



*Splash Ink Painting Appreciation Zoom Seminar
and
Two In-Person Painting Workshops
by Karen Tseng*

**Splash Ink Painting Appreciation Zoom Seminar:
Saturday, 4/20, 1-2:30pm**

**Two In-Person Plum Blossom Brush Painting Workshops:
Sunday, 4/21, 1-2:30pm and 3-4:30pm**

Location: First Republic Bank, 400 S. San Antonio Rd., Los Altos

In the splash ink painting appreciation seminar on 4/20, 1-2:30pm, Bay Area artist Karen Tseng will introduce the art of her teacher, the legendary 108-year-old splash ink master, Mr. Hou Beiren (侯北人先生). Mr. Hou immigrated from China to the US in 1956, and has since lived, taught, and created art in the Bay Area. His body of work is so influential that he was honored with a museum in his name, the Hou Beiren Art Museum, in Kunshan, China, as well as a gallery in the Liaoning Provincial Art Museum.

Karen Tseng will then lead two in-person plum blossom brush painting workshops on 4/21, 1-2:30pm and 3-4:30pm respectively. Plum blossom is one of the foundational subject matters in Chinese brush painting. Considered one of the “Four Gentlemen” (together with bamboo, orchid and chrysanthemum), it symbolizes strength, resilience, and the ability to overcome adversity.

Cost: \$20 (Max: 20 persons/session)

RSVP: <http://tinyurl.com/Splash-INK-Paint>