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## SHOWING AT NKB GALLERY

**CHROMATIC BLISS – JOY CHANG**

12 – 31 August; Preview: Thursday, 6pm, 12 August



At just 23 years of age, emerging artist Joy Chang is already well on her way to having an incredibly successful career. While Chang has spent a large part of her life living in Auckland, she is currently based in London and is originally from Taiwan.

Last year, Chang graduated from Elam with a Bachelor of Fine Arts and has subsequently completed the first year of a Masters' Degree in

Painting at London's world renowned Slade School of Fine Arts. Joy will commence the final year of her Masters' in September; In the meantime, she is back in New Zealand for her first solo exhibition, entitled Chromatic Bliss, at nkb Gallery.

Chang's work is informed by the environment around her; in amongst the hustle and bustle of urban living, Chang isolates specific colours, forms and textures and uses them as her source material. She works primarily with water colour on paper to create large vistas of colour and seemingly abstract, geometric figurations.

*'With the influence of colour I hope to provide a lasting impact on the viewer.'*  
- Joy Chang, 2010 [\[PN\]](#)

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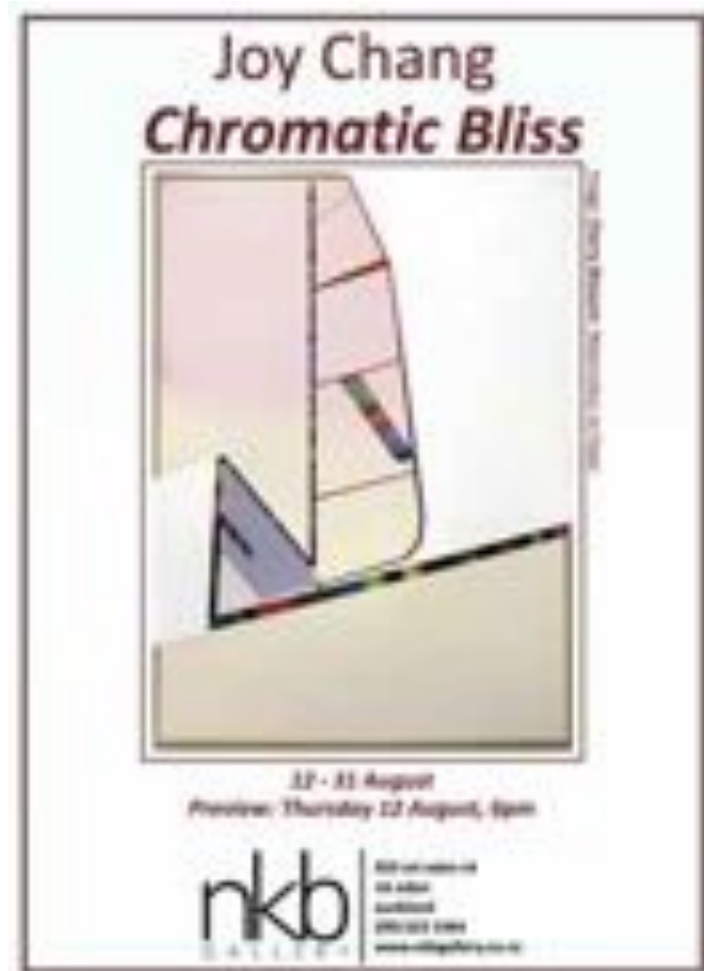
**THE REEL BRAZIL FILM FESTIVAL 2010**

26 August – 01 September

THE REEL BRAZIL FILM FESTIVAL 2010 WILL BRING HEAT AND PASSION TO Kiwi audiences. The festival will show films that have grabbed headlines – and audiences – at international festivals in Berlin, Cannes and Toronto. Some films cover familiar aspects of Brazilian life like soccer, music and Brazil's indigenous people, but others tackle everyday life and challenges facing ordinary people in Brazil: their dreams, dramas and aspirations.

Have you ever been to a Brazilian party? If not, "no problema!" Dress to impress at the Gala Opening Event and on the festival weekend put your fruit hat on and party Brazilian style at the Reel Brazil Festa, with live entertainment, DJ's and Brazilian cocktail drink specials. [\[PN\]](#)

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