

Chen Wenling

- 1969 Born in Quanzhou, Fujian Province, China
- 1991 Graduated from Xiamen Academy of Art and Design, Xiamen, China
- 1994 Graduated from Central Academy of Fine Arts, Beijing, China
- Currently lives and works in Beijing, China

Solo Exhibitions

- 2021 Allegory – The Storytelling of Chen Wenling, Sunzen Art Gallery, Vancouver Gallery
- 2019-20 Fabel of Duration: Chen Wenling’s Solo Exhibition, Beijing Mingsheng Art Museum, Beijing, China
- 2018 Limited & Unlimited, ChaoKuang Art Museum, Xiamen, China
Supernormal Works of Chen Wenling, Shanghai, China
Open Source: Shenzhen Biennale, 2018, Shenzhen, China
- 2017 Graces of My Heart, Whitebox Art Center, Beijing, China
Another Realm – Wenling Chen’s Solo Exhibition, Beijing, China
- 2016 Chen Wenling’s Bull – Large-Scale Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition, Beijing, China
- 2014 The Community - Chen Wenling’s New Works, Seoul, Korea
- 2012 Exotic Landscapes – Chen Wenling’s New Works, Beijing, China
- 2011 Searching for Identity – Chen Wenling Solo Exhibition, Contemporary by Angela Li, Hong Kong, China
- 2010 The Suspense – Sculptures By Chen Wenling, Today’s Art Museum, Beijing, China
- 2009 Emergency Exit – Sculptures By Chen Wenling, JoyArt, Beijing, China
- 2006 Chen Wenling’s Sculpture Solo Exhibition, Duolun Museum of Modern Art, Shanghai, China
- 2002 Red Memory – the First Time Sculpture Show by Chen Wenling, Pearl Bay Beach, Xiamen, China

Group Exhibitions

- 2021 Vancouver Biennale 2021, Vancouver, Canada
- 2020 Parallel and Interweaving, Xuanzhi Art Museum, Fujian, China
Harmo Power – The First International Biennale of Jinan, Jinan, China
- 2019 THEN, White Rabbit Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Reactor: An Exhibition of Rongyi International Art, Jingnan Art Museum, Baoding, China
Art for the People – Wulong Lanba Art Festival 2019, Wulong Lanba, Chongqing, China
Beijing Flash Biennale, Nine Art Museum, Beijing, China
- 2018 Splendors of the Sun and Moon – Contemporary Art Exhibition of China”, Museo Querini Stampalia Fondazione, Venice Italy
Open Source: Shenzhen Biennale, 2018, Shenzhen, China

- 2017 3rd Western China International Art Biennale, Inner Mongolia, China
Today's Yesterday, Anren Beinnale, Chengdu, China
Bienal de Curitiba "VIBRATIONS" - Chinese Contemporary Art Exhibition, Museu Oscar Niemeyer, Curitiba, Brazil
- 2016 Pulse Miami Beach Contemporary Art Fair, Miami, USA
China International Gallery Exposition, Beijing, China
Art Beijing Exposition, Beijing, China
Changwon Sculpture Biennale, Changwon, Korea
Walking Brics Project of Brazil, Sao Paolo, Brazil
- 2015 Rhythmic Vitality--Chinese Contemporary Art Invitation Exhibition, Anxi, China
The Silk Road—2015 Chinese Art Communication Exhibition No.1, Academy of fine arts, Helwan University, Egypt
The Silk Road—2015 Chinese Art Communication Exhibition No.2, Museum of Modern & Contemporary Carrara, Italy
Dimension of Civilization--Contemporary Art Exhibition, Museum of Contemporary, Yinchuan, China
May Circumference—Contemporary Ink Exhibition, Hongkong Fringe Fotogalerie, Hong Kong, China
Shape for the Age—Contemporary Sculpture Collection Exhibition, Museum of Hubei Province, Hubei, China
The 6th Moscow Biennale of Contemporary Art, Moscow, Russia
We are Together, Chengdu, China
Circles and Square, Hong Kong, China
Fervent China — Contemporary Monumental Sculptures, Anciens Abattoirs, Mons, Belgium
China 8 – China Contemporary Art Exhibition, Ruhr, Germany
11th Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, Australia
Happy Spring Festival·Art China, Lincoln Center, New York, U.S.A
Vision of Multi-dimensinal — First Exhibition of Antnest Art Museum, Fujian, China
The Art Love Life Exhibition — Today 22 Art Space Opening, Beijing, China
- 2014 Re-Sculpture — 1 Sanguandian Art 2014, Hubei, China
Fujianese Contemporary Art Exhibition, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
As Above So Below: Exhibition of Contemporary Ink Art, The Fringe Club, Hong Kong, China
Amusement Park — 798 Public Art Invitation Exhibition, Beijing, China
West says East says – Chinese Contemporary Art Research Exhibition, Wuhan, China
Situation 2014 – Contemporary Art Invitation Exhibition, Czech China Contemporary Art
The 10th China International Gallery Exposition, Museum, Beijing, China
Nanjing International Art Festival, Nanjing, China
Korea International Art Fair, Seoul, Korea
Maritime Quanzhou, Dynamic City, Paris, France
Biennale Italia Cina-2nd Eidion, Beijing, China
The First China Czech Contemporary Art Exhibition, Czech China Contemporary Art Museum
Quanzhou Contemporary Art Exhibition, Quanzhou, China
Art Taipei, Taipei World Trade Center, Taipei, Taiwan

- 2013 55th Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
 Inter-Vision – A Contemporary Exhibition Across the Strait, National Taiwan Museum of Fine Arts and National Art Museum of China, Taichung, Taiwan and Beijing, China
 Sculpture by the Sea, Aarhus, Denmark
 A New Atmosphere of Chinese Contemporary Art, The Czech Republic Castle Museum, Czech Republic
 Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Australia
 55th Venice Biennale parallel exhibition – Voice of the Unseen, Venice, Italy
 Of Human Conditions-Group Exhibition, Hong Kong, China
 Ideology and Manifestation, Today's Art Museum, Beijing, China
 Chinese Contemporary Public Sculpture Exhibition, Beijing Parkview Green, China
 2nd Datong International Sculpture Biennial, Datong, China
 Art Sanya Chinese Contemporary Art, Sanya, China
 Chinese contemporary sculpture exhibition, Songzhuang art museum, Beijing, China
- 2012 Re-History Chinese Contemporary Art Invitational Exhibition, itinerant exhibition in Shenzhen, Guangzhou Province; Shijiazhuang, Hebei Province, Beijing and Wuhan, China
 Looking Awry Exhibition, Iberia Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China
 Chinese Contemporary Public Art Exhibition, Kassel, Germany
 Environment – Spirit Western China International Art Biennale, Yinchuan Cultural Art Center and Yinchuan, Ningxia Province, China
- 2011 7th Sculpture by the Sea, Perth, Australia
 Self Camera — Exterior of the Modern – Changwon Asia Art Festival, Sungsan Art Hall, Changwon, South Korea
- 2010 Living in Evolution, Busan Biennale, Busan Cultural Center, Busan, South Korea
 The TAO of Now, The White Rabbit Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2009 A Conversation with Chicago, Contemporary Sculpture from China, Millennium Park, Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
- 2008 Third International Biennial of Contemporary Art, Centro Andaluz de Arte Contemporáneo, Seville, Spain
 Busan Biennale - Expenditure, Busan Museum of Modern Art, Busan, South Korea
- 2007 Red Hot - Asian Art Today, The Museum of Fine Art, Houston, Texas, U.S.A.
- 2006 Hyper Design, Shanghai Biennale, Shanghai Art Museum, Shanghai, China

Awards

- 2015 Honorary title “2015 China-Australia Art Ambassador”
- 2012 Finalist, Most Influential Sculptor, Seventh “AAC” Art China
- 2011 Most Popular Award, International Sculpture Exhibition, Aarhus City of Denmark
 Sculpture by the Sea, Public Art Prize in the 7th of the, Perth, Australia
- 2010 “Bao Xi Niao” Art Prize, Alternative Space
 2010 Art Power 100 of China, “Art Value” Magazine
- 2008 Youth May 4th Outstanding Contribution in Art Award, “Contemporary Art” Magazine

- 2004 Excellence Award, National Fine Arts Exhibition
2003 Red Memory – Most Popular Work Award, Beijing Biennale, China Sculpture Special Exhibition

Public Collections

China Art Museum
Beijing Today Art Museum
Melbourne Museum
The White Rabbit Gallery
Art Gallery of Western Australia
National Gallery of Korea
Seoul Museum of Art
Houston Museum of Fine Arts
Denver Art Museum
Arox Art Museum
Guangdong Museum
Fujian Museum
Hubei Museum of Art
Yinchuan Contemporary Art Museum
Wuhan United Art Museum
China Sculpture Museum (Datong)
China Charity Museum
Doosan Art Center, Seoul
Sichuan Fine Arts Institute
Fujian Normal University
Nanjing University
Jimei University
Parkview Green's Art Center
Taichung Sculpture Park
Huizhou Sculpture Park
South Lake Park of Xiamen
Xi'an Yitian Square
Hangzhou Alibaba Headquarters