



# The **Garage** Art Center

**Exhibition Title:** Bamboo Forest

**Artist Name:** Seung Lee

**Exhibition Date:** 4/23 – 5/22/2022

**Opening Reception:** Saturday, 4/23, 2022 @ 4 pm – 6 pm

**Art Workshop:** Saturday, 5/7, 2022 @ 3 pm – 4:30pm

## About the Exhibition

Echoing the spirit of Earth Day, raising awareness for the environmental protection and care of our planet, we are presenting 'Bamboo Forest', a solo exhibition of artist and art professor Seung Lee in April.

Seung Lee's workspace on the North Fork of Eastern Long Island is shrouded with bamboo. Spending many days exercising "bamboo management" during the pandemic, bamboo has naturally emerged as the main theme in his art. He witnessed Bamboo's strength and flexibility and was inspired by how they teach us to stand upright and adapt to hard circumstances then spring back despite adversity.

These virtues learned from mother nature are conveyed in Lee's large-scale paintings, which resonate with us on how to find balance and peace in our lives, thereby improving our health and environment. Surrounded by the display of large-scaled bamboo paintings, audiences will be transported to a bamboo forest from the gallery.

\* All programs are FREE and open to the public. Registration required. To schedule your visit or register for the workshop, please use our scheduler:

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more about the exhibition:

<http://garageartcenter.org/exhibition-single-seung.html>

## About the Workshop

### Mixed Media Drawing of Bamboo

Saturday, 5/7/2022 @ 3:00 pm – 4:30pm

The workshop, Mixed Media Drawing of Bamboo, is a therapeutic drawing session on using bamboo as a subject matter to explore oneself.

This drawing workshop is not a traditional ink drawing or painting of bamboo. During 90 min. workshop, participants will be provided with a bamboo image stenciled paper to create their own image with pastel, charcoal, or pencil.

At the end of the session, we'll share our finished drawing for comments by participants and Seung Lee.

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## About the Artist

**Seung Lee** is a Korean-American contemporary artist. He is currently a Professor of Fine Art at Long Island University Post. He received a BFA in Drawing from Maryland Institute College of Art in Baltimore, Maryland and an MFA in Painting from Pratt Institute in Brooklyn, New York.

Seung Lee's paintings, drawings, and large-scale installations have been exhibited extensively in the US as well as internationally: Italy, France, Germany, Japan, China, and Korea. He has received numerous reviews in the New York Times, Newsday, Radio Interview with RTHK (HONG KONG), WLIW-FM, Kyoto Times, Korea Daily News, Busan Daily, Art Word magazine, Art Price magazine, Art in Culture magazine, Art Price magazine, Art and People magazine, and selected for Woori Bank of Korea's 2018 VIP Calendar.

Seung Lee received many awards; New York State Governor, Nassau County Supervisor, Suffolk county Supervisor, New Jersey City Mayor, and in 2011, Seung was awarded as "Best International Korean Artist" from Korean Art Association.

Seung has been an invited panelist in National Endowment for the Arts, Maine Fellowship, Decentralization Grants for New York Artists, International Documentary Film Festival, Berkshire Museum, Long Island Museum, Heckscher Art Museum, Islip Art Museum, International Nature Art Biennial, etc.

## Our Location

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