# Khvay Samnang born 1982 Svay Rieng, Cambodia / Lives and works Phnom Penh

# **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2015 Tomio Koyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan (forthcoming)

Rubber Man, CAPC, Bordeaux, France

Kunstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin

Rubber Man, Satellite Programme 8, Jeu de Paume, Paris, France

2014 Human Nature, Tomio Koyama Gallery, Singapore

Rubber Man, SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Staging Cambodia: Video, Memory and Rock-n-Roll, HAU, Berlin, Germany

- 2012 Newspaper Man, SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2011 *Human Nature*, Royal University of Fine Art, Phnom Penh / PhotoPhomPenh, Cambodia *Untitled*, SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh, Cambodia *Wedding + Hair*, Hotel de la Paix Arts Lounge, Siem Reap, Cambodia
- 2010 Wedding, Sa Sa Art Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2009 Hair, Java Café and Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

## **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2015 (forthcoming) *Asia Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art (APT)*, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane, Australia

(forthcoming) 2nd AfriPERFORMA Biennale, Lagos, Nigeria

(forthcoming) *inToAsia: Time-based Art Festival 2015 – Architectural Landscapes: SEA in the Forefront*, Queens Museum, NYC, America

Rates of Exchange, Un-Compared: Contemporary Art in Bangkok and Phnom Penh, H Gallery, Bangkok and SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh

Eagles Fly, Sheeps Flock, Southeast Asian Platform, Art Stage Singapore, Singapore Prudential Eye Awards Finalist Exhibition, Art Science Museum, Singapore

Social Engagement Artists, Tomio Koyama, Singapore

The Khmer Rouge and the consequences. Documentation as artistic memory work, Akademie der Kunste, Berlin, Germany

2014 Swimming in Sand; Growing Rice Under an Umbrella, No Vacancy, Melbourne with parallel programming at National Gallery of Victoria's Ian Potter Centre and Federation Square Melbourne, Australia

Phnom Penh Rescue Archaeology: The Body and the Lens in the City, Goldsmiths University of London for SEA Fest, UK

Looking at the Big Blue Sky, Meta House, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Phnom Penh Rescue Archaeology: The Body and the Lens in the City, The Disappearance, Center for Contemporary Art, Singapore

Medicine to Heal: Cambodian Photography since 2000, Xishuangbanna Foto Festival, Yunnan. China

Censorship, The 7th Move On Asia, Alternative Space LOOP, Seoul, South Korea Rescue Archaeology: The Body and the Lens in the City, SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh

2013 Everyday Life: 4th Asian Art Biennale, Taipei Fine Art Museum, Taipei, Taiwan If The World Changed, 4th Singapore Biennale, Singapore Sights and Sounds: Global Video Art, The Jewish Museum, NYC, USA Phnom Penh: Rescue Archaeology, ifa, Berlin and Stuttgart, Berlin Out of Nowhere: Photography in Cambodia, creativetimereports.org Developments, Seventh Gallery, Melbourne, Australia

2012 Poetic Politic, Kadist Foundation, San Francisco, USA

Deep Sea, Primo Marella Gallery, Milano, Italy

*Mondi*, DryPhoto Contemporaneo, Prato, Italy

Tobias Rehberger Pavilion "You Owe Me. I Don't Owe You Nothin.'ROUNDTABLE, Gwangju Biennale

Terra Incognita, Noorderlight Photography Festival, The Netherlands

Current Views and Actions: Photography and Performance Documentation from Phnom Penh, Northern Illinois Museum, USA

new artefacts, SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Between Fantasy and Reality: Contact Photography Festival at The East Gallery, Toronto, Canada

Ruptures and Revival: Cambodian Photography in the Last Decade, ICAS, Singapore

- 2011 *Tokyo 2010*, Tokyo Wonder Site Hongo, Japan *Between / Myanmar-Cambodia*, Metahouse, Phnom Penh, Cambodia *Arles Photography Festival Night of the Year*, Arles, France
- 2010 Luxury Time and Space, Tokyo Wonder Site Aoyama, Japan Orange International Photography Festival, Changsa, China Big Eyes, Sa Sa Art Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2009 Forever Until Now: Contemporary Art from Cambodia, 10 Chancery Lane Gallery, Hong Kong
- Arles Photography Festival Night of the Year, Arles, France Reminder, Photo Phnom Penh, Bophanna Audiovisual Center, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
   I love PP, Java Café and Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
   Art of Survival, Meta House, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
   Silence, Meta House, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2007 Menthoamada, Gasolina, Phnom Penh, Cambodia Spirit House, Khmer Arts Academy, Takhmao, Cambodia 14 + 1, French Cultural Center Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia Market, Meta House, Phnom Penh, Cambodia Surfacing, Sala Artspace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia Anon, Sala Artspace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2006 *Contemporary Cambodian Art Review*, Sala Artspace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia *I am leaving*, French Cultural Center Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2005 Sowing Seeds of Peace, Mekong River Basin, Institute of Education, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
  Similar things between the Khmer and the Thai, Thai Embassy, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- 2004 *Life: Student Exhibition for the 86th Anniversary*, Royal University of Fine Arts, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

### **SCREENING**

2015 Vidéothèque Project, Arts Santa Monica in Barcelona Inaugural Vision Forum, Gwangju at the Asian Cultural Center, South Korea BIMI Essay Film Festival, London Video Art Festival FOKUS, Nikolaj Kunsthal, Copenhagen. Inventing the Possible, Jeu de Paume, Paris, France

#### **NOMINATIONS**

2015 Prix Pictet Prize

AIGA AGO Photography Prize Long List, Canada

Prudential Eye Awards, Best Emerging Artist in Asia Using Photography

Sovereign Asian Art Prize Finalist, Hong Kong

2014 Sovereign Asian Art Prize, Hong Kong

Future Generation Art Prize, Ukraine

2013 Future Generation Art Prize, Ukraine

Prix Pictet. France

### **WORKSHOPS + RESIDENCIES**

2014 Bethenian Kunstlerhaus, Berlin, Germnay (2014-2015)

2013 Residency Unlimited and Casita Maria / IN RESIDENCE, Season of Cambodia, NYC, USA

2011 Creators Program, Tokyo Wonder Site, Tokyo, Japan

Between, Metahouse, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Co-Founder, SA SA BASSAC, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

2010 Creators Program, Tokyo Wonder Site, Tokyo, Japan

Co-Founder, Sa Sa Art Projects, The Building, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

2009 Co-Founder, Sa Sa Art Gallery, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

2008 Bassac Studio, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

2007 Photography: History and Training with Stephane Janin, Popil Photo Gallery, Phnom Penh,

Cambodia

Co-Founder of the artist collective Stiev Selapak

#### **COLLECTIONS**

Singapore Art Museum Mainland Art Fund KfW Foundation

## **EDUCATION**

B.A. Painting, Royal University of Fine Arts (RUFA), Phnom Penh, 2006