RAN HWANG

Dubai, UAE
Opening reception: September 18



About Ran Hwang:

Born in the Republic of Korea in 1960, Ran Hwang currently lives and works in both Seoul and New York City. She studied at the School of Visual Arts in New York City and attended the Graduate School of Fine Arts at Chung-Ang University in Seoul.

Hwang's motifs of intricate blossoms and Buddha's – which appear across a variety of media – stem from her fascination with Zen Buddhism. Bud-dhism is integral to Hwang's creative process and labor-intensive execution. To construct much of her work, Hwang creates paper buttons by hand, hammering each one approximately twenty-five times until it is secure. Her process requires the utmost concentration and discipline, recalling the meditative state practiced by Zen masters.

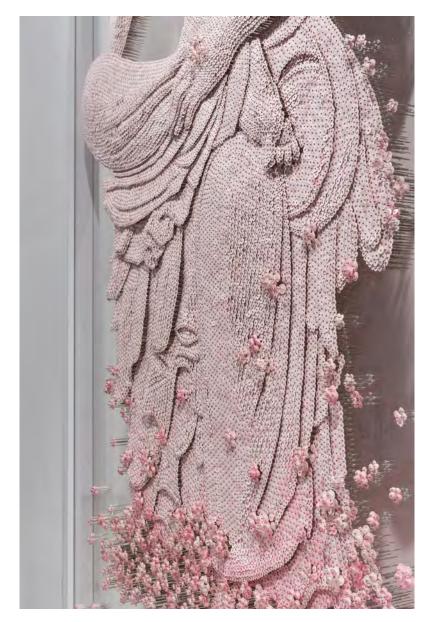
Ran Hwang has exhibited at several international institutions including the Queens Museum of Art, New York; The Hudson Valley Center for the Arts, New York; the Chelsea Art Museum, New York; The Seoul Arts Center Museum; and The Jeju Museum of Art, Jeju Island. Hwang's work is also a part of numerous private and public collections including The Brooklyn Museum, New York; The Des Moines Center for the Arts, Iowa; The National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul; and The Hammond Museum, North Salem, NY.



Ran Hwang's chandelier at the Dubai Opera House



Contemplation Time, 2014
Paper buttons, beads, pins on plexiglass
237 x 115 cm.,93.31 x 45.28 in.
\$140,000



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Rest II, 2009 Metal buttons, pins on wooden panel 275 x 153 cm., 108 x 60 in. \$200,000



Soaring Again M1, 2015
Paper buttons, beads, crystals, pins, on plexiglass
120 x 120 cm., 47.24 x 47.24 in.
\$60,000



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Becoming Again_HR, 2018
Paper buttons, beads, crystals, pins on plexiglas
+ wooden frame
240 x 180 x 28 cm, 94.4in x 70.8in
\$100,000



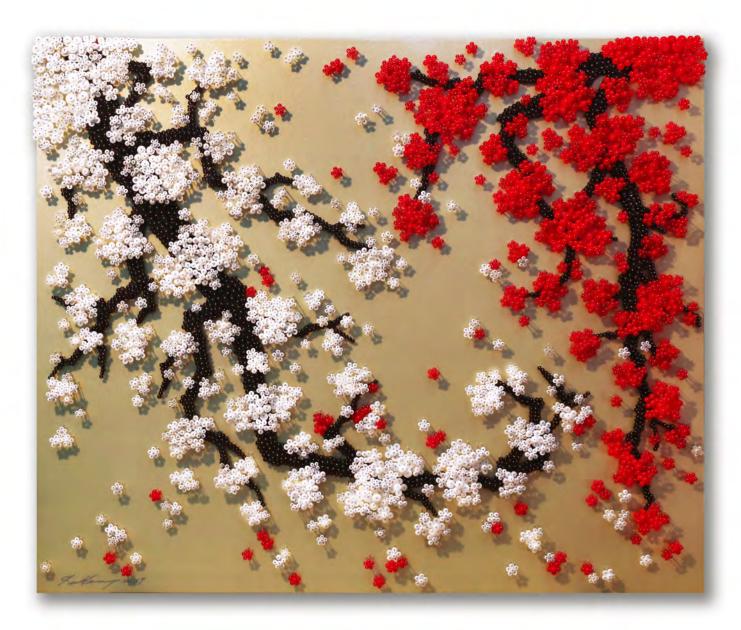
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Healing Forest_RWM, 2018
Buttons, beads, pins on wooden panel 39.3 x 78.7 in. H100 x W200cm \$50,000



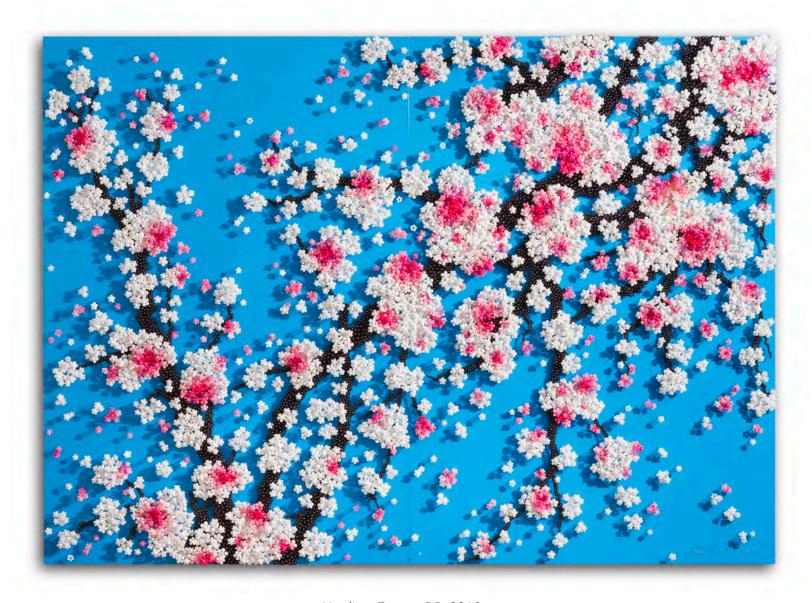
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Healing Forest_GWR, 2019
Buttons, beads, pins on wooden panel
100 x 120 cm., 39.3 x 47.2 in.
\$45,000



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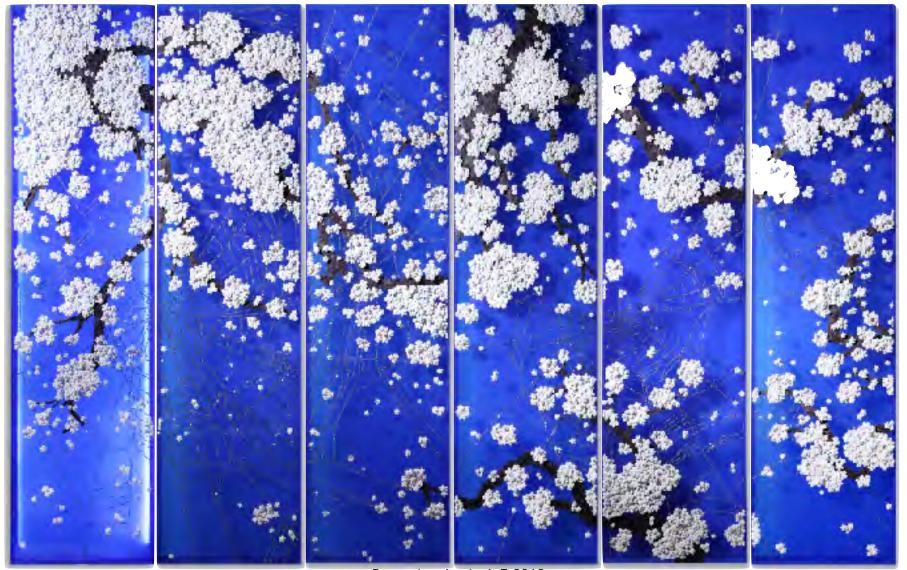
Healing Forest_BP, 2018

Buttons, beads, pins on wooden panel
170 x 236 cm., 67 x 93 in.
\$100,000

Right panel available, left panel sold



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Becoming Again A-F, 2019

Paper Buttons, Beads, Crystals, Pins on Plexiglas + Plexiglas
Frame

6 Panels Total

Each Panel: H 240 cm x W 62 cm x D 9.5 cm, 94.5 x 24.4 x 3.7in \$45,000 per 1 framed panel\$ \$100,000 per 3 framed panels



Another Freedom_GWG, 2018
Thread, Buttons, Beads, Pins on wooden panel
H216cm x W348cm
\$120,000



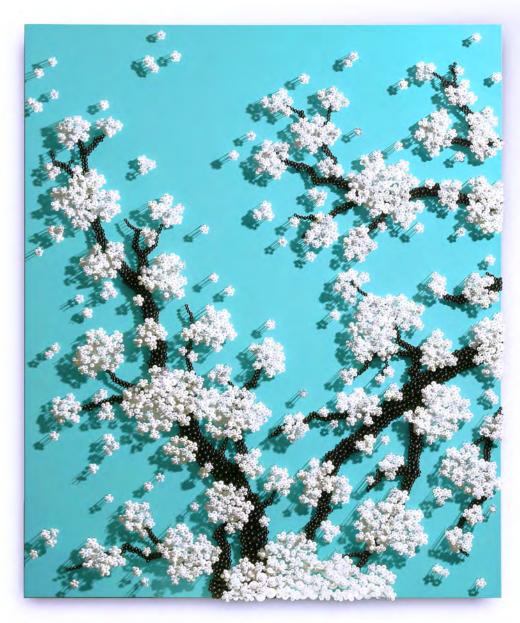
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Healing Blossoms_GWH, 2018
Buttons, beads, pins on wooden panel
180 x 100 cm.,70.8 x 39.3 in.
\$47,000



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Healing Forest_TWHL, 2018
Buttons, beads, pins on wooden panel
120 x 100 cm., 47.2 x 39.3 in.
\$45,000



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Secret Anxiety_CD, 2019 Crystals, Beads, Pins on Plexiglas H150cm x W 120 cm (2panels) \$70,000



Healing Forest_WBD, 2019
Buttons, Beads, Pins on Wooden Panel (oval)
H 53.3in x W45.6 in
H136cm x W116cm
\$50,000



Ode to Second Full Moon_GYM, 2019
Paper, buttons, beads, crystals, pins on plexiglas
75 x 75 cm., 29.5 x 29.5 in.
\$32,000



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Ode to Second Full Moon_PWH, 2018
Paper buttons, beads, pins on plexiglas
75 x 75 in., 29.5 x 29.5 in.
\$32,000



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Secret Obsession, 2014
Crystals, beads, pins on plexiglas
Centimeters: 190 x 222 cm.
\$110,000



East Palace, 2011

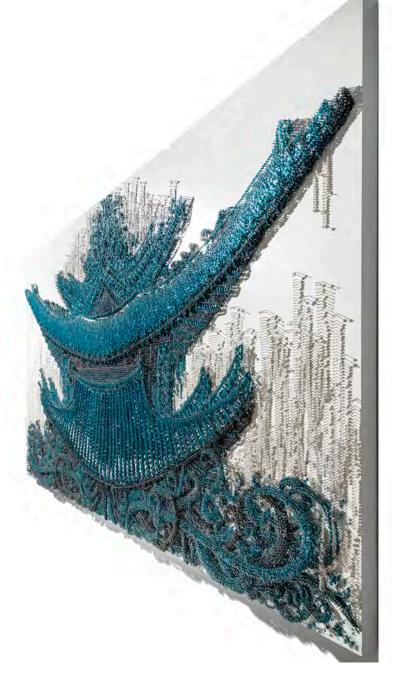
Buttons, pins, beads on wooden panel

Dimension 1: 150 x 300 cm., Dimension 2: 59.06

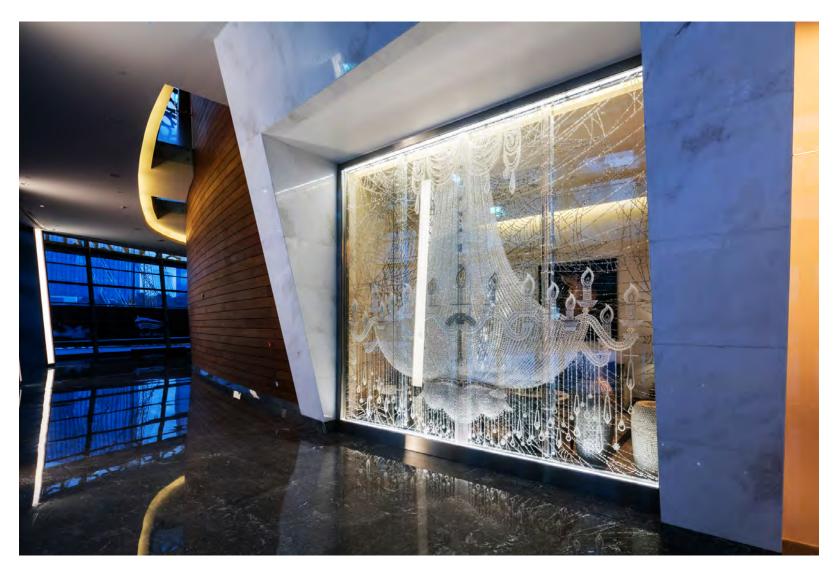
x 118.11 in.

\$130,000





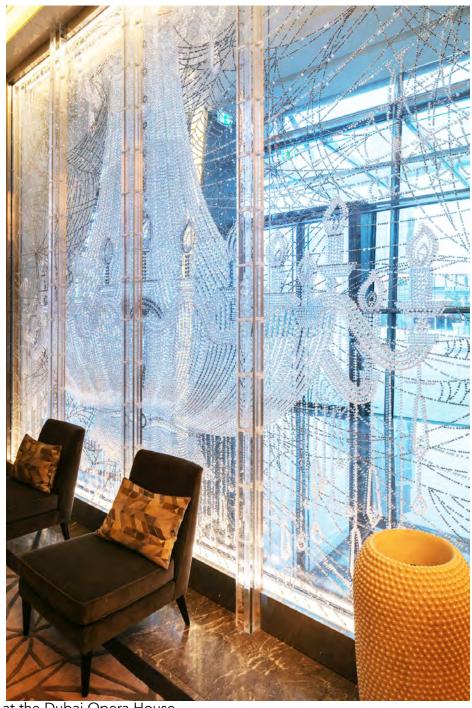
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