

Great Women Artists

Explore artworks created by women artists in DBS Singapore Gallery 2.

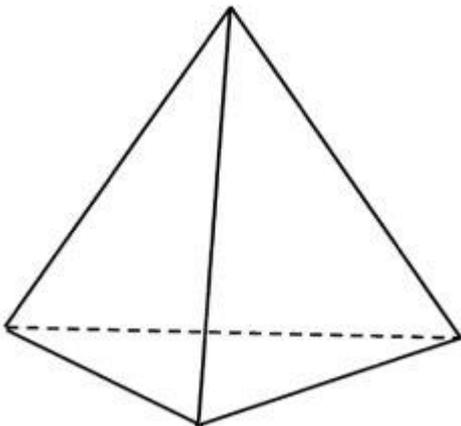
Different Thoughts by Lai Foong Moi

The woman on the right appears to be deep in thought, looking far into the distance. What do you think is on her mind? Write it down below.

Lai Foong Moi was born in 1931. She is known for her portraits of people. She studied art under the guidance of another great woman artist in Singapore, Georgette Chen.

Tetrahedron-tetrahedron Interpenetration by Han Sai Por

The shape below is a tetrahedron. It is made up of 4 triangles, 6 straight edges and 4 points. Look at the sculpture. How many tetrahedrons can you see?



Han Sai Por was born in 1943. She is known for her sculptures, many of which can be found in public spaces around Singapore. The next time you see a sculpture, find out if it was created by Han Sai Por!

Bowls by Eng Tow

Eng Tow created this work using cloth and thread. Step back and observe how she uses shadows and lines to make the forms appear convex or concave. A convex shape curves outwards like the back of a spoon, whilst a concave shape caves inwards like the front face of a spoon. Try drawing a bowl below using shadows and lines.

Eng Tow was born in 1947. She is known for her textile art. She once said, "When you make a mark, that's art, making a mark that is you, at the moment in time."¹

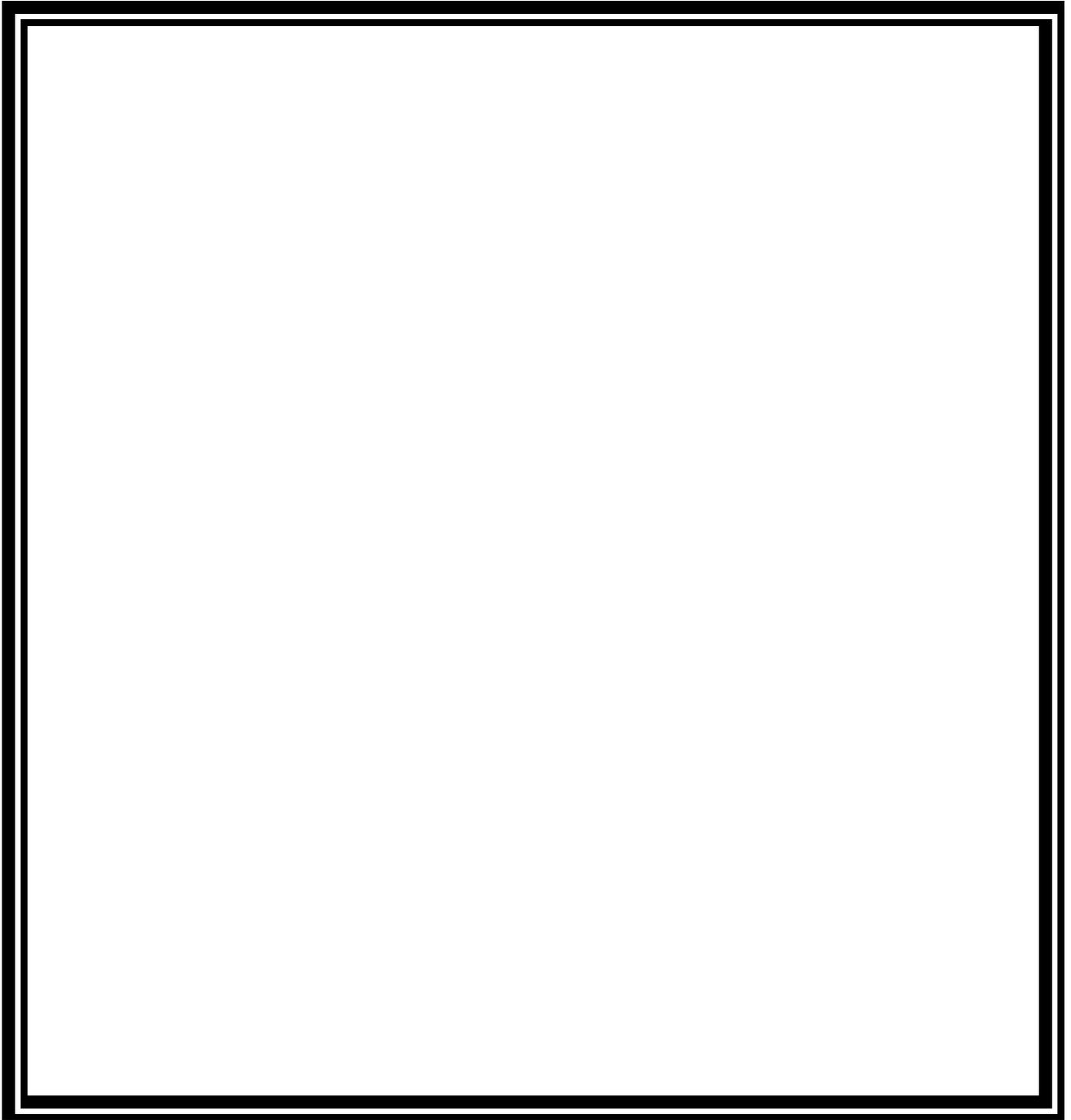
Following Trends, Jumping Jack and Social Climbers by Chng Seok Tin

Observe how Chng Seok Tin creates movement in these three works. The figures are mimicking mannerisms, jumping around and climbing. What types of lines does she use to create this effect? Draw a picture showing movement below.

Chng Seok Tin was born in 1946. She is known for her printmaking. She received the Cultural Medallion in 2005, for her artistic excellence and contribution.

¹ Bridget Tracy Tan, *Women Artists in Singapore* (Singapore, National Heritage Board, 2011), p. 54.

Draw a portrait of a woman you admire.



This is _____

I admire her because _____
