



**Puri Art Gallery X Uma Seminyak**

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# M I C R O C O S M

Solo Exhibition by Irene Febry

22 May – 11 June 2021  
at Uma Seminyak



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# M I C R O C O S M

It always begins with a small size of paper scrap.

Then it grows in size and in detail.

A growth that in the end, turned out to be a kind of microcosm of colours and shapes on its own; that interact with one another and form relationships and dynamics.

The Microcosm series are little worlds of Irene Febry, the bubbles that she lives in. It's an abstract collage, yet it gives an impression of space and life through shapes and colours. The abstract shapes enable the pareidolia effect in viewers' minds, to have the absolute freedom of imagination and interpretations based on every person's own background, ideas, and feelings.

Microcosm is Irene's first solo exhibition presented by Puri Art Gallery x Uma Seminyak, where she will exhibit 14 artworks from the Microcosm series. Irene will be creating a community artwork that would be titled Macrocosm. It's an invitation for every person to create his/her own microcosm, placed in the cosmos as a whole.



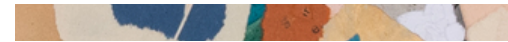
## Irene Febry (b. 1989)

Irene is an Indonesian mixed-media artist born in Bogor and is currently based in Bali.

Her works are an exploration of colours, shapes, and materials. Her inspiration comes from nature, such as sand, stone, fungus, bacteria, insects, micro-organisms, the pattern on the wall, etc.

Sometimes her artwork is purely abstract, and sometimes it illustrates an idea in an abstract way. She mostly uses materials that are around her; recycled materials and found objects because she's interested in giving them a second life.

The first techniques she studied were painting & drawing, then it evolved to the exploration of materials and incorporation of mixed mediums. Some materials that she's been using are recycled papers, strings, fabric, recycled plastic, egg trays, and shells.





# Artworks









## Microcosm II

2020

37.4 x 29.5 cm (unframed), 47 x 47 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 4,000,000



## Microcosm III

2020

26.7 x 24 cm (unframed), 47 x 47 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 4,000,000





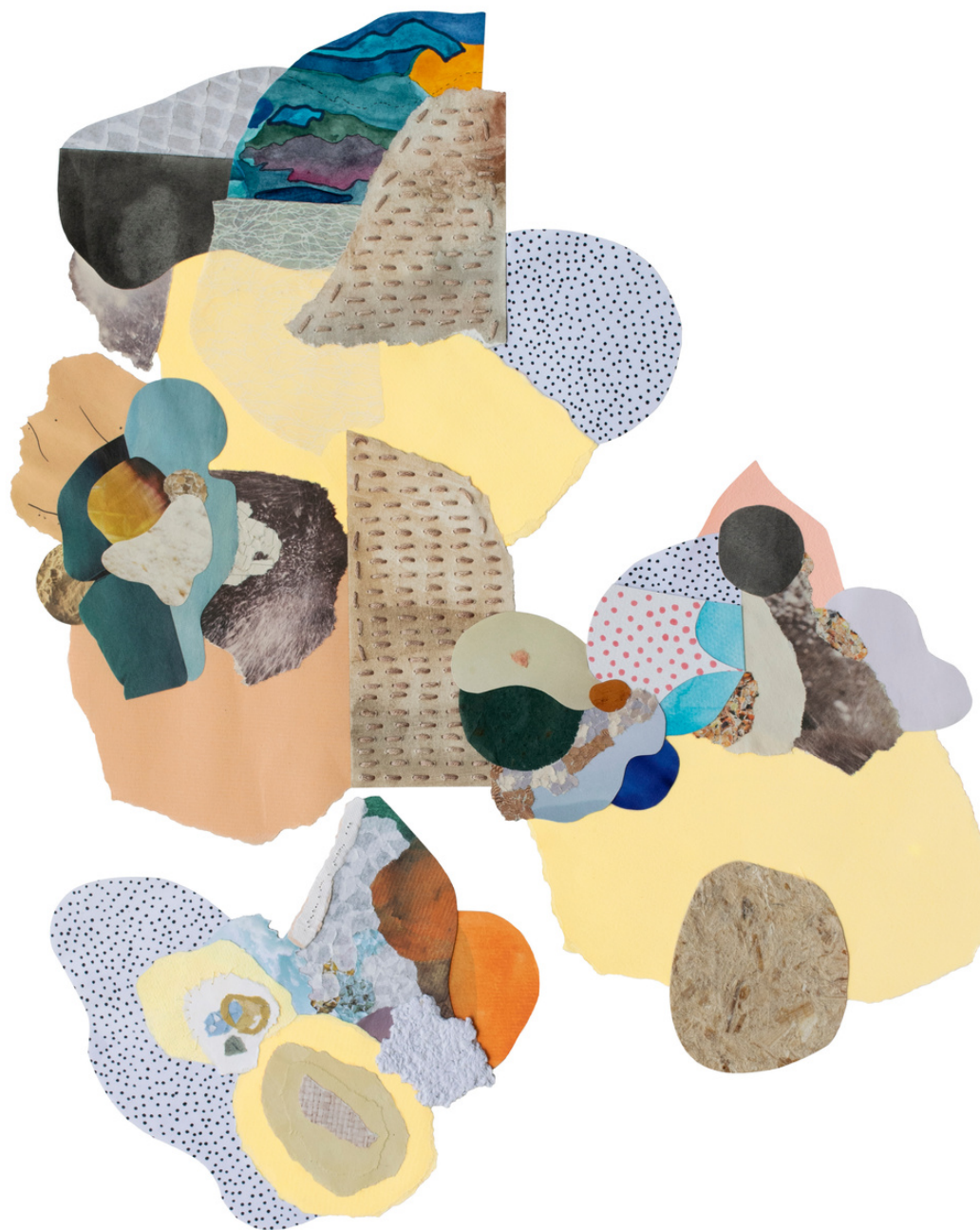
## Microcosm VI

2020

92 x 86 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

\*Private Collection



## Microcosm VII

2021

45.5 x 37 cm (unframed), 71 x 61.5 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 5,500,000





## Microcosm VIII

2021

44 x 36.5 cm (unframed), 64.5 x 58 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 5,500,000





## Microcosm IX

2021

39 x 36.5 cm (unframed), 60.5 x 55 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 5,250,000



## Microcosm X

2021

38.7 x 36.3 cm (unframed), 59 x 57 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 5,250,000





## Microcosm XI

2021

51.8 x 70.8 cm (unframed), 80 x 100 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 8,500,000



Microcosm XII

2021

40.4 x 30.6 cm (unframed), 63 x 56 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 5,500,000



## Tell Me Tales

2021

42.6 x 57.2 cm (unframed), 63.5 x 87 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 7,500,000





## Magical Moon Over the Misty Mountain

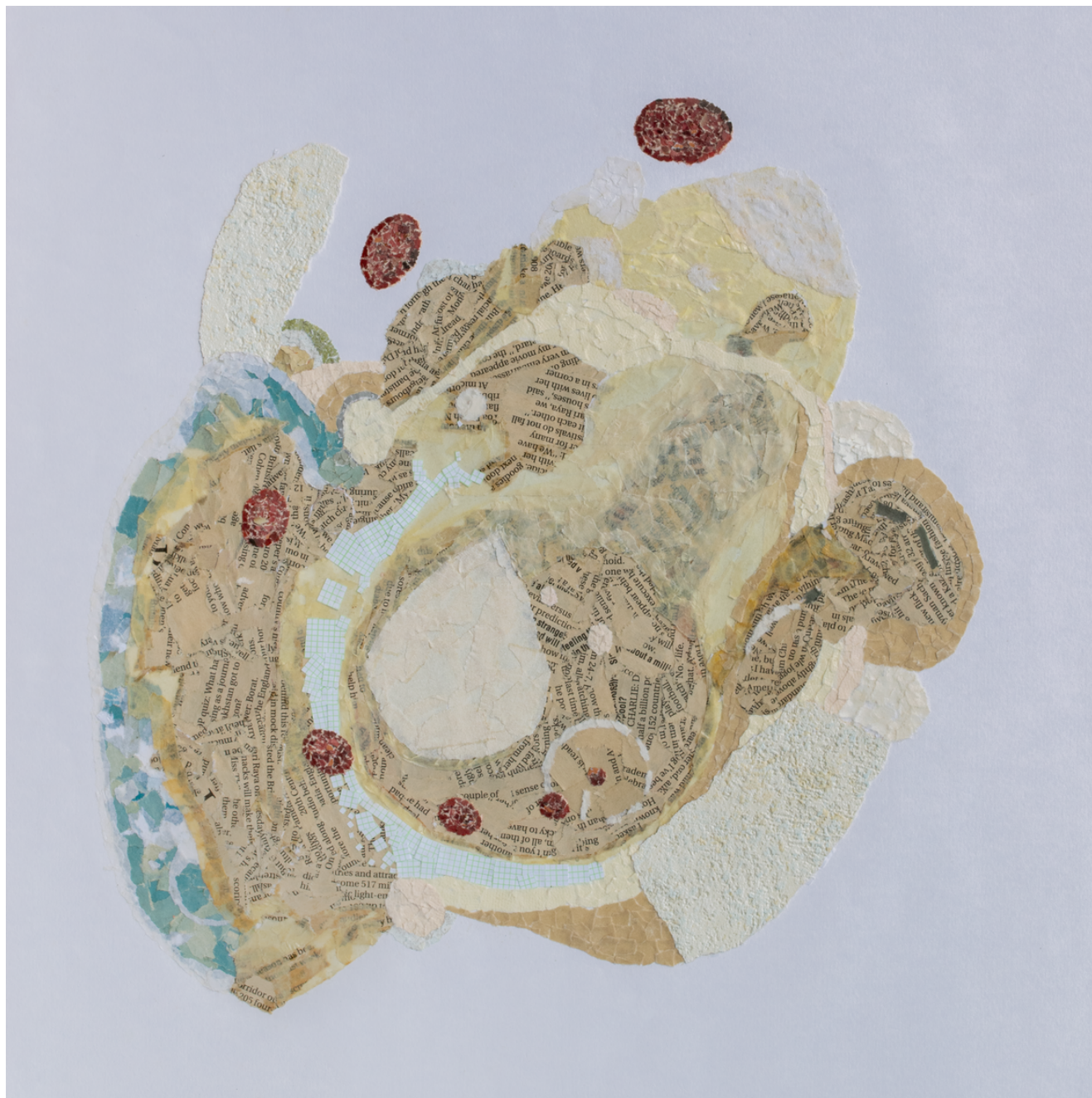
2020

23.8 x 12.8 cm (unframed), 43 x 33 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 3,000,000





## The Origin

2009

42 x 42 cm (unframed), 46 x 46 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 3,500,000





## Growth

2013

42 x 59.4 cm (unframed), 48 x 65.5 cm (framed)

Mixed Media Collage on Acid Free Mount Board

IDR 3,000,000



Previous art project installation



detail works

# Macrocosm

2021

100 x 100 cm

Installation

Community Art Project Happening from 22 May - 11 June 2021



# Biography





# IRENE FEBRY

## BORN

1989 (BOGOR, INDONESIA - BALI BASED ARTIST)

## EDUCATION

2007 - 2011

BA (HONS) IN FINE ARTS, LASALLE COLLEGE OF THE ARTS, SINGAPORE

## EXHIBITIONS

2021

- MICROCOSM, PURI ART GALLERY X UMA SEMINYAK, BALI
- ART MOMENT JAKARTA ONLINE, PURI ART GALLERY, JAKARTA.

2020

- RAGA RHYTHM, CURATED BY WILD SKIDS, TITIK DUA, BALI.
- MELAMPAUI INTERAKSI (BEYOND INTERACTION), COLLAGEID.

2019

- TANDA SERU!, FUTUWONDER, UMA SEMINYAK, BALI.

2018

- MASA SUBUR: EFEK SAMPING, FUTUWONDER , KARJA ART SPACE, BALI.



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