

Page 108) which each year hosts numerous important events during Hong Kong Art Week: this year Duddell's presents with the Sydney Biennale the exhibition "**Abstraction Of The World**" (Id E12 Page 62). Scheduled during the same time as Art Basel Hong Kong and housed within Hong Kong's largest ever architect-designed temporary structure, **Art Central** (Id F01 Page 57) is an art fair showcasing contemporary art galleries featuring emerging new artists, Hong Kong new eateries, and public discussions. The Central district is also home to **Tai Kwun** (Id M26 Page 93), a new centre for heritage and art. It is a heritage restoration project of the Central Police Station Compound funded by the HKJC Charities Trust and housing a new Herzog and De Meuron art gallery. Located in the southwestern corner of Tai Kwun, it will be an international standard 1,500 square metre non-commercial contemporary art exhibition space operated by Old Bailey Galleries, the art arm of Tai Kwun under the leadership of Tobias Berger, Head of Arts. The opening date is yet to be announced.

When you want to be in Central and Sheung Wan:

- Mar 17 6pm – 8pm, SOHO 189 Art Lane Second Anniversary Party
- Mar 20 2pm – 4pm, Theaster Gates show opening at White Cube
- 3:30pm "Duddell's x Biennale Of Sydney: Abstraction Of The World" opening
- 5pm – 9pm, Art Central First Night
- 6pm – 8pm, "Roland Flexner – Ai Wei Wei" opening at MDC
- 6pm – 8pm Urs Fisher opening at Gagosian

WAN CHAI  
MAP M03 – M04

Wan Chai is one of the busiest commercial areas.

In this district, old buildings coexist with modern architecture. In this area the **Hong Kong Arts Centre-HKAC** (Id M13 Page 89) has its main building with facilities including a cinema, theatres, galleries, classrooms, studios, restaurants and office space. Wan Chai North on the harbour side features office towers, parks, hotels and international conference and exhibition centres. There are many unique landmarks and skyscrapers within the area, most notably the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre (HKCEC), that hosts **Art Basel in Hong Kong** (Id AB Page 46).

When you want to be in Wan Chai:

- Mar 22 5pm – 9pm Art Basel vernissage

CHAI WAN  
MAP M05

A largely industrial neighbourhood, Chai Wan is home to numerous tucked away fashion, design and artist studios, galleries, cafes and shops.

The district is home to a new generation of artists and curators. In this district, many prominent Hong Kong galleries such as **10 Chancery Lane Gallery** (Id G02 Page 94) have opened annex spaces eg. – **10 Chancery Lane Art Projects** (Id G01 Page 94).

On the way to Chai Wan also consider making a stop at North Point. This area is home to the expanded not-for-profit **Para Site** (Id M23 Page 92), University of Arts Zurich-supported **Connecting Spaces** (Id M09 Page 88) and the public art centre **Oi!** (Id M21 Page 92). Chai Wan is also home to **Neptune** (Id M20 Page 91), founded by the Tate Curator for Latin American art Inti Guerrero.