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視覺藝術家協會  
六四紀念

# Visual Artists Guild Annual Tiananmen Commemoration & Award Dinner

Honoring

Esha Momemi: Women's rights defender  
Students and Citizens of Iran  
who struggled to have their votes counted

Tan Zuoren 譚作人

Activist for victims of Sichuan earthquake;  
currently imprisoned in China

Special Guest

Fang Zheng 方正

1989 Pro-democracy student in Beijing and  
last year Honoree

with entertainment by

Ariana Delawari

Afghan-American recording artist of album  
"Lion of Panjshir"

Saturday May 29th, 2010

Golden Dragon Restaurant

Chinatown, Los Angeles



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## Visual Artists Guild

In the spring of 1989, Beijing erupted with the largest spontaneous demonstrations the Peoples' Republic of China had witnessed in its 40-year history. The pro-democracy movement quickly spread to over 30 cities around China before the world witnessed the horrors of the government's brutal crackdown. As the Chinese people fled from the tanks and guns, they asked the international press to let the world know the truth.

They asked the world not to forget.

20 years later, across the globe, the students and citizens of Iran demanded that their vote be counted. The image of a dying young woman named Neda Iran on the street of Tehran forever became the Voice of Iran just as the iconic image of the Tank Man's defiance on the Avenue of Everlasting Peace in Beijing. A poem written and recited by an Iranian woman in the night amid the shouts on rooftops of "God is great" could very well have been the same posting on the Democracy Wall in Beijing two decades ago.

**Date: Saturday, May 29, 2010**

**Time: 5:00 p.m. Reception and Registration**

**Exhibition: Tiananmen Story, photo essay curated by Visual Artists Guild**

**6:00 p.m. Dinner**

**Place: Golden Dragon Restaurant 960 N. Broadway, Los Angeles**

**Phone 213-626-2039**

**Cost: 10 Course Chinese Banquet Dinner**

**\$30 Advanced Purchase, \$35 at the Door**

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