

Exhibition

Ink-wash Paintings

The young and middle age artists' salon of the Shanghai Chinese Painting Academy was founded in 2006 and now has 22 artists. This exhibition displays their works that show their unique vision, diversified art explorations and a variety of themes.

Date: Through March 1
Venue: Lu Yanshao Art Gallery
Address: 358 Dongdajie Street, Jiading Town

嘉定鎮東大街358號

Bamboo Carving

Jiading bamboo carving is China's national level intangible culture heritage. The art uses knives as pens to integrate art fields such as calligraphy, painting, poetry, prose and seal-carving. This exhibition will display some outstanding bamboo carvings which display the precise techniques and innovations used.

Date: Through March 5
Venue: 1/F exhibition hall at Jiading Cultural Center and Library
Address: 33 Taxi Rd, Jiading New Town

嘉定新城塔秀路33號

Thangka Masterpieces

A thangka is a painted or embroidered banner which was hung in a monastery or a family altar and carried by lamas in ceremonial processions. It has a long history, and is very religious and ethnic. It is unique in Tibetan culture in China and once dubbed the encyclopedia of Tibet. The exhibition will display the work of talented painters from Tibet's Shigatse region.

Date: Through April 12
Venue: Jiading Museum
Address: 215 Bole Rd

博樂路215號

Clay Figurines



Huishan clay figurine is a clay figure-making art in Huishan, Wuxi City in Shanghai's neighboring Jiangsu Province. It is now a national level intangible culture heritage. The most famous clay figures of the art are *da'afu*, two babies representing good harvest season, peace and harmony. It is also the symbol of auspicious blessing, happiness and good luck.

Date: Through March 8
Venue: Shanghai Guyi Garden
Address: 218 Huyi Highway

滬宜公路218號

Stage

Comedy Shows

On the eve of the Lantern Festival which falls on March 4, several famed artists from Shanghai People's Comedy Troupe will show off their prowess in Shanghai dialect in a bid to make you laugh.

Date: March 4, 7pm
Venue: Xiuwutai Stage (The theater of Jiading Cultural Center and Library)

Need To Know

A competition fit for budding entrepreneurs

Entrepreneurs are invited to show their business talent as this year's Inno-China Entrepreneurship Competition is open.

Set up in 2013 for overseas Chinese to start a business in China, it aims to provide a financing and publicizing platform for scientific innovation projects and support for high-level business talents.

The previous two competitions saw 247 projects take part and more than 20 projects settled in Jiading. The competitors were overseas students or Chinese people who had returned from 12 nations or regions. Many projects received financing of between 500,000 yuan (US\$81,967) and 10 million yuan after the competition was over.

The entrepreneurship competition expanded overseas this year and it will be held in Shanghai, Hong Kong and Boston.

The final will be held in Shanghai with top prize of 100,000 yuan, second prize of 50,000 yuan and third prize of 20,000 yuan.

There is also 10,000 yuan for the fourth prize and 5,000 yuan or



equivalent goods for all projects in the final. All projects have the chance to win up to 1.5 million yuan in financing and support.

The competition is mainly open to advanced manufacturing sectors, life sciences, medical and health care and modern services.

The projects are required to be scientific with core technology threshold and financing need, or from overseas with the intention of further development in China,



mainly including start-up projects involving products not yet available in market or projects no more than three years old and those with an annual volume of less than 5 million yuan.

Applicants can apply online at www.inno-china.com.cn. Deadline for Boston is April 8, Hong Kong April 30 and Shanghai May 31.

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Lecture

The Glamour of Chorus

Choral singing is a serious art, which requires harmony of tone and parts as well as balanced volume. The art requires strict and scientific training to achieve good performance effects. Professor Shi Lin will bring residents to feel the glamour of chorus art. Lecturer: Shi Lin (Professor of Vocal Music and Opera Department of Shanghai Conservatory of Music)

Date: March 1, 2pm
Venue: Multifunctional Hall, Jiading Library
Address: 1288 Yumin Rd S.

裕民南路1288號

Western Classic Art

Western art is a witness to history. Professor Sun Naishu explores Western classic art treasures with audiences in order of history. Lecturer: Sun Naishu (Vice Dean and professor with Fine Art School of Shanghai Institute of Visual Art)

Date: March 8, 2pm
Venue: Multifunctional Hall, Jiading Library
Address: 1288 Yumin Rd S.

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Seal Carvings

Professor Zhai Zhihao will take audiences to explore the world of seal carving in history as well as masterpieces of traditional Chinese paintings.

Lecturer: Zhai Zhihao (Chairman of Shanghai Universities Calligraphy Education Research Society)
Date: March 15, 2pm
Venue: Multifunctional Hall, Jiading Library
Address: 34 Qinghe Rd

清河路 34號

Confucius' Benevolence

The Confucius ideology of benevolence has been one of the sources of the Chinese national spirit, parts of Chinese civilization, standards of Chinese values and rules of Chinese ethics. This lecture will give the audience a deeper understanding of the ideology of benevolence.

Lecturer: Guo Xiaodong (Associate Professor of Philosophy of Fudan University)
Date: March 15, 2pm

Venue: Multifunctional Hall, Jiading Library
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Film

'A Dream of Mother'

Li Zhiguo was sentenced to prison for an impulsive attack several years ago, leaving his mother alone at home. When he was released, he decided to fulfill her mother's dream to visit Tian'anmen Square in Beijing. Since he had little money, he eventually rode a tricycle carrying her mother to the capital.

Release date: February 28

'Big Hero 6'

Adapted from comics, the story takes place in fictional metropolis San Franskyo. A young genius Hiro Hamada discovers a hid-



den crime which will endanger the high-tech city. To save the world, he establishes the Big Hero 6 with his robot Baymax and some rookie friends to fight against evil.

Release date: February 28

'Jupiter Ascending'

The story happens in the distant future, when gene modification is common. People integrate their own genes with animals' to increase their strength, while unmodified humans become the bottom level of society. A human female, played by Mila Kunis, is being hunted by the queen of the universe because she has the same genes as the queen.

Release date: March 6

'Beijing, New York'

In 2008, China enjoyed rapid economic growth while the United States suffered a financial crisis. However, in Beijing and New York, the two cities of thousands of miles away, people from different cultural backgrounds were still pursuing their dreams and searching for happiness.

Release date: March 6

Where to watch:

• Dadi Digital Cinema

Address: 4/F, Robinsons Shopping Mall, 138 Chengzhong Rd, Jiading Town
Tel: 5992-9821
Website: http://cinema.hipiao.com/dadi_jiading (online ticket reservation available)

嘉定鎮城中路138號

• Nanxiang Bingo International Cinema

Address: 1/F, Bldg 5, 1082 Huyi Rd
Tel: 6992-7666 ext 818

滬宜公路1082號

• Jiangqiao Wanda Cinema

Address: 3/F Jiangqiao Wanda Plaza, 49, Lane 1075, Jinshajiang Rd W.
Tel: 3127-5666

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