



Hong Kong 2084 Art prints

Plastic Free Seas x Local Artist Michelle Fung

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Hong Kong – 28 April 2022 – Local artist Michelle Fung will release a collection of 6 “Hong Kong 2084” art prints on 12 May on her website. 20% will be donated to Plastic Free Seas, a Hong Kong-based environmental charity focused on plastic marine pollution. Pre-order is available immediately.

“Hong Kong 2084” reimagines the city’s fantastical sustainable future—where historical, contemporary, and futuristic green buildings co-exist, and where endangered animals flourish. If the artist had a magic wand, this is how she would have her city in 2084.

Having been an immigrant to Canada in the 1990s, Michelle Fung created this collection to celebrate her city as Hong Kong experiences another migration peak.

With the prolonged closure of restaurants in the evening, there has been an increase in the volume of take-away meals and food deliveries. The corresponding proliferation of single-use containers, mostly plastic, along with the food packaging waste created at the quarantine hotels and isolation facilities is staggering.

Marine plastic pollution has long been an issue close to the artist’s heart. Her body of works “Plastic, plastic, every where!” (2015-2019) has garnered multiple local and international awards as a short film, an illustrated book and installations.

“I am envious of Macau that can keep so many of their historical buildings. I wish we had kept the beautiful colonial buildings. I wanted to pay Hong Kong tribute while raising money for a charity that speaks to me.” Says artist Michelle Fung.

Plastic Free Seas believes that art can raise awareness and even promote behavior change, and they have been following Michelle’s work for years. “It is a pleasure to partner with Michelle on this project which ultimately speaks to our mission to reduce the use of single-use plastic for the health of our planet — the ocean, the animals, the plants and the people.”

Plastic Free Seas is a 9-yr-old registered charity focusing on changing the way people view and use single-use plastic in society today through education and action campaigns.

For more information, visit <https://www.michelleksfung.com/hongkong2084>. To find out more about Plastic Free Seas, visit www.plasticfreeseas.org.

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