2018, Bangkok, TH</i>
2015	<i>Solidarity Thai-Singapore Street art project, SG</i> <i>Tokyo Art Fair, Tokyo, JP</i>
2014	<i>THE SOLIDARITY MOVEMENT Graffiti project, Jakarta, ID</i> <i>Hennessy x Os Gêmeos, Tokyo, JP</i> <i>Metro wall project, Copenhagen, DK</i> <i>Break the Ice Graffiti workshop, Bodø, NO</i> <i>Street art project, Sandkika, Oslo, NO</i> <i>Urban up Korea Street art festival, Seoul, KR</i> <i>Beyond Pressure Public art festival, Yangon, MM</i>
2013	<i>BUK RUK Street art festival, Bangkok, TH</i> <i>Art Street at Ratchadamnoen, Bangkok, TH</i> <i>Moniker Art Fair, Truman Brewery, London, UK</i>
2012	<i>THE RENDEZVOUS: Southeast Asia Urban Art Event, Yangon, MM</i>
2011	<i>Up 2 You Street Art Party @ Exhibition, Bangkok, TH</i> <i>Art Normal, Ratchaburi, TH</i>
2010	<i>Bomb It 2 (Documentary on graffiti art), US</i>
2007	<i>Short Profile Artist Project (Television project), AU</i>

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Residency

2025 The Holdout Artist Residency, Alcobaça, PT

Collection

MAIAM Contemporary Art Museum, Chiang Mai, TH
Straat Museum, Amsterdam, NL
Private museum, Taiwan, TW

Publication

2022 *SKY. LAND. WATER: SKETCHBOOK BY ALEX FACE.*
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2016 *Alive.* Published on the occasion of the exhibition *Alive* at BANGKOK CITYCITY GALLERY.
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