

AX Qin

b. 2002, Singapore
multi-disciplinary
artist & designer

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ABOUT

AX is a multi-disciplinary artist working across a variety of mediums, primarily time-based, including kinetic sculpture, interactive installation, sound, and moving/still image.

Their practice examines the microscopic tensions between and within the Sel(f/ves), existing along tangents or intersections of non-singular truths – parallel, overlapping, and cyclical. Innate conflicts of fragmented identities are distilled into rituals of repetition that stretch, mimic, or deform the human, creating visceral experiences that trigger the body's unconscious, dissociated response.

EDUCATION

MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART <i>Mount Royal School of Art (Multidisciplinary MFA)</i>	AUG 2025 - PRESENT
NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY <i>Bachelor (Hons) of Fine Arts in Design Art (Interaction Design) with Minor in Photography</i>	AUG 2020 - MAY 2024
MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART <i>Semester Exchange (Interactive Arts, Photography)</i>	AUG 2022 - DEC 2022

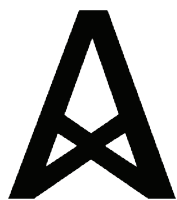
SOLO EXHIBITIONS

<i>by the skin of...</i> Student Space Gallery @ MICA Lazarus Hallway Gallery (Baltimore, MD)	2026
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SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

<i>Who's On The Menu? Mount Royal Fall Show</i> Riggs & Leidy Galleries, MICA (Baltimore, MD)	2026
<i>ArtNouva Art Fair</i> Experimental Art Collective USA ATO Congressium (Ankara, Turkey)	
<i>HIDE (An Artist Curated Exhibition)</i> EGATNIV Vintage Warehouse (Baltimore, MD)	
<i>RE:PLAY</i> Just A Band of Creatives, Geneo Canopy, Singapore Science Park (SG)	
<i>Wandering Spirits Unbound (Sound Design)</i> HeritageSG, Light Together Bras Basah-Bugis (SG)	
<i>Shoes at the Door</i> Asia North 2026 SNF Parkway Theatre (Baltimore, MD)	
<i>Slippy Authorship!</i> Flying House Arts Collective, EGATNIV Vintage Warehouse (Baltimore, MD)	
<i>What We Carry: A Sculpture and Assemblage Show</i> Jubilee Arts (Baltimore, MD)	





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Fox 3 Gallery, MICA (Baltimore, MD)

Bring Your Own Beamer (BYOB): Currents (SG)

International Poetry Film Festival (Los Angeles, CA)

in eternal return to true zero IMMERSIO 2024
GMBB (KL, Malaysia)

Cultural Futurism TERANG Projection Mapping
Competition, Filamen, MaTiC (KL, Malaysia)

Kuala Lumpur Photography Festival (KL, Malaysia)

Musica Land 2.0 National Arts Council x SLA
Kampung Java Arts Sandbox Preview Launch (SG)

Milk: Original Music Singapore Youth Film Festival
2024, Scape Singapore (SG)

Mosaic: ADM Graduation Show 2024 Artspace @ Helu-
trans, Tanjong Pagar Distripark (SG)

Singapore Art Week BYOA (Bring Your Own Arduino)
CERÉAL BOWL, PLAYPAN @ Peace Centre (SG)

Thinteractions Visual Arts Centre (SG)

AWARDS & PRESS

MICA Community Endowed Fellowship 2026
for the Mount Royal School of Art

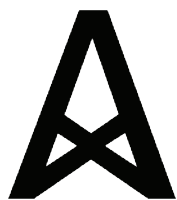
Bmore Art
Asia North 2026: A Photo Essay
Flying House Arts Collective Inserts Artworks in a Second Hand Store

Leslie King Hammond Graduate Fellowship 2025
2025-2027, MICA MFA

3rd Place [Professional Category] 2024
TERANG Projection Mapping Competition, Filamen, Malaysia

Best Original Music Nominee
Milk, Singapore Youth Film Festival 2024, Singapore

F-Zine
July 2024 Overachievers Edition



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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Maryland Institute College of Art

Graduate Program Assistant

01.26-PRES.

Provided video documentation and technological support for group critiques, lectures, and exhibitions
Graphic design for program events and visiting lectures

Graduate Research Lab Worker

08.26-PRES.

Managed large format inkjet and laser print jobs
Handled graduate equipment reservations and returns

Graduate Teaching Intern

08.25-PRES.

Creative Coding, Immersive Experience Lab
Provided technical guidance in p5.js, Arduino, TouchDesigner, and hardware circuit production

Freelancer (Photography/Design)

Artwork & Installation Photographer

08.25-PRES

Collaborated with multi-disciplinary artists and galleries to document individual works and exhibition installations

Graphic Designer

08.19-PRES

Collaborated with musical artists to produce album artworks aligning with their vision

Singapore Science Centre

Transmedia Content Creator

02.25-08.25

Conceptualized and designed updated visual language for Void Deck e-magazine and podcast
Worked with different departments to produce transmedia and video content including pilot episodes for KidsSTOP series Oh Rex! and STAR Lecture 2025

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Freelance Interactive Designer

08.24-11.24

Created interactive installations using TouchDesigner and Python including Singapore Art Week project: Horizon Hues
Collaborated with LASALLE College of the Arts dance students on live performance visuals

Creative Technology Intern

03.23-07.23

Contributed to creative technology projects for in-house and client work, utilising Arduino, Python, and TouchDesigner
Produced video and photo documentation for works

Nanyang Technological University

Teaching Assistant

01.23-04.24

Programming for Interaction, Interactive Spaces, Interactive I, Interactive Environments
Provided creative and technical guidance and support in Python, Arduino, Processing, Unity, and hardware circuit and installation production

Scoot

Marketing Intern (Design)

05.22-08.22

Designed graphic, photo, and video-based publicity content, worked with marketing team for regional market adaptation