



9th
UOB
Painting
of the Year

Entry Form

“To be an artist is to believe in life”
- Henry Moore

The seeds of life sow endless opportunities. Believe in what you can do.

Share with us your story on canvas and take us on a journey of discovery and appreciation.

Take on the challenge

Submit your painting from 31 August to 2 September 2018, 8.30am to 4pm daily at any of the 4 collection points:

- **Bangkok:** Poh-Chang Arts Gallery, Poh-Chang Academy of Arts
- **Chiang Mai:** CMU Art Center, Chiang Mai University
- **Khon Kaen:** Faculty of Fine and Applied Arts, Khon Kaen University
- **Songkla:** Faculty of Arts, Thaksin University

Claim the prize

The 2018 UOB Painting of the Year award winner will receive THB 750,000 and enter the UOB Southeast Asian Painting of the Year competition in Singapore to win an additional US\$10,000 and have a chance to compete for a residency programme at the Fukuoka Asian Art Museum.

Submission dates: 31 August to 2 September 2018

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Established Artist Category

The Established Artist category is open to experienced professionals with a strong portfolio of work. They must have shown their paintings in solo or group exhibitions (excluding school graduation shows), be represented by a gallery or have achieved recognition through art awards.

UOB Painting of the Year Award | THB 750,000

This award winner will be invited to interview for a month-long residency programme at the Fukuoka Asian Art Museum.

Gold Award | THB 300,000

Silver Award | THB 240,000

Bronze Award | THB 150,000

UOB Southeast Asian Painting of the Year Award | US\$10,000

This regional prize is awarded to the most outstanding of the four UOB Painting of the Year Award country winners from Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore and Thailand.

Emerging Artist Category

The Emerging Artist category is open to aspiring artists who are pursuing an art education, taking their first steps to a career in art or simply painting for pleasure.

Most Promising Artist of the Year Award | THB 90,000

This award winner will be invited to exhibit the work and attend the UOB Southeast Asian Painting of the Year award ceremony in Singapore.

Gold Award | THB 75,000

Silver Award | THB 45,000

Bronze Award | THB 30,000

About UOB Painting of the Year competition

Indonesia | Malaysia | Singapore | Thailand

Driven by a passion to encourage talented artists in their creative pursuits, United Overseas Bank (UOB) started the Painting of the Year competition in Singapore in 1982. Today, the annual art competition is the longest-running in Singapore and one of the most prestigious in Southeast Asia.

Held in Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore and Thailand, the UOB Painting of the Year competition has helped to discover many talented emerging artists and recognise several established professionals who have contributed significantly to the development of the Southeast Asian art scene.

Mr Goh Beng Kwan, one of Singapore's masters of modern art, was the inaugural winner of the competition in 1982. Mr Goh went on to receive Singapore's most distinguished arts award, the Cultural Medallion, in 1989. Other well-known artists who won the competition are the late Mr Anthony Poon and Mr Chua Ek Kay in 1983 and 1991 respectively. Both artists are recipients of the Singapore Cultural Medallion.

The competition's illustrious alumni include talented artists in the region, such as Thai artist Mr Sukit Choosri who won the 2017 UOB Southeast Asian Painting of the Year and 2017 UOB Painting of the Year, Thailand awards with his artwork, *One Life*. The painting aims to open the mind to see beyond the immediate.

The 2017 competition has also identified talents such as Singapore's Sunny Chyun, Indonesia's Kukuh Nuswantoro and Malaysia's Chok Yue Zan.



One Life by Mr Sukit Choosri
(2018 UOB Painting of the Year visual inspiration)

Rules and Regulations

2018 UOB Painting of the Year Competition

1. Eligibility

- 1.1 The UOB Painting of the Year competition (the "Competition") is organised by United Overseas Bank (Thai) Public Company Limited (UOB).
- 1.2 The Competition is open to all Thai Citizens and Permanent Residents. Participation in the Competition is free.
- 1.3 The parent or legal guardian of a participant who is 20 years of age or below must consent to his/her participation in this Competition in the entry form and agree to the rules and regulations.

2. The Competition

- 2.1 The Competition is divided into two categories: (1) Emerging Artist and (2) Established Artist.
 - a. The Emerging Artist category is open to aspiring artists who are pursuing an art education; are taking their first steps to a career in art; or simply paint for pleasure.
 - b. The Established Artist category is open to experienced professionals with an established portfolio of work. They must have shown their paintings in solo or group exhibitions (excluding school graduation shows); be represented by a gallery; or have achieved recognition through art awards.
 - c. There are no age restrictions for either the Emerging Artist or Established Artist category.
- 2.2 Participants may enter their artwork in only one of the two categories.
- 2.3 Each participant may submit a maximum of three (3) entries for one category.
- 2.4 Paintings in acrylic, batik, Chinese brush, collage, crayon, ink, mixed media, oil, watercolour or any other media are accepted.
- 2.5 Video artworks, installations and sculptures will not be accepted.
- 2.6 Collages, two-dimensional embossed paintings and three-dimensional paintings are acceptable, subject to a maximum thickness of 5cm (inclusive of frames).
- 2.7 Paintings submitted must be original and should not have been created more than two years prior to the submission date.
- 2.8 Participants should not submit works that have been offered for sale, published, or publicly exhibited. UOB may, at its sole and absolute discretion, make exceptions for works by full-time art students which have been exhibited at their respective school graduation shows but which have not been offered for sale, published, or exhibited in any other form.
- 2.9 Framing is optional.
- 2.10 Paintings are to be within 180 centimetres in height and width (inclusive of frames).
- 2.11 Paintings submitted as a series to make up a single artwork should not exceed three (3) individual pieces that make up the whole artwork, or if conjoined, are to be submitted as a triptych (3-panel artwork). The total dimensions of all the three (3) individual pieces combined that constitutes the whole artwork and/or the triptych (if conjoined) are to be within 180 centimetres in total height or width.

3. The Prizes

- 3.1 The prizes for the two categories of awards are as follows:

Established Artist Category

UOB Painting of the Year Award THB 750,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

Gold Award THB 300,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

Silver Award THB 240,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

Bronze Award THB 150,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

UOB Southeast Asian Painting of the Year US\$ 10,000

This regional prize is awarded to the most outstanding of the four (4) UOB Painting of the Year Award country winners. Fukuoka Asian Art Museum Residency Programme One (1) of the four (4) UOB Painting of the Year Award country winners will be selected for a residency programme at the Fukuoka Asian Art Museum. The recipient will be selected through an interview process conducted by the judges of the Competition.

Emerging Artist Category

Most Promising Artist of the Year Award THB 90,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

Gold Award THB 75,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

Silver Award THB 45,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

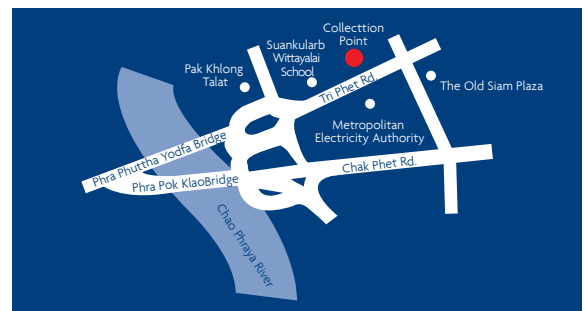
Bronze Award THB 30,000
(Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand – one (1) award recipient per country)

Award is subject to any applicable withholding tax at rate specified by law.

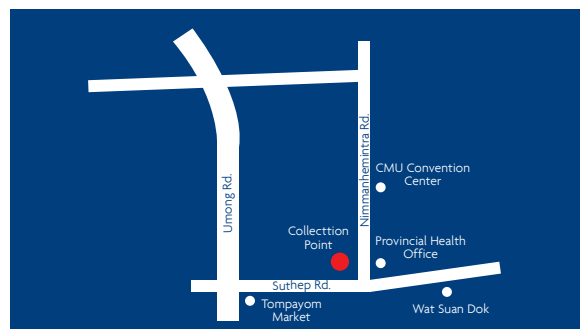
4. Submission of Entries

- 4.1 All submissions must be accompanied by an official entry form and a write-up on each painting. Only one entry form is required per participant. Photocopies of the form will be accepted.
- 4.2 Each submission must have a completed label (provided with the entry forms) attached to the top right-hand corner of the back of the painting. All information must be clearly written in block letters on the labels.
- 4.3 Paintings that have not dried completely will not be accepted.
- 4.4 All packaging must be removed before submission of the painting. Packaging may be removed onsite at the submissions venue, but note that no storage will be provided by the organiser for any such packaging.
- 4.5 Paintings and entry forms are to be submitted from 31 August -2 September 2018 between 8.30am to 4pm daily at any of the 4 collection points:

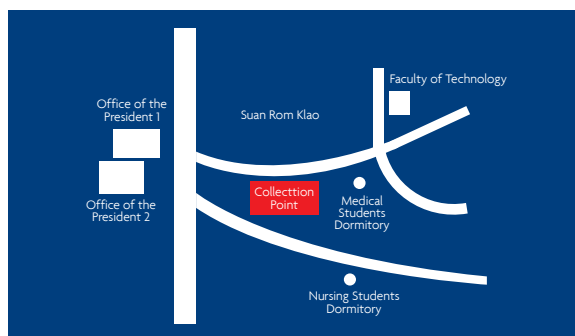
- Central: Poh-Chang Arts Gallery, Poh-Chang Academy of Arts 86 Tri-Phet Rd., Pranakorn, Bangkok 10200 Thailand



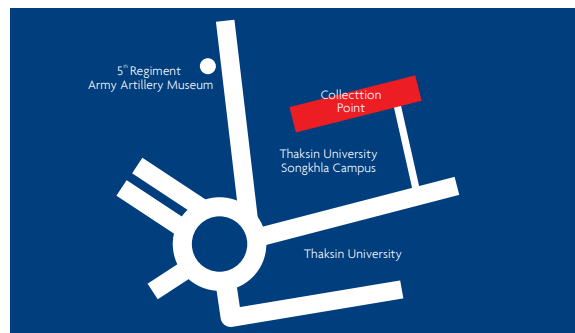
- North: CMU Art Center, Chiang Mai University 239 Nimmanhaemin Road, Muang, Chiang Mai 50200



- Northeast: Faculty of Fine and Applied Arts, Khon Kaen University
123 Moo 16 Mittapap Road, Nai-Muang, Muang, Khon Kaen 40002



- South: Faculty of Arts, Thaksin University
140 Moo 4, Khoa-Roob-Chang, Muang Songkhla 90000



5. Judging

- 5.1 Entries will be judged by a panel of local and/or overseas artists/art connoisseurs/art critics/curators or other creative professionals appointed at the discretion of UOB. The decision of the judges is final. No correspondence will be entered into on this subject before, during, and/or after the Competition.
- 5.2 Artworks will be judged based on these criteria: message, creativity, composition and technique.
- 5.3 UOB reserves the right not to award any of the stipulated prizes should entries fail, in the judges' opinion, to meet the required standards.

6. Announcement of Results

- 6.1 All finalists of Established Artist category will be notified by phone on or before 7 September 2018 for interviewing by panel of judges on 9 September 2018.
- 6.2 All award winners will be notified by phone on or before 14 September 2018.
- 6.3 Prizes will be presented at an award ceremony in Thailand on 2 October 2018 at Bangkok Art and Culture Centre, 939 Rama I Road, Wang Mai, Pathumwan, Bangkok 10330.
- 6.4 All award-winning entries will be part of 9th UOB Painting of the Year exhibition as the following schedules:
 - At Bangkok Art and Culture Centre from 2 – 11 October 2018
 - At UOB Head Office between 12 – 26 October 2018
- 6.5 The winning artwork of UOB Painting of the Year Thailand will be exhibited in 37th UOB Painting of the Year in Singapore in November 2018.

7. Return of Entries

- 7.1 With the exception of the shortlisted entries, all other submitted artworks must be collected between 15 – 19 September 2018 from 8.30 am to 4pm at the collection points you submitted your artwork. Any submitted artwork which are not collected by 4pm on 19 September 2018 shall become the property of UOB and may (without limitation) be retained, utilised, or otherwise disposed of in whatever way the organiser deems fit.

8. Copyright/Intellectual Property

- 8.1 All submission materials submitted to UOB in accordance with these rules and regulations must be original works of the participant. The participant must also be the owner of all submitted materials.
- 8.2 All award-winning entries including the documents and materials submitted to UOB, shall be the sole property of UOB. UOB reserves the right to retain all winning artworks and any supporting documentation. Participants are advised to photograph their submissions for their own records prior to submission.
- 8.3 All winners shall grant UOB unlimited worldwide, royalty-free, exclusive licence to exhibit, archive and reproduce images of their winning entries (including, but not limited to brochures, calendars, catalogues, greeting cards and websites).
- 8.4 Each participant undertakes to indemnify and hold harmless UOB and its officers and agents from and against any and all liability, loss, damage, costs and expenses in relation to any claim or action brought against UOB or its officers and agents arising out of a breach of this warranty.

9. Acceptance of Rules and Regulations

- 9.1 Submission of entries signifies acceptance of the rules and regulations of the Competition. While all possible care will be taken of the entries submitted, UOB assumes no responsibility for any loss of or damage to the entries before, during, and/or after the Competition.
- 9.2 These rules and regulations shall be governed by Thai law and the participant hereby agrees to submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in Thailand and consent to service of process by mail or in any other manner permitted by the laws of Thailand.
- 9.3 A waiver (whether expressed or implied) by UOB of any of the provisions of these rules and regulations or of any breach of or default by entrant participant in performing any of those provisions shall not constitute a continuing waiver and that waiver shall not prevent UOB from acting on any subsequent breach of or default by the participant under any of the provisions of these rules and regulations.
- 9.4 Should any participant breaches or violates to the above said rules and regulations, UOB shall reserve the full authority in revoking the rights of the participant to participate in any UOB's competition.
- 9.5 Participants shall not claim the lack of knowledge of the above said rules and regulations.
- 9.6 UOB reserves the right to edit, make additions, amend the rules and regulations as deemed appropriate, without having to notify or seek any consent from the participants.

10. Use of Personal Data

By submitting an entry to UOB, the participant agrees to allow UOB and its related corporations, and their agents, to share his/her personal data among themselves, to collect and use the data, and to disclose the data to the Companies' authorised service providers, for the following purposes:

- 10.1 Contact the award winners and/or participants to discuss any future exhibitions, publicity events related to their artworks and other art events.
- 10.2 Create a UOB Painting of the Year alumni mailing list to update alumni members on activities relating to UOB Painting of the Year.

Entry Labels

Each entry must have a label attached to the back of the entry at the top right-hand corner. All information must be clearly written in block letters on the labels.

Back of Entry



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Receipt Slip

United Overseas Bank (Thai) Public Company Limited acknowledges receipt of your entry/entries and write-up (s) submitted for the 2018 UOB Painting of the Year competition.

Entry/entries must be collected between 15 – 19 September 2018 from 8.30am to 4pm at the collection point you submitted your artwork. Entries which are not collected by 4pm on 19 September 2018 shall become the property of UOB and may be disposed of in whatever way the organiser deems fit.

Please complete information requested.

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Name of participant

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ID/Passport No.

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Name of parent/guardian

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Mr/Mrs/Miss Name of representative

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ID/Passport No. of representative

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Signature of participant

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Date of collection

S/N	Title of Entry	For official use (Entry No.)

For United Overseas Bank (Thai) PCL.

Date received	
Venue received	



United Overseas Bank (Thai) PCL reserves the right to dispose of entries not collected by 19 September 2018, 4pm. For enquiries, please call 0 2343 4977, 0 2343 4969.

