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### Helsinki Festival | Focus: China



 [Tan-Dun\\_Nushu\\_credits\\_Tan-Dun](#) The largest multi-arts festival in Finland and the Nordic countries, Helsinki Festival 2015 (14-30 August) has a FOCUS: CHINA, presenting one of the most extensive displays of Chinese art and culture ever seen in Europe.



The 2015 Helsinki Festival programme line-up features classical and world music, circus, dance, theatre, design, comics, contemporary Chinese Ink painting, design, a children's programme, Asian Saturday, cinema and a range of urban events. With its China theme Helsinki Festival offers this year a comprehensive look at Chinese culture. Hundreds of Chinese artists

will arrive in Helsinki – including some interesting names from dance field.



Contemporary dance group [TAO Dance Theater](#) visits Finland for the first time. The group that is currently enjoying an international rise, treats the festival audience well with two double bills on August 21 and 23. [25 x 25 – Close Encounter](#) event represents Chinese underground artist aged 25 or younger at the Cable Factory for 25 hours on August 28–29. The marathon event provides round-the-clock installations, cinema, photography, new media, theatre, dance and music. Read more about the dance content on [Dance Info Finland](#)

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