

LENSCAPES

**A DASH
OF ZEN**

A hint of
a tint
from Eric

MAN WITH A VISION

*Zen in the life
of a
photographer*

NST journalist
on panel of
judges for
pix competition

**INTO
THE
UNSEEN**

By
TENG
CHOK
DEE

HERITAGE OF MALAYSIAN ARCHITECTURE

**Gitanjali
images**

Art — in black
and white

Eric Peris'
photos
depict in
stark
black and
white, raw
unpopulated
Nature.

PROJEK ARKIB

ERIC PERIS

ARCHIVE PROJECT

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PROJEK ARKIB telah dilaksanakan dengan tujuan mengamati mendokumentasikan dan membina arkiban tokoh tokoh terkemuka Malaysia dalam arena seni tanahair yang merupakan sebahagian daripada fungsi utama sebuah galeri untuk memelihara dan melestarikan ikon seni Malaysia dan sejarahnya.

Dalam projek ini Balai Seni Negara dengan bangganya mempersembahkan usaha dokumentasi agensi pada tahun 2022 menghayati kisah seorang ikon seniman fotografi seni halus journalisma tempatan Odon Eric Peris.

Eric Peris adalah salah satu dari beberapa jurugambar Malaysia yang masih terlibat secara aktif dengan seni fotografi sejak awal tahun 80-an. Beliau sezaman senang tokoh seniman fotografi tempatan iaitu Allahyarham Ismail Hashim. Eric Peris, kini di usia 84 tahun wajar dizahirkan sebuah usaha dokumentasi dan arkiban yang serius untuk memelihara sebidang warisan zaman yang merekodkan lebih 40 tahun perjalanan seni beliau dalam memberi sumbangan jitu kepada perkembangan fotografi jurnalistik dan fotografi seni halus tempatan yang unik kepada rakyat Malaysia. Pameran ini mempamerkan lebih 100 himpunan arkib dokumen akhbar broshur karya seni dari koleksi seniman dan juga Lembaga Pembangunan Seni Visual Negara.

Semoga pameran ini terus memberi inspirasi kepada lebih ramai lagi seniman.

ARCHIVE PROJECT was carried out with the aim of observing, documenting and building the archives of Malaysia's prominent figures in the local art scene, which is part of the main function of a gallery to preserve and maintain the icons of Malaysian art and its history.

In this project, the National Art Gallery proudly presents the agency's documentation efforts in 2022 delving into the story of an icon in the field of fine art and journalistic photography, Odon Eric Peris.

Eric Peris is one of the few Malaysian photographers still actively involved in photography since the early 1980's. Along with the late Ismail Hashim, Eric is another prominent figure in the local photography scene. At 84 years of age, it is appropriate to showcase a serious documentation and archive effort to preserve his legacy, recording over 40 years of his artistic journey in making significant contributions to the development of local photojournalism and fine art photography unique to the Malaysian people. This exhibition showcases more than 100 collections of archive documents, newspapers, brochures, artwork from the artist's collection, and also the National Visual Arts Development Board.

May this exhibition continue to inspire more artists

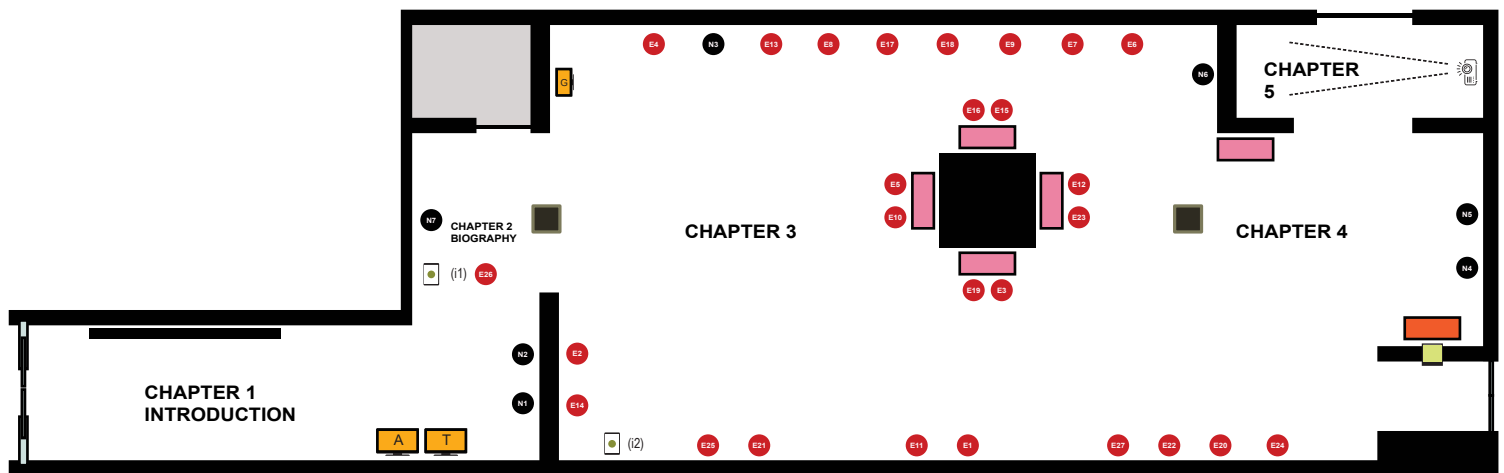


O DON ERIC PERIS
B. 1939, Johor

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LEGEND

 Photo Archives

 News Articles

 (i 1) Homage to O Don Peris

 Timeline

 Catalog Archival

 (i 2) Tin Mines

 Solo & Group Exhibitions

 Interview Video

 Gitanjali



WINDOWS SERIES NO. 1

1982

Cetakan fotografi hitam putih atas kertas

Black & white photographic print on paper

63 x 52.5 cm

BSLN1983.33

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara

National Visual Arts Collection



WINDOWS SERIES NO. 1

1982

Cetakan fotografi hitam putih atas kertas
Black & white Photographic print on paper

63 x 52.5 cm

BSLN1983.35

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara
National Visual Arts Collection



PINTU MASUK DAN KELUAR (2) GPO

1983

Cetakan fotografi hitam putih atas kertas

Black & white Photographic print on paper

70 x 29 cm

BSLN1983.012

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara

National Visual Arts Collection

**RUPA # 7**

1994

Fotografi hitam putih dengan cat fabrik atas kertas

Hand tinted photograph with fabric paint on paper

69.7 x 56.8 cm

BSLN1995.02

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara

National Visual Arts Collection

**RUPA # 7**

1994

Fotografi hitam putih dengan cat fabrik atas kertas

Hand tinted photograph with fabric paint on paper

69.7 x 56.8 cm

BSLN1995.04

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara

National Visual Arts Collection



IMAGES OF ZEN

1985

Cetakan fotografi hitam putih atas kertas

Black & white photograph on paper

69.7 x 56.8 cm

BSLN1998.28

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara

National Visual Arts Collection



O. Don Peris
b. 15th. September 1893, Colombo, Sri Lanka
d. 13th. April 1975, Malaysia

PORTRAIT OF MY WIFE IN WEDDING DRESS

1933
 Cat minyak atas kanvas
Oil paint on canvas
 74 x 48 cm
 BSLN1998.45

Koleksi Seni Visual Negara
National Visual Arts Collection



IBU RENANG (1)

1991

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

17.5 cm x 25 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



THROUGH THAI WINDOWS AND DOORWAYS

1982

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

51 cm x 40.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



MALAYAN RAILWAY

1976 – 1990s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

40.3 cm x 50.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



IMAGES OF GITANJALI

1970s – 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

42 cm x 59.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



RURAL MALAYA – PERAK, KUALA KANGSAR

1985

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

51.2 cm x 61 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



IMAGES OF ZEN (1)

1985

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak gloss
Black and white print on Kodak Gloss paper
51.2 cm x 61 cm

Koleksi artis
Artist's collection



IMAGES OF ZEN (2)

1985

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

41.9 cm x 59.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



ANNICA - A FLOWER DOES NOT TALK

c.1990s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

42 cm x 59.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



ANNICA - THE LOTUS

c. 18970s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

42 cm x 59.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



**ALOR SETAR MOSQUE: SCENE FROM RURAL
MALAYA**

c.1970s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

42 cm x 59.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



LARRY'S TAO OF PHYSICS

1992

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

35.9 cm x 28 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



RURAL MALAYA - PENANG

c.mid 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

28.2 cm x 35 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



LIGHT AND SHADOW

c. mid 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

28 cm x 35.2 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



MALAYAN TIN MINE

1974 – 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

30.4 cm x 44.1 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



MALAYAN RAILWAY – NORTHERN PENINSULA

1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

40.4 cm x 51 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



LIGHT AND SHADOW

1970s – 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

30.5 cm x 40.2 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



GLOWING ROSE ON FRASER HILL

1980s – 1990s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

59.5 cm x 42 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



ROSE & NATURAL LIGHT

1970s – 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

59.2 cm x 41.9 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



RURAL MALAYA

c. mid 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

30.5 cm x 40.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection

**MAK YONG**

1996

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

40.2 cm x 50.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection

**RAMLI (1)**

c. mid 1980s

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

60 cm x 40.2 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



BALINESE DANCER (1)

1995

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

40.1 cm x 50.1 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection

**BALI**

1995

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

40.2 cm x 60 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



BALINESE DANCER (2)

1995

Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

50.6 cm x 40.6 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



RAMLI (2)

c. mid 1980s
Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte
Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper
59.5 cm x 40.2 cm

Koleksi artis
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HOMAGE TO O DON PERIS

c. mid 1990s

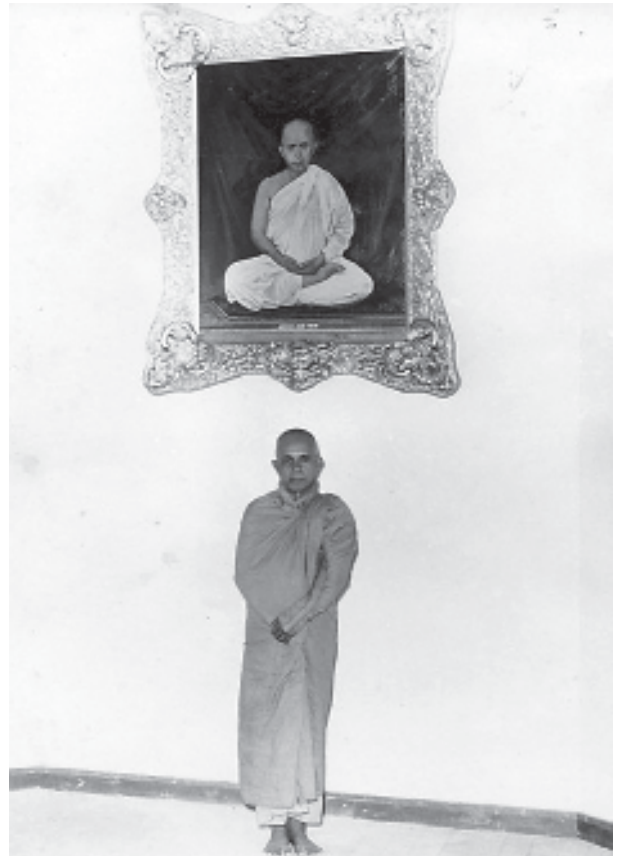
Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte

Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper

75.5 cm x 58.5 cm

Koleksi artis

Artist's collection



Details:
HOMAGE TO O DON PERIS

c. mid 1990s
 Cetakan hitam putih atas kertas Kodak Matte
Black and white print on Kodak Matte paper
 75.5 cm x 58.5 cm

Koleksi artis
Artist's collection



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