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Shu Lea Cheang, artist, conceptualist, filmmaker and networker, has worked in the field of net-based installation, social interface, networked performance and film production. Her work traverses between hard and soft, sex and polities, fiction and reality, fantasia and earth-bound.

# <u>PROJECTS and EXHIBITIONS –</u> NET. INSTALLATION. INTERFACE. WEB. DIGITAL. PERFORMANCE. FILM.

#### 2012

**Composting the net.net** – website, launched at Transmediale 2012 **Le Graine et La Compost** – residency at Gaite Lyrique, Paris **BABY WORK**, installation, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of Locker Baby Project, commissioned by Remediating the Social – Inspace, University of Edinburgh and Zero I Biennale, San Jose. **Moving Forest** London edition 2012 scheduled for June 22 to July 6.

#### 2011

**Stormy weather stirred** - a teapot for MzTEK - ChiTek –V&A museum, London **UKI** viral game, in development with medialab Prado (Madrid) & LABoral (Gijon) **UKI** viral performance, launch live code live spam tour, performing in Rome, Berlin, Bilbao and Reina Sofia Museum in Madrid.

#### 2010

**UKI** a viral game, in development with PLAYLAB at medidalab PRADO, Madrid. **GREEN RUSH,** a project sharing food talking series based in Paris.

#### 2009

in the city of Sofia 1989-2009, DVD, installation .Move, Halle, Germany.
 UKI a viral performance, artist residency at Hangar lab Barcelona.
 STITCH2030 installation/performance with TAKE2030, in development.
 LAPTOPSRUS, collective women live performers' network project.

## 2008

HAIL THE REVOLUTION DOWN THE SOUP KITCHEN, installatio, FACT, MOVING FOREST collective performance with AKA the CASTLE, Transmediale 08. AGLIOMANIA web/ installation L'Impresa dell'Arte, Palazzo delle Arti Napoli EXPLICIT EXPRESS – i am you are high on milk (performance), Arteleku, Spain

## 2007

**MOBIOPERA** collective public mobilephone cinema, Sundance Film Festival New Frontier. **ANDES SPROUTS SOCIETY** media art and farming initiative, Andes, New York, USA

## 2006

**PORTA2030** by **TAKE2030**, performative urgency network exercise. Node London. **PLENUM** by **KOP** in **collaboration** with **xxxxx**, 12 hour plenary session, NodeLondon.

## 2005

**BABY LOVE**, wifi mobile installation, Palais de Tokyo, Paris **LOVEME2030** DVD fiction (30:00) Paris edition, Movie Japan commission.

## 2004

**RICHAIR2030 by TAKE2030**, wifi roaming performance, toured 10 European cities **MILK** web, 56K bastard TV commission, Switzerland. **FLUID** installation, Detox, Norway.

TRAMJAM RUSH HOUR by Mumbai Streaming Attack, touring performance.

#### 2003

INTER---MISSION, THE BALLAD of (UN)DESIRABLE, installation, HGKZ, ROLL OVER, CHINA DOLL installation/performance, MissChina Nuit Blanche2003. PLATINUM SNAPMEAT, performance event, OUT FESTIVAL2003, Los Angeles. GARLIC=RICH AIR 2030, net installation, Limbo Zone, Venice Biennale. RICHAIR2030 performance/ installation, Zone of Urgency, Venice Biennale. BURN interface/installation, FACT (Liverpool, UK), Zone of Urgency, Venice Biennale.

#### 2002

GARLIC=RICHAIR, public network project, Creative Time, New York
HUMANMATERIALMACHINEFACTOR artist as mentor, DASARTS, Amsterdam
DRIVE BY DINING installation/performance, Wireless Browser day, Amsterdam
STOP website, Amnesty International
APT. website, xcult Shrink to Fit, Switzerland

#### 200 I

**KINGDOM OF PIRACY** net project, co-curation. With Armin Medosch, Yukiko Shikata **EVERYONE IS AN EXPERT,** Interface/installation, Make-World Festival (Munich) **EXPAND**, web, Shopping Window net art exhibition, <a href="https://www.telepolis.de">www.telepolis.de</a> (Germany) **BABY PLAY**, net worked installation, NTT[ICC] InterCommunication Center (Tokyo)

#### 2000

**I.K.U.** scifi digi porn feature, produced by Uplink Tokyo, premiered Sundance Film Festival. **CARRY ON** web installation, International Woman University (IFU) (Hanover)

#### 1998-1999

**BRANDON,** one year web project with installation, The Guggenheim Museum and WaagSociety

#### 1997

BUY ONE GET ONE networked installation, NTT[ICC] Biennale, Tokyo

#### 1996

**ELEPHANT CAGE BUTTERFLY LOCKER,**, public net art project (Okinawa & Tokyo)

#### 1995

**BOWLING ALLEY** net worked installation, Walker Art Center (Minneapolis)

#### 1994

FRESH KILL 35mm feature film. Berlin Film Festival. Whitney Biennial, Channel 4 (UK)

#### 1993

TO ENTER installation, The Final Frontier, The New Museum of Contemporary Art

#### 1992

THOSE FLUTTERING OBJECTS OF DESIRE, installation, Exit Art, Whitney Biennial 2003

#### 1991

THE AIRWAVES PROJECT installation, Capp Street Project, San Francisco.

## 1990

**COLOR SCHEMES**, installation, Whitney Museum of American Art. **WILL BE TELEVISED,** 5 part video documents of Asia's social movement, DDTV

#### 1989

MAKING NEWS MAKING HISTORY installation, American Film Institute, ICP, NYC

80s in New York City
PAPER TIGER TV (1980-1990), public access TV, producing member.
DEEP DISH TV (1984-1990), public access satellite TV, producing member.

### **PERMANENT COLLECTIONS**

Baby Love (2005), DSL collection, Paris.
BRANDON (1998-1999), The Guggenheim Museum, New York
Buy One Get One (1997), NTT[ICC] InterCommunication Center, Tokyo
Bowling Alley (1995), Walker Art Center Gallery 9, Minneapolis
Color Schemes (1986), Museum of Modern Art, New York
The Trial of Tilted Arc (1985), Museum of Modern Art, New York

## **SELECTED EXHIBITION**

UKI at la internacional cuir, Museo Centro de Arte Reina Sofía, Madrid 2011

UKI at MEM festival, Biabao, 2011

UKI at Porn Film Festival, Berlin 2011

UKI at Live Performers Meetng, Rome, 2011

UKI at Piksel, Bergen, Norway, 2010

Agliomania at Wealth of Nations, Spike Island, Bristol, UK., 2010

Milk+, Videotage, Hong Kong, 2010

Mutante, Emmetrop, Bourges, France, 2010

Move, Halle, Germany, 2009

Wealth of Nations, Novi Sad, Serbia, 2009

Women's work, Osage Gallery, Hong Kong, 2008

Agliomania at PAN, Palazzo delle Arti Napol, 2008

TAKE2030 at Waves, HMKV Dortmund, 2008

Metamorphosing Female, Osage gallery, Shanghai, Hong Kong 2008

MobiOpera, Sundance Film Festival 2007, LA OUT festival 2007.

BABYLOVE, PALAIS DE TOKYO, Paris, National Taiwan Museum of Art, ISEA San Jose 01

festival, Chelsea Art Musuem New York, Experimental playground Melboune, Sydney, Perth and Rogaland Kunstmuseum, Norway (2005- 08)

THE ART FORMERLY KNOWN AS NEW MEDIA, The Banff New Media Institute, 2005

RHIZOME ARTBASE 101 @ The New Museum, 2005

NTT[ICC], OPEN NATURE, Tokyo, (Spring, 2005).

TAKE2030 at VIPER FESTVIAL (October 2004)

TRAMJAM at DEAF (Rotterdam 2004)

VENICE BIENNIAL (June, 2003), Z.O.U. (Zone of Urgency) curated by Hou Hanru.

HARDCORE (February, 2003), Palais de Tokyo, Paris, curated by Jerome Sans.

NEW MEDIA LOUNGE (February, 2003) The FACT Center, Liverpool.

UNPLUGGED, ARS ELECTRONICA (2002), Linz, Austria

METROPOLIS (2002), Chicago Art Fair.

AIMII: LUNA PARK PROJECT (2002), Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), LA

SCIFI DIGI PORN (2001), Julia Friedman Gallery, Chicago

IKU (2000), premiered at Sundance Film Festival. Selected Screenings: Fantasia Film Festival;

Montreal; Nat Film Festival; Copenhagen; Asian Cine Vision Festival;

New York; Ars Electronica, Linz; Institute of Contemporary Art, ICA; London; Wexner Center for the

Arts, Ohio; "Body as Byte", Kunstmuseum Luzern, Switzerland; Creteil Femme Film Festival, Independent

Film Festival, Argentina; "City of Women", Slovene national Cinematheque, Ljubljana; Mix Brasil;

Mediarama, Electronic Art & New Technologies Festival, Seville, Centro Andaluz de Arte

Contemporáneo; Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofia, Madrid

Dystopia and Identity in the Age of Global Communication (2000), Tribe Gallery, New York

FLUID (2000), The Project, gallery installation, New York, Taipei Fine Art Museum Biennale

TOKYO IKU (2000), gallery installation, Ota Fine Arts, Tokyo

THEATRUM ANATOMICUM (1998-1999), installation, Amsterdam

JOHANNESBURG BIENNALE ( (1997)

NTT [ICC] BIENNALE (1997), Tokyo.

FRESH KILL, Those Fluttering Objects of Desire, WHITNEY BIENNALE (1993, 1995), NYC COLOR SCHEMES, WHITNEY MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART (1990), New York

## FELLOWSHIP, PRIZES, GRANTS, HONORS, RESIDENCIES

2011 Artist in residency, Plataforma Cero, Gijón, Spain

2010 - 2011 Artist in residency, medialab-Prado, Madrid

2009 Artist in residency, Hangar media lab, Barcelona.

2009 Artist in Residency with EMARE program, Sofia, Bulgaria.

2005-2006 Culture Ministry France, Cite des Arts residency

2003-2004-2005-2006 Arts Council England.

2002, Challenge to the Field Award, Lyn Blumenthal Memorial Fund

2001, Civitella Ranieri Fellowship, artist-in-residency, Italy Fellowship, Japan research residency, Asian Cultural Council

2000, MARS Exploratory Media Lab, GMD Institut für Medienkommunikation Germany

2000, innovative filmmaker of outstanding achievement, Mix Festival, New York

1998-1999, The Mondriaan Foundation , the Ministry for Cultural Affairs in Holland, The Bohen Foundation, The New York City Department of Cultural Affairs, Artist in Residency, Amsterdams Fonds voor de Kunst, Master Artist Residency, Institute on the Arts and Civic Dialogue, Harvard University

1997, Computer Arts Fellowship, the New York Foundation for the Arts.

Awarded second prize and permanent collection, NTT[ICC] Biennale 1996, Moving

Images Installation and Interactive Media Fellowship, the Rockefellor Foundation

Artist-in-residency, Pop, Mass and Sub', Banff Center for the Arts

1995, Installation grants, AT&T New Voice/New Vision, Walker Art Center

1994, Visual Artist Fellowship, National Endowment for the Arts

1992-1993 Film/Video Fellowship, The Rockefellor Foundation

ITVS (Independent Television Service) and Channel Four, UK. Film production grants,

New York State Council on the Arts ; American Film Institute

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Interview with Matthew Fuller, published at METAMUTE., 2012

MCD/Internet of things, Paris, 2011

.MCD/digitali art, Paris, 2010

Move, Werkleitz festival, catelogue texts by Stephen Kovats, 2009

L'Impresa dell'Arte, catelogue, 2008

Moving Forest, poptronics.fr, arte.fr. 2008

Visual Production, published in Shanghai, China 2007

Neural. It, interview, 2006

A minima, artist project, 2005

Jana, Reena & Tribe, Mark (editors), "Brandon", New Media Art, Taschen, 2005

Greene, Rachel "Burn", Internet art 2004

Sans, Jerome, "Hardly Tender Softly Served," HARDCORE. Palais de Tokyo. 2003.

Schneider, Julia,. "Get Garlic.Go Wireless," Springerin, Austria. December, 2002.

Gunn, Angela, "Dollars and Scents," Time Out New York, September, 2002

Toshiki, Hoshino, "They Are Not "Neo-Hippies," Composite, Japan. Jan. 2002.

Marcette, Gina, "Cinema Frames, Videoscapes, and Cyberspace: Exploring Shu Lea Cheang's Fresh Kill, "Duke University Press, 2001.

Perra, Daniele, "Focus On, ." Tema Celeste Comtemporary Art, May-June 2001.

Bosco, Roberta, "El digiporn de Shu Lea Cheang," Barcelona Art Report 2001.

Rich, B.Ruby, "The I.K.U. Experience, The Shu Lea Cheang Phenomenon," Asian Cine

Vision, Bailey, Andy, "Tokyo Porn," The Face, Vol 3, number 46, Nov, 2000

Chong, Annabel, "Laid Runner," VIBE, November, 2000

Schonherr, Johannes. "Sex Art Aborigine," Fleshpot, Critical Vision, 2000

Chua, Lawrence, "An Odd Circuit," Art Asia Pacific, Fall edition 2000.

Medosch, Armin, "Virtuelles Live-Gerichtsdrama, " Telepolis.de, November 1999

Kroker, Arthur and Marilouise, "Web Delirium, The Okinawa Project, "

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Furlong, Lucinda. "Gender Bending, Works of Shu Lea Cheang, " College Press,1996. Hanhardt, John. "Media Art Worlds: New Expressions in Film and Video, " 1993 Carr, C. "In Carr, On Edge: Performance at the End of the Twentieth Century.," Hanover, New Hamshire: Wesleyan University Press, pgs. 206 - 11, 1993. Kotz, Liz. "Shu Lea Cheang at Exit Art, " Art In America, Vol 81, January 1993, p.106. Highs, Kathy and Cheang, Shu Lea, eds. "Shot/Reverse Shot, A Cross Circuit Videologue, " Felix, NYC. 1992.

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#### **RECENT PANEL AND LECTURES**

Art Create Change, OCAD, Toronto, 2012 Resource launch, Transmediale 2012 Tech & Gender, medialab Prado, 2011 Empyre forum on piracy, 2011

LaptopsRus, conference, Reina Sofia Museum, Madrid, 2010

"Let's be professional!" (F\*\*k Me!), Seminar at MACBA, Barcelona, 2009

'UKI game', workshop for game script development, La Casa Encendida, Madrid, 2009

L'art c'est le mix.', Beaux Arts, Bourges, France, 2008

"Reclaiming Spaces for Participation: Strategies for interfacing urban space and community media", Mal au pixel seminar, Paris, 2008

ISEA artist project review panel, Singapore edition, 2008

"New cultural networks", Stifo@Sandberg, Amsterdam, 2007

"Migration, Empire, and Transformation" UCLA mellon fellowships in the Humanities, 2007

"Mapping the New Frontier" Sundance Film Festival, Utah 2007

"OPEN and FREE" conference, SINICA, Taipei, Taiwan 2007

"Sites and para-sites: networking art" ICA, Node London 2006

"Observatoire des nouveaux medias", ENSBA, Paris 2006

"Enfant Terrible", LOST GENDER - The world after sexes, Hesse Art Academy, Offenbach 2006

"How I got fucked in Norway, snowed in Swiss, kissed in Paris and driven crazy by Babylove" Transgression panel, Transmediale 2006

Fictional installation toward WiFitopia", l'Ecole Nationale Supérieure des arts decorative, 2006

"The Art and Politics of netporn", panelist, Institute of network cultures, Amsterdam

"Dated2030" and "BodyWorks", Kodak lecture series, Ryerson University, Toronto, 2005

New Media Fellowship review panel, Rockefellor Foundation, New York, 2005

"Mobile connections', panel,.Futuresonic 2004.

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Agliomania

Moving Forest

MobiOpera

http://www.laptopsrus.me/

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# **EDUCATION**

1979, Master of Arts, Cinema Studies, New York University 1976, Bachelor of Arts, History, National Taiwan University