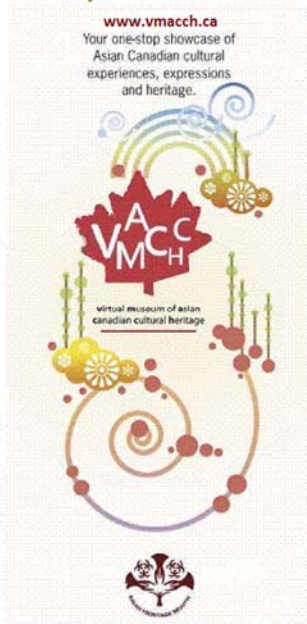


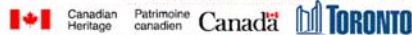
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PRESENTED BY CANADIAN FOUNDATION FOR ASIAN CULTURE (CENTRAL ONTARIO) INC.

## ART AND PHOTO EXHIBITIONS

### Unity in Diversity | Fusion of Communities in Canada

ADMISSION FREE

### @ Metro Hall Rotunda

Asian Heritage Month Art and Photo Exhibitions at Metro Hall Rotunda

Date: Tuesday, May 1, 2018 to Thursday, May 10, 2018

Asian Heritage Month Opening Ceremony with special presentations

Date: Wednesday May 9, 2018, 7 pm - 9 pm

Mr. Justin Poy on "The Challenge of Canadian Asian Media in 2018"

Mr. Stephen Siu on "The Fusion of Cultures in Chinese Architecture"

Dr. Lien Chao on "Canada 150 Unity in Diversity Workshops in Toronto Schools"

Venue: Metro Hall Rotunda, 55 John Street, Map at

<http://www1.toronto.ca/wps/portal/contentonly?vgnextoid=991f957970422410VgnVCM1000071d60f89RCRD&vgnextchannel=68f2590dd3412410VgnVCM1000071d60f89RCRD>

### @ City Hall Rotunda and City Hall Library

Asian Heritage Month Art and Photo Exhibitions at City Hall Rotunda

Tuesday, May 8, 2018 to Saturday, May 12, 2018

Asian Heritage Month Festival Art and Photo Exhibitions at City Hall Library

with Special presentation by Professor Chef Leo Chan on May 24, 2018 | 12 pm - 2 pm

"The Art of Regional Chinese Cuisine in Toronto" with Demos

Venue: City Hall, 100 Queen St. W.

<http://www1.toronto.ca/wps/portal/contentonly?vgnextoid=83574d3dab5f1410VgnVCM1000071d60f89RCRD>

### FEATURED EXHIBITION:

- Photographs by Dr. Neville Poy, Stephen Siu, Edwin Ho and Tam Kam Chiu
- Works by renowned Asian Canadian Photographers and Visual Artists
- Artists and photographers will be on site doing *demonstrations and workshops*

**OPENING: WEDNESDAY MAY 9 | 7 PM | METRO HALL ROTUNDA**

*Reception sponsored by Mr. Justin Poy*

**ADMISSION FREE Please RSVP on Eventbrite**

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/asian-heritage-month-opening-ceremony-tickets-44838685716>

For more information, please visit <http://www.vmacch.ca>

or <http://www.asian-heritage-month.org>

# Opening Event:



## **Welcome Address**

by **Mr. Justin Poy**, Patron, Asian Heritage Month-CFACI



## **Featured talks by Chinese Canadian Legend Award Recipients**

The photo exhibition will be on "Diversity - Fusion - Unity" with about 80 photographs by members of the Chinese Canadian Photographic Society of Toronto (CCPST), including special exhibits of photographs by **Dr. Neville Poy**, CCPST Honourary Advisor **Mr Stephen Siu**, CCPST President **Mr Edwin Ho**, and international award-winning photographer **Mr Tam Kam Chiu**.

### **Mr. Justin Poy, CFACI Honourary Patron**

**Topic: "The Challenge of Canadian Asian Media in 2018"**

Local Canadian ethnic media in Asian communities was thriving in the late 80's and early 90's. Why? Because these were some of the only ways that immigrants could keep in touch with news from home and stay in touch with their community. Local TV stations would broadcast older shows but still satisfied the masses, local movie houses would screen films that were launched a year ago back home, but many here hadn't seen them yet. Then the internet happened, followed by social media and now streaming media. How has this affected local media businesses as they attempt to find relevance and provide value to local Canadian immigrants from Asia? Can print, local radio and TV and website survive? And if so, which ones have the advantage?

### **Mr. Stephen Siu, Honourary Advisor, Chinese Canadian Photographic Society of Toronto**

**Topic: "The Fusion of Cultures in Chinese Architecture"**

A talk with slide show of pictures recently taken by Stephen Siu in Shanghai, Nanjing and Ningbo on architectural heritage and modern structures, and the history and stories behind. With China's booming economy and infrastructure programs, the migration to urban areas has increased. New architectural structures rise up over old neighbourhoods. The blend of heritage and contemporary architecture influenced by both eastern and western cultures is ever-present in these cities which have historically enjoyed the fusion of cultures. The speaker will also discuss the disappearing alleys (hutongs), once the lifeblood of Beijing, against the backdrop of the high-rise glamour of the modern capital city, with photographs provided by award-winning photographer Mr Tam Kam Chiu.