

## Arts Diary



**Fragile frontier** A recent exhibition at San Art

### Caricature

Vietnamese artist *Nguye Huu Khoa* has launched his much-anticipated second exhibition of *Caricature at Mai's Gallery* (16 Nguyen Hue, Q1). Running until Feb. 21, the collection of 18 graphic pictures depicts well-known Vietnamese personalities such as *Trinh Cong Son, Van Cao* and *Thanh Loc*. The gallery is open daily from 8.30am to 8.30pm

### Installation art

*San Art* (23 Ly Tu Trong, Q1) will host two exhibitions this month. The first, *Diary of a Travelling City*, is series of moving images, installation, photography and sculpture by a group of artists who are aiming to reflect the hustle and bustle of life in Saigon. Perception and Observation will showcase artist *Goh Ideta's* deconstruction of seeing and being seen through a series of contrasting light displays. Both will run until Feb. 14.


### Ancient lamps

Especially for Tet, the *Ho Chi Minh City Fine Arts Museum* (97A Pho Duc Chinh, Q1) in coordination with collector *Nguyen Huu Triet* will hold a special exhibition of antique lanterns and ancient lamps until Feb.22. A collection of 300 objects are on display from all over the world.

### Painting exhibits

An exhibition of Vietnamese artist *Nguyen Quoc Dung* is showing at *TuDo Gallery* (53 Ho Tung Mau, Q1) from Feb. 16 until Feb. 27 displaying depictions of rural women. *Tien Trong Nghia* is exhibiting his abstract oil works at *Himiko Visual Café* (15N Cu Xa Phan Dang Luu, Binh Thanh) from Feb. 17.

### Contemporary art

Art collective *a little blah blah* is continuing to host regular events around the city. For information email [albbsaigon@gmail.com](mailto:albbsaigon@gmail.com). 

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