

PHANTASMAGORIA: PHOTOGRAPHS BY MIAO XIAOCHUN
CURATED BY WU HUNG

October 1 - November 27, 2004
opening reception: October 22, 5-9pm



ABOUT WALSH:

Since 1993, Walsh Gallery continues to contribute to the constantly evolving world of contemporary art making and collecting, with an exhibition program that focuses on contemporary art from Asia and the Asian diaspora.

Walsh Gallery exhibits work by artists in all phases of their careers, with an overriding emphasis on independence of vision and mastery of technique. Complex and complicated ideas rendered with simplicity are given equal emphasis with simple or basic ideas rendered with complexity.

Walsh Gallery's space is reconfigured with each show. The artwork as well as space thus reflects the reality of an international art world that is in constant flux. Walsh Gallery space has become a place where viewers expect to be challenged and surprised with each show. Walsh Gallery has fostered a long-term community among its artists, collectors, and visitors.

Walsh Gallery works hard to educate its collectors, visitors, as well as the larger community in which the gallery resides. This is exemplified by the multi-institutional collaboration on contemporary Asian art, which is occurring in Chicago from May 2004 to January 2005. The director, Julie Walsh, has co-organized these events. For more information contact www.walshgallery.com or 312.829.3312.

**"Technologically Challenged:
Contemporary Art in South and East Asia."**

October 16th, 1:00 pm

Chicago Cultural Center
78 E. Washington Street, 1st Floor Northwest

Curators and contemporary artists will come together in a panel discussion to address how technology is affecting contemporary art-making practices in South and East Asia. The panelists will also look at how cultural and societal expectations influence artistic expression.

This program is part of a city-wide partnership between cultural institutions dedicated to exploring contemporary Chinese Art this fall. For more information please visit www.walshgallery.com