

**KESANG LAMDARK**

Born 1963, Dharamsala, India

Lives and works in Zürich, Switzerland

**EDUCATION**

MFA 1997, Columbia University, New York, NY

BFA 1995, Parsons School of Design, New York, NY

1981–85

Apprenticeship as Interior Architect, Bernoulli Kauter AG, Zürich, Switzerland

**SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2016

*Kesang Lamdark: Contemporary Tibetan Art*, Songtsen House, Zurich, CH

2015

*Lhasa Dreams*, Grieder Contemporary, Zurich, CH

2014

*MoMARS (Museum of Modern Mars)*, Rossi & Rossi at Art Basel Hong Kong, Hong Kong

2013

*Kesang Lamdark - Headless Disco on Top of the World*, Grieder Contemporary, Zurich, Germany

2011

*Son of Rimpoche*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

2009

*Retrospective*, Rossi & Rossi at Art Dubai, Dubai, UAE

2008

*Plastic Karma*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

2005

*Workshow*, Gallery Grieder Contemporary, Küsnacht, Switzerland

*Yak & Gesi*, Kaufleuten Lounge, Zürich, Switzerland

2001

*Burned Emotions*, Art Wallhof, Basel, Switzerland; X-TRA-Limmat Haus, Zürich, Switzerland

2000

*Wheels*, curator Diego Cortez, Tibet House, New York, USA

1998

*Tibetan Freedom Concert*, VIP Show, Milarepa Fund, Washington D.C., USA

*Sapporo*, Parsons School of Design New York, USA

1997

*World Artists for Tibet*, Learning Center, New York, USA

*Tunnel*, New Age Productions, New York, USA

*Tibetan Freedom Concert*, VIP Show, Milarepa Fund, New York, USA

**SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2014

*Material Analysis*, ShugoArts, Tokyo, Japan

*Parallel Realities*, ARNDT, Berlin, Germany in conjunction with Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

*Impermanence*, Rossi & Rossi, Hong Kong

*Anonymous*, The Fleming Museum at the University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont, USA and the Queens Museum of Art, New York, USA

*Dirge: Reflections on [Life and] Death*, MoCA Cleveland, Cleveland, Ohio, USA

2013

*SAME : DIFFERENCE*, Rossi & Rossi, London UK

*In-Between: 21st Century Tibetan Artists Respond to 12th - 15th Century Tibetan Manuscript Covers*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

*Anonymous*, Dorsky Museum at the State University of New York, New Paltz, New York, USA

2012

*Victory! Triumph in Classical and Contemporary Asian Art*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

2011

*Tradition Transformed – Tibetan Artists Respond*, the Hood Museum of Art, Hanover, USA; Crow Collection of Asian Art, Dallas, USA

*What's So Funny About Peace, Love and Understanding?*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

*Kesang Lamdark, Palden Weinreb – Generation Exile: Exploring New Tibetan Identities*, Hanart TZ, Hong Kong, in association with Rossi & Rossi (London, UK)

2010

*Review/Preview*, Grieder Contemporary, Zürich, Switzerland

*Jubiläums Druckmappe – 30 Jahre Rote Fabrik*, Museum Bäregasse, Zürich, Switzerland

*Scorching Sun of Tibet*, Songzhuang Art Center, Beijing, China

*Trickster Makes This World*, Nam June Paik Arts Centre, Gyeonggi-do, South Korea

*Boys and Girls Come out to Play*, Summer exhibition, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

*Tradition Transformed – Tibetan Artists Respond*, The Rubin Museum of Art, New York, USA

*The Big Bang*, The White Rabbit Collection, Sydney, Australia

*Motel Nirwana – Das aktionistische Kunstfestival im Geiste der Internationalen DADA*

*Festwoche*, Rote Fabrik, Zürich, Switzerland

2008

*Third Guangzhou Triennial*, Guangzhou, China

*Outdoor Project* at ShContemporary, Shanghai, China

2007

*Past and Present Tibetan Art 13<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, Rossi & Rossi at Christopher Farr Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

*Consciousness and Form: Contemporary Tibetan Art*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

*Hobby Horse - Yeah, Yeah, Dada, Asia*, Avanthay Contemporary, Zürich, Switzerland

*Tibetan Encounters - Contemporary Meets Tradition*, Rossi & Rossi Ltd. at the Neuhoff Gallery, New York, USA

2006

*14 Dalai Lama*, Wereld Museum, Rotterdam, The Netherlands

Opening group show, Grieder Contemporary, Küsnacht, Switzerland

*Lhasa Express*, Rossi & Rossi, London, UK

*Waves on the Turquoise Lake: Contemporary Expression of Tibetan Art*, CU Art Museum, Boulder, Colorado, USA

# ROSSI ROSSI

*La Luna, La Diva*, likeyou.com Centrik Ilsler, Zürich, Switzerland

2005

*Die Fünf Tibeter*, Artaktion, Bern, Switzerland

2004

*Naturally Artificial*, Christine and Patrick Dreyfus, Basel, Switzerland

2003

*Neurotitan* c/o Christian Anderson and Karl Rockmaster featuring Kesang Lamdark, Haus Schwarzenberg, Berlin, Germany

2000

*20 Jahre Rote Fabrik*, Rote Fabrik, Zürich, Switzerland

1998

*Hey You Never Know*, Kenny Schachter, New York, USA

1997

*26 Positions*, Miriam and Ira D. Wallach Art Gallery, Columbia University New York, USA  
*Carousel*, Leo Castelli Gallery, New York, USA

1996

*21<sup>st</sup> Degree*, Kenny Schachter, New York, USA

1994

*Contemporary Tibetan Art*, Obe, Montreal, Canada

1993

*Contemporary Tibetan Art*, Migro Cultural Center, Zürich, Switzerland

## **FELLOWSHIPS AND RESIDENCIES**

2013

Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art, SUNY New Paltz

2012

Dharamshala International Artists' Workshop 2012