



## Get Ready for Light to Night Singapore 2024!

The theme of this year's Light to Night Singapore festival, "Reimagine," invites you to engage with art and space in new and innovative ways that spark creativity and encourage reflection. You will be taken on a journey through immersive and interactive experiences, each taking inspiration from our nation's history and artworks from the National Collection.



### Getting Here

Light to Night Singapore is held across various venues in the Civic District. There will be installations and programmes within and around the National Gallery Singapore and our various collaborator venues. Begin at the Gallery and make your way to the various sites!

**By Taxi**  
The nearest taxi stands are located at the Gallery's Coleman Street entrance and Fullerton Hotel.

**By MRT**  
5-minute walk from City Hall MRT station, 10-minute walk from Esplanade and Raffles Place MRT stations.

**Road Closures**  
Date: 19-20, 26-27 Jan 2024  
Time: 4pm-1am  
Bus Services will be disrupted due to road closure along St. Andrew's Road

**Affected Roads**  
Parliament Place (between Supreme Court Lane & St. Andrew's Road)  
St. Andrew's Road

### Festival Opening Hours

**National Gallery Singapore**  
Mon-Thu: 10am-7pm  
Fri-Sun: 10am-midnight

**The Arts House**  
Mon-Thu: 10am-9pm  
Fri-Sun: 10am-10pm\*  
*\*The Arts House will close at 11pm on 19-20 Jan and 26-27 Jan 2024.*

**Asian Civilisations Museum**  
Sun-Thu: 10am-7pm  
Fri-Sat: 10am-11pm\*  
*\*Galleries close at 9pm. Programmes will run at Foyer and Lobby until 11pm.*

**Victoria Theatre & Victoria Concert Hall**  
Mon-Sun: 10am-10pm

**Esplanade - Theatres on the Bay**  
Mon-Sun: 6am-3am

### Accessibility

The Gallery is committed to creating an inclusive experience that can be enjoyed by visitors with access needs. For more information on accessibility and quiet zones, please scan the QR code!



### Support Light to Night Singapore!

Your donation will help us to create more inspiring experiences for future editions of the festival.



For every \$10 donation you can redeem a limited edition Light to Night gift envelope (while stocks last). Once you have donated, take a screenshot of the confirmation and redeem your gift at The Spine Hall.

Scan the QR code to donate now!

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# Festival Highlights

Padang



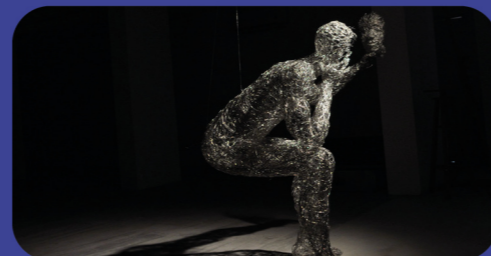
## Wings of Change

By Kumari Nahappan  
19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
10am-midnight

Kumari Nahappan's artwork *Wings of Change* features an enormous saga seed, an object that has endless possibilities. Kumari's luminescent saga seed symbolises energy and hope. Her artwork draws attention to the saga tree, whose population has declined over the years. It speaks of the urgent need for preservation, conservation and sustainability in today's world, particularly in the context of climate change.

Next to the seed is a pod, a massive reservoir of energy that is waiting to be harnessed, standing as a powerful endorsement for climate action and reminding festivalgoers of their role as stewards of the planet.

National Gallery Singapore  
Level 1, Padang Atrium



## Rapture

By Victor Tan  
19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
Fri-Sun, 10am-11pm | Mon-Thu, 10am-7pm  
9 Feb-30 Jun 2024  
Mon-Sun, 10am-7pm

*Rapture* is an artwork that consists of eight life-sized human figure wire sculptures. Drawing inspiration from the biblical notion of "rapture"—the act of ascending to a realm beyond our own—the sculptures represent the transition from the earthly to the spiritual, symbolising a surrender to the divine.

This work is a testament to the enduring nature of the human spirit, its capacity for transcendence and the unwavering belief that there is a brighter, more compassionate reality awaiting us beyond the horizon.

National Gallery Singapore, Façade  
National Gallery Singapore, Rotunda Library & Archive  
Victoria Theatre & Victoria Concert Hall, Façade  
Asian Civilisations Museum, Extension Wing Façade  
The Arts House, Façade



## Art Skins on Monuments

By Various Artists  
19 Jan-8 Feb 2024

A festival favourite, the façades of cultural institutions around the Civic District come to life with mesmerising light projections created by visual artists.

National Gallery Singapore  
City Hall Wing, Level B1  
The Ngee Ann Kongsi Auditorium Foyer



## Wishful Thinking

By Whisperlodge  
19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
Fri-Sun, 10am-11pm | Mon-Thu, 10am-7pm  
Activations at 6.30pm and 8pm on Saturdays  
\$5/pax

Escape the stress of your day-to-day life, not by heading out, but by heading in. In this multi-room installation, discover unexpected textures and sounds by diving deep within your body to heighten your self-awareness and sensory perception. On selected nights during the festival, you can also enjoy soothing ASMR interactions or a performance by trained ASMR guides in this space.

Funan  
B2 Underground Pedestrian Link



## The Gachapartment Complex

By Nikkei  
19 Jan-3 March 2024  
5.30-12.30am

Welcome to *The Gachapartment Complex*: a riotous and colourful guide for viewers that runs along the B2 Underground Pedestrian Link at Funan. The Complex offers a glimpse into a hidden utopia where toys live complex lives akin to ours. This installation features an augmented reality component developed by Temasek Polytechnic students (Rachel Tan, Jochebed Chong and Celest Ng), which was created during a mentorship programme with the artist.

This installation is co-commissioned by National Gallery Singapore and CapitaLand for Light to Night Singapore 2024.

# Festival Highlights

National Gallery Singapore  
City Hall Wing, Level B1, The Spine Hall



## Basement X: Art Market

Make and Take Activity Stations  
19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
Mon-Thu, 10am-7pm | Fri-Sun, 10am-11pm

Art Market  
19-20, 26-27 Jan 2024  
Fri, 5-11pm | Sat, 2-11pm

Immerse yourself in the vibrant pulse of creativity at The Spine Hall, now reimagined as the electrifying Basement X. Here, the air crackles with artistic energy! Dive into a world of hands-on artistry with captivating make-and-take activities. Discover a treasure trove of exquisite jewelry, unique gifts and enchanting trinkets created by an eclectic mix of talented vendors.

National Gallery Singapore  
Level B1, Padang Atrium



## Gallery Gigs

19-21 Jan, 26-28 Jan, 2-4 Feb 2024  
20 Jan, 3-10.30pm | Fri-Sat, 7.30-10.30pm | Sun, 3-6pm  
Free

Gallery Gigs brings to audiences live performances by various artists, where you get to enjoy something old, something new, something borrowed and some blues. The theme of this year's Gallery Gigs, "FutureNostalgia" is inspired by how we constantly reimagine our past, present and futures and the continuum between these three that is an evergreen source of artistic inspiration.

National Gallery Singapore  
Level 2, DBS Singapore Galleries 1-3



## Artwork Scavenger Hunt

19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
Fri-Sun, 10am-11pm | Mon-Thu, 10am-7pm  
Free

Put on your thinking caps and attempt our festival scavenger hunt! As you explore the Gallery, find the mystery artworks located in DBS Singapore Galleries 1-3 for a chance to win exclusive festival merchandise. While stocks last.

Registration Point: Level 1, Padang Atrium, Information Counter  
Redemption Point: Level B1, The Spine Hall

National Gallery Singapore  
Level 1, Padang Atrium



## How to Art with Friends

19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
Fri-Sun, 10am-11pm | Mon-Thu, 10am-7pm  
Organised group sessions:  
20 Jan, 26-27 Jan, 2-3 Feb  
Fri, 7.30-8.30pm | Sat, 7.30-8.30pm, 8.30-9.30pm  
Free

With ten fun activities that guide you to look at art in new ways, *How to Art with Friends* gives you the opportunity to go on a quirky journey through the Gallery!

Experience art your way by:  
- Picking up a guide from the Padang Atrium and going on your own adventure; or  
- Joining our organised group sessions on Fridays and Saturdays to make new friends.

Some sessions will be guided by our very own Best Friends of the Gallery volunteers!

Asian Civilisations Museum  
Level 2, Foyer



## The Odditorium

26-27 Jan, 2-3 Feb 2024 | 8-11pm  
Free

Step right up to a spectacle like no other at the Asian Civilisations Museum! Experience a dazzling array of circus acts, traditional martial arts and unexpected oddities.

## Art X Social: Festival Street

St. Andrew's Road  
19-20 Jan, 26-27 Jan 2024  
6pm-midnight



Featuring stalls that offer a scrumptious array of food and live music performances all through the night, this year's Festival Street promises to be a feast for the senses!

Check out our Instagram @lighttonightsg for more updates.

## Free Entry to Exhibitions at National Gallery Singapore on Fri-Sun



National Gallery Singapore will extend its opening hours until midnight on festival weekends (19-21 Jan, 26-28 Jan, 2-4 Feb) with free entry to all exhibitions until 11pm.

This includes the Gallery's blockbuster and special exhibition, *Tropical: Stories from Southeast Asia and Latin America*.

Become an Insider now

Gallery Insiders enjoy **10% off** all Art X Social stalls and Gallery ticketed programmes.

Simply flash your Insider e-card via the Gallery Explorer app!

[nationalgallery.sg/membership](https://nationalgallery.sg/membership)

LIGHT TO NIGHT SINGAPORE

REIMAGINE

19 Jan-8 Feb 2024  
Civic District

Admission is free  
Scan to visit our website

[LightToNight.sg](https://lighttonight.sg)

# Festival Map

Art X Social:  
Festival Street  
19-20 Jan, 26-27 Jan 2024  
6pm-midnight



**THE ARTS HOUSE**  
5 12 26-27 44-45 68

**VICTORIA THEATRE & VICTORIA CONCERT HALL**  
8 31 32  
**EMPRESS LAWN**

**ASIAN CIVILISATIONS MUSEUM**  
6 14 25 42-43 69

**FUNAN** 7

**SUPREME COURT**  
Supreme Court Lane  
City Hall Wing: 2 9-11 19-20  
24 29 36 38 40  
46-49 52 53-62  
City Hall Wing: 1 3 9-10 15-18  
21-22 24 28 30  
33-35 37 39 70

**ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL**

**PADANG** 4

**ESPLANADE PARK**

**ESPLANADE - THEATRES ON THE BAY** 41 51 65-67

## Public Art Installations



National Gallery Singapore  
Mon-Thu, 10am-7pm | Fri-Sun, 10am-11pm

City Hall Wing, Level B1, The Ngee Ann Kongsi Auditorium Foyer  
**1 WISFUL THINKING** by Whisperlodge

Level 1, Padang Atrium  
**2 RAPTURE** by Victor Tan

City Hall Wing, Level 2, Outside DBS Singapore Gallery 2  
**3 PING PONG GO-ROUND** by Lee Wen

Padang Mon-Sun, 10am-midnight  
**4 WINGS OF CHANGE** by Kumari Nahappan

The Arts House, Front Lawn Mon-Sun, 10am-midnight  
**5 8-BIT WORD CLOUD** by Justin Loke

Asian Civilisations Museum, ACM Green Mon-Sun, 10am-midnight  
**6 PARTY PAVILION** by Howie Kim

Empress Lawn Mon-Sun, 10am-midnight  
30-minute activations daily: Mon-Sun, 7:15pm  
Fri-Sun, 7:15pm | 9:15pm  
**7 THE GACHAPARTMENT COMPLEX** by Nikkei

Funan, B2 Underground Pedestrian Link Mon-Sun, 5:30-12:30am  
**8 WAYANG SPACESHIP** by Ming Wong

## Art Skins on Monuments



National Gallery Singapore, Façade Mon-Sun, 7:30pm-midnight  
**9 TEO ENG SENG: LIVING THE LIFE** by Teo Eng Seng X Milosh Luczynski

National Gallery Singapore, Façade Mon-Sun, 7:30pm-midnight  
**10 TEMPLE OF LOVE** by Arahmaiani X Wayang Merdeka X Milosh Luczynski

National Gallery Singapore, Supreme Court Wing, Level 3 Rotunda Library & Archive Mon-Thu, 5:30-7pm  
Fri-Sun, 5:30-11pm  
**11 SYMPHONY OF ORDER** by Sarah Choo Jing

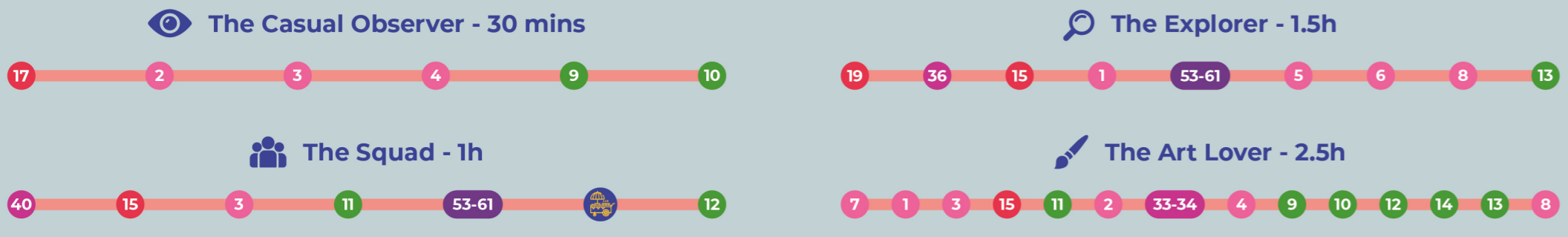
The Arts House, Façade Mon-Sun, 7:30pm-midnight  
**12 WINTER SONATA, SUMMER MOOKATA** by Knuckles & Notch

Victoria Theatre & Victoria Concert Hall, Façade Mon-Sun, 7:45pm-midnight  
**13 EMBROIDERED LANDSCAPES** by SISTRUM

Asian Civilisations Museum, Extension Wing Façade Mon-Sun, 7:30pm-midnight  
**14 PASSAGE** by SOTA Students

## Recommended Routes

Choose one and start your journey!



## Festival Programmes



### Exhibitions

- 15 *Tropical: Stories from Southeast Asia and Latin America*
- 16 *Liu Kuo-sung: Experimentation as Method*
- 17 *See Me, See You: Early Video Installation of Southeast Asia*
- 18 *Siapa Nama Kamu? Art in Singapore since the 19th Century*
- 19 *Between Declarations and Dreams: Art of Southeast Asia since the 19th Century*
- 20 *The Neglected Dimension*
- 21 *Ng Teng Fong Roof Garden Commission: Untitled by Shilpa Gupta*

- 22 *Listening to Architecture: The Gallery's Histories and Transformations*
- 23 *Stories in Light: Four Modern Photographers in Singapore [Online]*
- 24 *Gallery Children's Biennale 2023: Let's Make A Better Place*
- 25 *Manila Galleon: From Asia to the Americas*
- 26 *Literary Pioneer Exhibition: Goh Poh Seng*
- 27 *The Cultural Medallion Literary Pursuit*

### Conversations

- 28 Artsplaining ft. Vintageknd & Curator Qinyi Lim
- 29 Artsplaining ft. Adrian Loo & Curator Clarissa Chikiamco
- 30 Artsplaining ft. Michele Rodda & Curator Joleen Loh

### Activities

- 31 Transmissions from the Wayang Spaceship: A Light to Night Special
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- 33 Basement X: Art Market
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- 41 PIP's PLAYbox @ Esplanade
- 42 The Arcade
- 43 Objects of Amusement: Self-Guided Trail
- 44 Pop-up Bookstore by Chio Books
- 45 Read At Home

### Tours

- 46 Collective Canvas: A Tour Reimagined
- 47 Civic District Tours: Icons Restored and Reimagined
- 48 3 in 30 Tours: If I Were You
- 49 Back-of-House - "Former Supreme Court: Unseen, Unheard" Tour
- 50 VCH Backstage Tours
- 51 Esplanade PIP's Trail

### Live Performances

- 52 Resonates With Residency
- 53 Gallery Gigs - Tropika
- 54 Gallery Gigs - nkei
- 55 Gallery Gigs - BBbaloo and Friends
- 56 Gallery Gigs - The Mashed Ups
- 57 Gallery Gigs - Varsha
- 58 Gallery Gigs - ANTARMUKA
- 59 Gallery Gigs - shazza
- 60 Gallery Gigs - GrooveTop
- 61 Gallery Gigs - GOOSE 我鳥
- 62 LASALLE Interdisciplinary Festival Performance
- 63 SNYO Percussion Ensemble: As One
- 64 VCHpresents Chamber: Figaro in a Pocket
- 65 Esplanade Presents - A Date With Friends 2024
- 66 Esplanade Presents - All Things New 2024
- 67 Esplanade Presents - Ludovico Einaudi

68 *Thank You For Holding* by Marc Nair

69 *The Odditorium*

### Youth Programme

70 *Kolektif Takeover: The \_\_\_ Project*

### Legend

- ★ Special Exhibition
- 🎫 Ticketed Programme

Free entry on Fri-Sun with extended opening hours until 11pm to all exhibitions at National Gallery Singapore.