



Press Release

Solo Exhibition of Pyrce Luk 陸嘉瑩個展

# MAKE IT TILL YOU FAIL IT!

***Exhibition Period: 3 April – 29 April 2024***

***Opening Ceremony: 6 April, 5 - 8 P.M. (Saturday)***

***Opening Hours: Tue- Sun 1-8 P.M.***

***Venue: Yrellag Gallery | 13A Prince's Terrace, Central***

Yrellag Gallery is honoured to present Pyrce Luk's solo exhibition "MAKE IT TILL YOU FAIL IT!", comprising a collection of new works including poster prints, mix-media sculptures, and kinetic installation for turning Yrellag Gallery into a Blind Box Shop of "Failed-Eggs".

"Failing is a form of resistance, with a liberating force."

The "Failed-Eggs" project was hatched from an egg the artist accidentally misboiled, from which a mesmerizing "egg white flower" oozed out. Searching online for existing communities that appreciate such beauty, the artist was astonished to find none, despite billions of eggs being consumed daily worldwide. All she could find was advice on avoiding this "failure".

What is often too hastily labelled "failure" from a utilitarian and overly simplistic binary view, might actually signify autonomy or the beginning of a revolution. Transcending their physicality, these "Failed-Eggs" manifest possibilities and alternative ways of being. From this perspective, "failure" is a form of success — Successfully defying societal and internalized external expectations.

This Blind Box Shop celebrates endeavours to fail the "what should be" and embraces the "what could be". On display is a part of "Failed-Eggs" created since 2021, each of them has violated at least one guideline for boiling a "perfect egg".

The exhibition opening will be held on Saturday, 6 April 2024 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., and will be on view from 3 April 2024 until 29 April 2024. The artist will be present during the opening.

Yrellag Gallery 欣然呈獻藝術家陸嘉瑩個展 “MAKE IT TILL YOU FAIL IT!” (「直至失敗為止！」)。陸氏以一系列新作品，包括海報印刷物、混合媒介雕塑和動態裝置，將 Yrellag Gallery 變成一所「失敗蛋」的盲盒店。

「失敗，是一種抗衡的形式，帶一種解放的力量。」

「失敗蛋」這項目，源於藝術家一次焗蛋失敗的意外。當時，蛋殼縫間孵化出一朵異常迷人的「白蛋花」，使陸氏嘗試在網上搜尋現有欣賞其美的同好，卻驚訝地發現儘管全世界每日消耗數十億顆雞蛋，仍遍尋無果。然而，如何避免這種被標籤為「失敗」的指引則數之不盡。

經常被功利主義和過度簡化的二分法匆匆貼上「失敗」標籤的，或許其實是本我的彰顯，或變革的起始；「失敗蛋」超越自身物理性，展現著存在的可能性和多樣性。從這角度來看，「失敗」也是一種成功——成功地從被灌輸或已內化的社會期待中解放。

這間「失敗蛋」盲盒店，高舉對「正常化」的抗衡，擁納每個可能性和多樣性。是次展出的「失敗蛋」是陸氏從 2021 年至今所創作之部分，每顆「失敗蛋」均違反了起碼一個焗煮完美雞蛋的指引。

本展將於 2024 年 4 月 6 日(星期六)下午 5 時至晚上 8 時舉行開幕酒會，屆時藝術家將親臨現場，展期由 2024 年 4 月 3 日至 2024 年 4 月 29 日。

## ***About Artist***

**Pyrce Luk 陸嘉瑩**



Pyrce Luk earned her Master of Arts in Fine Arts from The Chinese University of Hong Kong in 2023, after obtaining her bachelor's degree in marketing. She developed a deep interest in wants and desires when pursuing her writing career in advertising and has forged her conceptual artworks with mixed media, contemplating these notions as well as truths and manifestations of hegemonic power in everyday life.

Recent group exhibitions include the "HK Forward 2023" (2023), "Project Original 2.0" (2023), and "5354 – MAFA Graduate Exhibition" (2023). Pyrce currently lives and works in Hong Kong.

Pyrce 早年修畢市場學學士，其後於2023年獲香港中文大學藝術文學碩士學位。從事廣告文案的職涯，深化了陸氏對追求和慾望的強烈好奇，對她的藝術創作概念及藝術實踐產生了深刻影響。她的混合媒介作品，同時審視「真實」和浸透日常的權壓。

近期的群展包括「HK Forward 2023」（2023）、「原味 2.0」（2023）及「5354 - 藝術文學碩士畢業生展覽」（2023）。陸氏現於香港生活和工作。

## About Yrellag Gallery:

Yrellag Gallery is an artist-run gallery nestled in Prince's Terrace, Mid-levels Central. It aims to promote local art and community cultural activities, providing emerging or experienced artists with an alternative space to develop their practice and facilitating greater possibilities and interaction with other sectors of society.

Yrellag is a transposition of the word "Gallery" and serves as a playful allusion to Rednaxela Terrace in the neighborhood. The name Rednaxela is a reverse of "Alexander" and dates back to colonial times, meanwhile, it subtly refers to the contrasting ways in which English and Chinese are written.

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