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A LITTLE TALK WITH JIEUN PARK

23 April 2014, Singapore – Following her successful show in Hong Kong, up-and-coming South Korean artist Jieun Park presents *A Little Talk* in Singapore from 12 to 29 June 2014 at REDSEA Gallery. Featuring a collection of up to 30 paintings, the exhibition showcases the cityscapes of Paris, Prague, Lyon, Florence, Hong Kong, Busan, Seoul and Singapore.



A Little Talk-Singapore 2014 Jieun Park (Chinese ink, acrylic on Korean paper, 60.6x72.7cm)

A Little Talk expresses the various emotions and moments that Park had experienced while travelling. "Throughout my travels in Europe and Asia, I have always felt loneliness lingering in the beautiful cities. Sometimes, the loneliness can get a little overwhelming and this inspired me to create a series of paintings where I have little conversations with the cities I had visited," Park explains. To reflect the juxtaposition of the loneliness of each city and its complexity, Park first uses calligraphic brushstrokes as the foundation of her canvas, followed by acrylic for the different cityscapes within the abstract marked inks.



"Park's artworks reflect city life; they bring out the charms of the cities where their colourful impressions coexist with loneliness. She has captured and represented the allure of the cities and the feeling of loneliness within beautifully. We have had a great reception to a few of her pieces that we presented earlier this year and we are thrilled to introduce a wider collection by an upcoming and exciting new artist like Park to Singapore in June," says Chris Churcher, Founder & Director, REDSEA Gallery.

Jieun Park lives and works in Seoul, Korea. A graduate with a B.F.A Advertising, Design and Fine Art, Konkuk University, Park has presented in countries such as France, Hong Kong, Italy, Korea and New Caledonia. She has received the *Seoul Metro national conference, "Win a prize"(2011), Excellence Award* at the painting competition of Seoul Digital Institute (2011) and most recently, the first prize for the GIAF painting competition in 2013.

A Little Talk runs from 12 to 29 June 2014 at REDSEA Gallery at 9 Dempsey Road. For more information, please log on to www.redseagallery.com.

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About REDSEA Gallery

REDSEA Gallery is one of Singapore's leading contemporary art galleries.

Founded in 2001 by British owner, Chris Churcher, REDSEA Gallery has firmly established its reputation within Singapore and the wider Asian art market as representing a highly exclusive, international selection of the very best of modern art's well-respected and emerging artists.



REDSEA Gallery prides itself on presenting art with a personal service, forging strong relationships with each and every one of our artists, clients and visitors alike, whilst the REDSEA Gallery brand offers traditional excellence with modern style.

We occupy a beautiful and truly unique 6,000 sq ft gallery space at the heart of one of Singapore's architectural and cultural heritage sites - the revitalised colonial army barracks of Dempsey Hill.

The space is used primarily for exhibition but also as a venue to hire for private and corporate social events. REDSEA Gallery also offers a range of private client and corporate consultancy, art rental and art history talks.