

TOYM IMAO, Visual Artist

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EDUCATION

- 2012 **Master of Fine Arts Major in Sculpture:** Rinehart School of Sculpture at Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD, USA
- 2010 **Master of Fine Arts (units, sans thesis):** College of Fine Arts, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines
- 2010 **Directing Motion Pictures:** Marilou Diaz-Abaya Film Institute, Antipolo City, Philippines
- 2003 **Managing the Arts Program:** Asian Institute of Management, Makati City, Philippines
- 1992 **B.S. Architecture:** College of Architecture, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines

SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

- 2015 Philippine Delegate, ASEAN Cultural Heritage and Identities Conference, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2012 – 2014 Artist-in-Residence, The Creative Alliance, Baltimore, Maryland
- 2012 Apperson Fellowship, The Creative Alliance, Baltimore, Maryland
- 2012 Amalie Rothschild 34' Award, Maryland Institute College of Art
- 2012 MICA Alumni Leadership Award, Maryland Institute College of Art
- 2012 Rinehart Award, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- 2010 – 2012 Fulbright Scholarship
- 2010 – 2012 William M. Philips '54 Memorial Scholarship, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- 2010 – 2012 Rinehart School of Sculpture Scholarship, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- 2002 Participant, 2nd International Sculpture Symposium, Hue, Vietnam, through grants from the Ford Foundation and Rockefeller Foundation

SELECTED AWARDS

- 2022 **UP Alumni Association (UPAA) Distinguished Alumni Awards** for the Visual Arts (Arts and Culture)
- 2020 **Lampara ng Sining** Awardee, UNESCO/National Commission for Culture and the Arts
- 2017 **Metrobank Art and Design Excellence (MADE)** Special Citation for Achievement in Sculpture, Pasay City
- 2016 **Best Set Design** for Tanghalang Pilipino's Mabining Mandirigma, 8th PhilStage Gawad Buhay Awards
- 2015 **Outstanding Alumnus**, Marist School, Marikina City
- 2014 **Best Production Design** (New Breed Category) for the movie "K'na the Dreamweaver," Cinemalaya X

- 2012 **Gawad Patnubay ng Sining at Kalinangan (Sculpture)**, given by the City of Manila, Philippines
- 2010 **Gawad Parangal para sa Sining, sa Larangan ng Eskultura** (Achievement Award for Arts in the Field of Sculpture), given by Quezon City, Philippines
- 2007 **Semi-Finalist, Cinemalaya**, Philippine Independent Film Festival, Cultural Center of the Philippines
- 2003 **Most Outstanding Capampangan Award for Achievement in the Field of Sculpture**, given by the Provincial Government of Pampanga, Philippines
- 2002 **Award of Excellence and Meritorious Service** for outstanding work created in the Perfume River Sculpture Park, Tinh Thua Thien Province, Vietnam
- 1994 **Grand Prize**, 1st National *Letras y Figuras* Painting Competition, Instituto Cervantes and the Spanish Embassy, Manila
- 1994 **Grand Finalist**, Remy Martin National Mural Painting Competition, Manila City

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professional sculptor and painter since 1990. Expert in bronze-casting using lost-wax technique; pounded brass; stone carving, woodworks and carving; metal works; polymer resin fabrication (cold casting); painting; graphic design; photography; production and stage design.

- 2021 – pres. **Assistant Professor:** College of Fine Arts, University of the Philippines, Diliman
- 2016 - 2021 **Senior Lecturer:** College of Fine Arts, University of the Philippines, Diliman
- 2018 **Set Designer:** *Balag at Angud*, Tanghalang Pilipino, Cultural Center of the Philippines
- 2017 **Set Designer:** *Aurelio Sedisyoso*, Tanghalang Pilipino, Cultural Center of the Philippines
- 2016 **Set Designer:** *Pangarap sa Isang Gabi ng Gitnang Tag-Araw*, Tanghalang Pilipino, Cultural Center of the Philippines
Set Designer: *Ibarra and Simoun*, Ballet Philippines, Cultural Center of the Philippines
Set Designer: *Mula sa Kulimliman*, One-Act Play, Virgin Labfest 2016, Cultural Center of the Philippines
- 2015 **Props Designer:** Welcome Dinner and Cultural Presentation in honor of delegates to the APEC Ministerial Meeting, Manila.
Set Designer: *Mabining Mandirigma*, Tanghalang Pilipino, Cultural Center of the Philippines
- 2014 **Production Designer:** *K'na, the Dreamweaver*, an Ida del Mundo Film
- 2010 **Art Director:** *Ikaw ang Pag-Ibig*, a Marilou Diaz-Abaya Film
- 2008 - 2010 **Lecturer:** College of Fine Arts, University of the Philippines, Diliman
- 1996 - 2000 **Founding Partner:** Freedom Bar, Quezon City
- 1992 – 1996 **Architect and Founding Partner:** Design Consultants (DesCon) Asia, Quezon City
- 1992 – 1996 **Founding Partner:** Mulawin Design Consultants, Quezon City
- 1989 – 1991 **Architectural Staff:** Angelita Bondoc and Partners , Makati
- 1989 – 1991 **Designer:** Detalles de Roberta Jewelers
- 1989 – 1990 **Contributor:** Filipino News Magazine, Sydney, Australia
- 1986 – 1989 **Writer/Contributor:** Sunday Times Magazine

PUBLIC ART INSTALLATIONS

- 2021 **Sambaybayin.** Commencement Exercises, Quezon Hall, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Kontra Punto. University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Whispering Flower Beds. Philippine General Hospital, Manila City
Barikada. First Quarter Storm 50th Anniversary, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2020 **Nagbabadyang Unos.** Palma Hall, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Dalunduyan. Commencement Exercises, Quezon Hall, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Parola. UP Pailaw, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2019 **Kanlungan.** Commencement Exercises, Quezon Hall, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Santuaryo. UP Pailaw, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2018 **Remembering Painful Histories.** Palma Hall lobby, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Talahib. Commencement Exercises, Quezon Hall, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Kamalayag. UP Pailaw, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Askal: Auto Synchronus Kalesa. Manila Biennale, Fort Santiago, Intramuros, Manila City
A Woven Maranao Ship, art float for the province of Lanao del Norte, Sinulog Festival, Cebu City
- 2017 **Star of Feliz:** indoor installation for Ayala Feliz Mall, Pasig City
Mulat, UP Pailaw, Oblation Plaza, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2016 **Tabi-Tabi-Habi Po,** Art installations as part of “Monuments to the Monsoon” exhibition at the Pinto Art Gallery, Antipolo, Rizal.
- 2016 **Budyong,** UP Pailaw, Oblation Plaza, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
The Fright to Fight or Flight with Freights of Plights (San Daimos). University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Desaparecidos: Memorializing Absence, Remembering the Disappeared. Bantayog ng mga Bayani, Quezon City
- 2015 **Dingas,** UP Pailaw, Oblation Plaza, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Carriage of Couple’s Copious Conjugal Cupboard of Curios, Cops, Cuffs and Corpses (Mazinger Z), OpenSpace, Ayala Museum, Makati City
Desaparecidos: Memorializing Absence, Remembering the Disappeared. University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2015 **Last, Lost, Lust for Four Forgotten Episodes (Voltes V),** improved and expanded, OpenSpace, Ayala Museum, Makati City

- Coping with a Couple's Copious Conjugal Cupboard of Curios, Cops, Cuffs and Corpses (Mazinger Z).*** University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2014 ***Last, Lost, Lust for Four Episodes (Voltes V).*** In commemoration of the 42nd anniversary of the declaration of Martial Law in the Philippines, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2013 ***Head of State.*** In commemoration of the 150th birth anniversary of Andres Bonifacio, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 ***Ima-Ina.*** Galerie Anna, SM Megamall
In His Veins. Galerie Joaquin, UP Town Center
- 2018 ***Super Robot – Suffer Reboot.*** Bulwagan ng Dangal, UP Main Library, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
Anime Anitos. ToyCon 2018, SMX Convention Center, Mall of Asia, Pasay
- 2016 ***Casa Fuego.*** Bulwagan ng Carlos V. Francisco, Cultural Center of the Philippines
Abdulmari Asia Imao's Visual Journey, Eid'l Fitr Festival 2016, SM The Block, Quezon City
- 2015 ***AlterNOTION + AlterNATION: Alternative Imagi(ni)ng of History.*** Bulwagan ng Carlos V. Francisco, Cultural Center of the Philippines, Manila
Abdulmari Asia Imao's Visual Journey. Museo Pambata, Manila City

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 ***State of the Nation,*** University of the Philippines, Los Banos, Laguna
- 2020 Pinto Art Museum
- 2019 Altro Mondo, Makati
Banta!, UP College of Fine Arts, UP Diliman, Quezon City
 FEU, Rights exhibition
 Canvas exhibition, UP College of Fine Arts
 Canvas exhibition, UP Bulwagan ng Dangal
- 2018 ***Art in the Mall,*** SM Megamall, Mandaluyong, Quezon City
Signos: Figures of Impunity, District Gallery, West Ave. Quezon City
Looking for Juan, University of the Philippines, Diliman.
Buhay U.P., Shangri-La Mall, Mandaluyong City , May 2018
Tri-Angles, Galerie Roberto, Alabang, Muntinlupa City, March 2018
Dekada, UP CFA Reunion Exhibit, Art Anton, Maison, Mall of Asia, Pasay City
- 2017 ***Seascapes: Tranquility and Agitation,*** Galeriya Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, Pasay City
Hudyat, Far Eastern University, Nicanor Reyes Street, Manila City
Reconfigurations, UP Fine Arts Gallery, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City
- 2016 ***My City, My SM, My Art,*** SM City Cagayan de Oro
Sansó: Setting the Stage, Ayala Museum, Makati City
Department of Foreign Affairs Diplomats Reception and Exhibition, SM Aura, Taguig City
Eid'l Fitr, Galerie Joaquin, The Podium, Quezon City

- Creative Alliance Resident Reunion Exhibition.*** The Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD, USA
- Desaparecidos: Memorializing Absence, Remembering the Disappeared.*** EDSA 30 Experiential Museum
- Curiosities*** by Galerie Stephanie featuring the "Pop A-Peel" series. Art Fair Philippines, Makati City
- 2015 ***Open Ends***, The Lopez Museum, Ortigas Center, Pasig City, Philippines
- Tres Hombres y Tres Mujeres***, Alveo Corporate Center, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig
- A National Artist's Visual Journey***, Museo Pambata, Manila
- Colors of Peace***, featuring National Artist Abdumari A. Imao with tribute works by Toym Imao, GSIS Museum, Pasay City
- Art in Rockwell***, Galerie Joaquin, Power Plant Mall, Makati City
- Lent***, Galerie Raphael, Serendra, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City
- Chinese New Year***, Galerie Joaquin, Power Plant Mall, Makati City
- 2014 ***Eid' l Fitr***, Galerie Joaquin, The Podium, Quezon City
- ManilArt***, Art Underground, SM Aura, Taguig
- 2013 ***Art Filipino: Works by Master Artists.*** Asian Arts and Culture Center, Towson University, Towson, MD, USA
- Galaxy Cream.*** The Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD, USA
- Grounded***, The Lopez Museum, Ortigas Center, Pasig City, Philippines
- Into the Woods***, The Manila Contemporary, White Space, Makati City
- New Acquisitions***, Donations to the UP Art Collection, Bulwagan ng Dangal, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines
- Pop Effects***, The John A. Cade Center for Fine Arts Gallery, Arundel Community College, Arnold, MD, USA
- Eid' l Fitr 2013***, Galerie Joaquin, SM North, Quezon City
- ManilArt 2013***, Galerie Nicolas, SM Aura, Taguig
- 2012 ***Let's Do That Again***, The Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD, USA
- Beyond the Frame***, The Contemporary Wing, Washington DC, USA
- Imao 3***, Galeria Roces, Casa Roces, Manila City, Philippines
- 2012 ***Body as Monument***, Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD, USA
- Academy 2012 Invitational***, Connersmith, Washington DC, USA
- Off the Rails***, Decker Gallery, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD, USA
- Indiosyncracies***, Gallery 456, Chinese Chamber of Commerce Gallery, NYC,
- 2011 ***Rhinocuts***, Fox Gallery 3, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
- 1st Year Spring Show***, Pinkard Gallery, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD, USA
- Rizal or Bust***, Celestina Showroom, Glorietta, Makati City, Philippines
- 2010 ***Sum Condiments***, Fox Gallery 3, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD, USA

PUBLIC ART

- 2020 ***Mindoro Tamaraw***, brass landmark sculpture, San Jose, Mindoro
- 2019 Monument to ***Teresa Magbanua***, Life-sized cast bronze and fiberglass, Pototan, Iloilo
- 2018 ***Kumpas***, 30th anniversary commemorative time capsule for the Office of the Ombudsman, May 2018

- 2017 Monument to **Congressman Jose B. Lingad**, 9' cast bronze, Lubao, Pampanga
- 2015 **APEC Commemorative Marker**, Cebu City
- 2014 **The Fishers of Men Chapel**, Fisher Mall, Quezon City. Altar, Stations of the Cross, Tabernacle and Altar Table
Monument to **Gen. Salipada K. Pendatun**, 9' pounded brass, Parang, Maguindanao
- 2013 Monument to **Gen. Juan Cailles**, 6 ½' pounded brass, Santa Cruz, Laguna
- 2012 Monument to **Dr. Jose P. Rizal**, 7' cast bronze, Carson City, California, USA
Mother of Perpetual Help Shrine, crucifix/stained glass windows, Binan, Laguna
Bust **Ninoy Aquino**, cold cast, Sen. Benigno Aquino High School, Manila
- 2011 Monument to **Dr. Jose P. Rizal**, 7' cast bronze, Santa Cruz, Laguna
Monument to **Pres. Corazon C. Aquino**, 9' cast bronze, Manila City
Bust **Nicolasa Dayrit**, cold cast, San Fernando City, Pampanga
- 2010 Monument to **Pres. Corazon C. Aquino**, 9' cast bronze/pounded brass, Tarlac
Monument to **Roseller Lim**, 7' cast bronze, Zamboanga City
Monument to **Honorio Lopez**, 9' cast bronze, Manila City
Monument and Murals for **Tandang Sora National Shrine**, 16' pounded brass figures with six cold cast mural panels (1.2 by 2.4 m.), Quezon City
- 2010 Bust **Dona Eva Macaraeg Macapagal**, Manila
Bust **St Theresa of Avila**, Manila
Bust **Capt. Mauricio Cassanova**, Lipa City, Batangas
Bust **Mayor Carlos Solis**, Lipa City, Batangas
- 2009 **Planters Bank Sculpture**, 8' pounded brass, collaborative work with National Artist for Sculpture Abdulmari A. Imao, Sr., Makati City
Ring of Life, Sculpture of the Holy Family, 6' pounded brass, Isabela
Bust **Fr. Jose Fernandez Cuevas**, Ateneo de Manila University
Bust **Dr. Jose P. Rizal**, Philippine Embassy in Sao Paolo, Brazil
- 2008 Statue of **St. La Salle**, 7' bronze, Lipa City, Batangas
Tabernacle and stained glass windows and other artworks, De La Salle Lipa Capilla, Lipa City, Batangas
Baler Historical Mural. cold cast, 120' x 8' x 16', Museo de Baler, Aurora
Busts **Edmundo and Sofia Bana-Lim**, KETE School, Aparri, Cagayan
- 2007 Monument to **Apolinario Mabini**, 9' bronze, Manila City
Monument to **Dr. Jose P. Rizal**, 7' cast bronze, Rizal
Monument to **Roque Ablan**, 9' cast bronze, Laoag City, Ilocos Norte
Monument to **Migranteng Sacada**, 7' cast bronze, Candon, Ilocos Sur
Monument to **Tiburcio Hilario**, cold cast, San Fernando City, Pampanga
Monument to **Congresswoman Ma. Clara Lobregat**, cold cast, Zamboanga
- 2007 Statue of **St. Therese**, 16' cold cast, Shrine of St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Pasay City
Statue of **San Lorenzo Ruiz**, 8 ½' cold cast, Shrine of St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Pasay City
Statue of **Pedro Calungsod**, 8 ½' cold cast, Shrine of St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Pasay City
Perpetual Help College Chapel, Stations of the Cross, Altar, Crucifix, Manila
- 2007 Bust **Pres. Ramon Magsaysay**, Castillejos, Zambales
Bust **Pres. Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo**, Malacanang Museum Collection
Bust **Pres. Joseph Ejercito-Estrada**, Malacanang Museum Collection

Bust ***Pres. Ramon Magsaysay***, Malacanang Museum Collection

- 2006 Bust **Chief Justice Hilario Davide Jr.**, Manila
 Bust **Archbishop Gabriel M. Reyes, D.D.**, Manila City
 Bust **Pres. Diosdado Macapagal**, Pampanga
 Bust **Teodora Alonzo**, Teodora Alonzo High School, Manila
 Bust **Gregorio Pastrana**, Kalibi Town Plaza, Aklan
 Bust **Mayor Lito Atienza**, Manila City
 Bust **Teofisto Guingona**, Department of Foreign Affairs, Manila City
- 2005 **Andres Bonifacio National Shrine**, 12' cast bronze statues of *Andres Bonifacio* and *Procopio Bonifacio*, KKK and Bayani, 100' x 20' brass murals, Maragondon, Cavite
 Monument to **Leandro V. Locsin**, 9 ½' cold cast on 20' x 50' modern sculptural steel installation on granite base
 Bust **Gen. Francisco Macabulos**, Tarlac City
 Bust **Mayor Gil Fernando**, Marikina City
- 2005 Bust **Ciriaco Baptista**, Santiago, Isabela
 Bust **Nicolasa Dayrit**, cold cast, San Fernando City, Pampanga
 Bust **Jose Laxamana Carlos Sr.**, San Fernando City, Pampanga
- 2004 Statue of **St. La Salle and Children**, 9 ½' cold cast, DLSU Canlubang, Laguna
Philippine Revolutionary Monument, 5 figures, 14' cold cast on 4' mortar base, Angeles City
 Bust **Father James Reuter**, Manila City
 Bust **Cecille Guidote Alvarez**, Manila City
- 2003 **Monumento Fernandino**, 5 figures, 35' pounded brass on granite base, San Fernando City, Pampanga
Mural of San Fernando History, 45' x 13' acrylic on canvas. San Fernando City Hall, Pampanga
American Cavalry Monument, 14' cold cast figures on mortar base. Angeles City, Pampanga
Statue of Jesus Christ Resurrection, 7' cold cast. Sto. Tomas, Pampanga
- 2002 **Cordillera Freedom Monument**, 5 figures, 9' cast bronze on 7' base. Baguio City
The Struggle, 7' cast bronze on granite base. Angeles City, Pampanga
Mimosa (Touch Me Not), 8' cold cast on 5.5 m mortar base, Hue, Vietnam Bust **Mariano Araullo**, Araullo High School, Manila City
- 2001 **The Agony in the Garden**, cast bronze and mortar, Magallanes Village, Makati
Chapel of the Magnificat, Religious artworks and icons including cast bronze image of the Virgin Mary and interpretations of The Stations of the Cross, Marist School, Marikina City
 Bust **Galicano Apacible**, Collaborative work with Gig de Pio, Quezon City.
- 2000 Monument to **Gen. Servillano Aquino**, 8' cast bronze figure on 9' horse mounted on 10' granite base. With 7 cold cast figures. Tarlac City
Mural of Battle of Mabitac, 42' x 14' cold cast marble on concrete base wall with cast bronze accent, Mabitac, Laguna
Mural of Ormoc World War II Veterans Memorial, 38' x 14' cold cast marble and mortar relief on a concrete base, Ormoc City, Leyte
Mural of Battle of Quingua Historical Shrine, 32' x 12' cold cast marble on mortar base wall, Plaridel, Bulacan
Mural of The Moro Wars, 3.1 m. x 3.65 m. cold cast, National Historical Commission of the Philippines Building, Manila

- Mural of The Dagohoy Rebellion***, 3.1 m. x 3.65 m. cold cast, National Historical Commission of the Philippines Building, Manila
- 1999 Monument to ***Fr. Gregorio Aglipay***, 9' cast bronze on marble base, Batac, Ilocos Norte
- 1998 ***PLM Landmark***, 25' pounded brass and marble/mortar, Manila City
Busts ***Dr. Jose P. Rizal***, for the Philippine embassies and consulates abroad
- 1996 ***Malakas at Maganda***, 7' pounded brass with water fountains, Lake Caliraya, Laguna
Bust ***Nicholas Nicholas***, Laoag City, Ilocos Norte
Bust ***Hilarion Valdez***, Batac, Ilocos Norte
Bust ***Dr. Jose P. Rizal***, Toronto, Canada
- 1994 ***Mural letras y figuras Kayamanan***, 8' x 32' acrylic on mortar, Rizal Park, Roxas Boulevard, Manila
Mural letras y figuras Pilipinas, 6' x 16' oil on canvas, Philippine consulate in Los Angeles, California, USA

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2009 – present Board of Director & Artist: Institute for Climate and Sustainable Cities, Quezon City, Philippines
- 2000 – 2010 Resident Artist, International Organization of Folk Arts - Philippines
- 2003 Director for the Visual Arts, Pampanga Arts Council, San Fernando City
- 2000 – 2002 Member. Order of the Knights of Rizal, National Headquarters Chapter, Manila City
- 1996 Board of Directors, Arts Association of the Philippines
- 1999 Secretary, Society of Philippine Sculptors

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