

# Profile of C.S.Ling

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## 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

**Name :** Cheng Shun Ling (also known as C.S.Ling)  
**Date of Birth :** 30.04.1984  
**Nationality :** Singaporean  
**Company :** Founded C.S.Ling Photography ( 2006 - current )  
<http://cslingphotography.com>  
**Occupation :** Founded Life List Chase ( 2011 - current )  
Creative Director at Techsailor Pte Ltd (2007 - 2011)



## 2. ACCOLADES & AWARDS

Endorsement(s)



SanDisk



Member of



**Nikon** Singapore Professional Photographer endorsement - *Singapore*

**Gitzo** Ambassador (Singapore) endorsement - *Singapore*

**SanDisk** Extreme Team Member endorsement - *International*

**National Geographic Explorer Magazine** National Geographic Explorer Photographer - *International*

**X-rite Photo** Coloratti member - *International*

**IEPA** - International Environment Photographers Association member - *Japan*

**MPA** - Master Photography Association Associate member - *International*

**Windland Smith Rice International Photography Awards** - Overall Grand Prize Winner 2012 - *International*

**Singapore Women's Weekly** - Winner of Great Women of our Time (Arts & Media) 2011 - *Singapore*

**National Geographic Explorer** - Winner of Green Role Model 2011 - *Singapore*

**JCI Junior Chamber International** - Top 18 finalist of Outstanding Young Persons of the World 2011 - *Singapore*

## 3. PHOTO COMPETITIONS (AS A JUDGE)

- 2013 **UWCSEA East Photo Competition 2013** - Organized by United World College South-east Asia (UWSEA)
- 2012 **Singapore Bird Park "Picture the Color!" 2012** – Organized by Singapore Bird Park
- 2012 **Discovering Green Brunei Phone Photocompetition** – Organized by Green Brunei
- 2012 **Green Carpet Award 2012** – Organized by National Geographic Explorer Magazine
- 2011 **Singapore Bird Park "Picture the Color!" 2011** – Organized by Singapore Bird Park
- 2011 **Noise Singapore 2011** – Organized by National Arts Council, Singapore

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## 4. TALKS & PHOTO WORKSHOPS ENGAGEMENTS

- All Year Round Photography Lecturer at LASALLE College of the Arts - Singapore
- All Year Round Nature Photography for Children - Singapore
- All Year Round Nature Photography for Adults - Singapore
- All Year Round Fundamentals of Photography for Adults - Singapore
- Mar 2013 Nature Photography Workshop / Talk for **Green Carpet Award 2012 Winners** - Singapore
- Dec 2012 Wildlife Photography: Monkeys at Bukit Timah Hill for **UWCSEA Dover International School** - Singapore
- Nov 2012 Inspirational speaker at **CHIJ St. Theresa's Convent** Leadership camp - Singapore
- Oct 2012 Wildlife & Orangutan Conservation talk at **Minister of Industry and Primary Resources** - Brunei
- Oct 2012 Orangutan Conservation talk at **Jerudong International School** - Brunei
- Sept 2012 Nature Photography Workshop & Trip to M'sia for **Wearnes Automotive Land Rover clients** - SG + M'sia
- July 2012 Professional Photolmaging 2012: Wildlife Photography Talk at **Funan DigitaLife Mall** - Singapore
- July 2012 **National Arts Council's** PocketRocket Blast-off party: Let your idea take flight at **Kennel** - Singapore
- July 2012 Life After Graduation: The Road Less Travelled at **Nanyang Polytechnic** - Singapore
- June 2012 Documenting Wildlife in Asia : Stills + Motion Talk at **Campers' Corner** - Singapore
- May 2012 Conservation Photography : Orangutan Orphans at **Nanyang Polytechnic** - Singapore
- Apr 2012 Documenting Wildlife in Asia : Stills + Motion Talk at **I AM NIKON DAY** event - Singapore
- Apr 2012 Nature & Wildlife Photography sharing at **Singapore Chinese Girls' School** - Singapore
- Mar 2012 **National Young Women Leaders' Day** at Kallang Theater - Singapore
- Feb 2012 Wildlife Photography Talk at **UWCSEA Dover International School** - Singapore
- Nov 2011 Spirit of Travel Talk at **Shriro House** - Singapore
- Oct 2011 Travel Photography Workshop at **HSBC** - Singapore
- Aug 2011 Wild Borneo talk at **National Geographic Store** - Singapore
- Mar 2011 **National Geographic Young Explorer** Nature Photography Workshop at Sentosa - Singapore
- Jan 2011 **SanDisk** Speaker at Sandisk product launch press conference, Intercontinental Hotel - Singapore
- Jan 2011 Nature & Wildlife Photography Workshop with **Phocus** - Singapore
- Nov 2010 Nature Photo Workshop for **Bukit Panjang Pri, Greenridge Pri, Kranji Sec, Teck Whye Pri, West Spring Sec** - Singapore
- Sep 2010 Free Photo Workshop for staff of **Borneo Orangutan Survival Foundation** - Indonesia
- July 2010 Nature Photography Workshop at **National Geographic Store** - Singapore
- May 2010 Photography Workshop at Kota Kinabalu Park (Borneo) with **Nikon** - Malaysia
- Apr 2010 Earth Day Talk at **National Geographic Store** - Singapore
- Feb 2010 Career Awareness Fair at **St. Andrew's Junior School** - Singapore
- Feb 2010 Life List Ling Inspirational Talk at **Orchard Central** - Singapore
- Jan 2010 Wild Moments Exhibition Talk at **Sentosa Nature Discovery** - Singapore
- Nov 2008 Photography talk for Nikon Club at **2902 Gallery** - Singapore

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## 5. OVERSEAS PHOTO TRIPS (AS PHOTO INSTRUCTOR)

- Feb 2012 /13 **10D9N Japan Winter Wildlife Photo Expedition** - Hokkaido, Nagano, Tokyo  
Oct 2012 **1D Workshop for winners of Discovering Green Brunei Photo Competition** - Brunei  
June 2012 May **4D3N Borneo River Wildlife Photo Safari** - Kinabatangan River, Borneo  
2012 **3D2N Sibu Nature/Wildlife Photo-Coaching with United World College UWCSEA** - Malaysia  
Mar 2012 **7D6N Sri Lanka Wildlife Photo Safari** - Colombo, Udawalawe, Tissamaharama  
Jun 2011 **Wild Borneo River Photo Safari** - Kinabatangan River, Borneo

## 6. PHOTO EXHIBITIONS

2012	<b>HIPA</b> International Photography Award 2011	Dubai	1 day	Group
2012	<b>ASFERICO</b> International Photography Competition 2011	Italy	1 day	Group
2011	<b>To : MOM</b> (To :My Orangutan Mother) at ION Orchard	Singapore	2 weeks	Duo
2011	<b>IEPA</b> International Environmental Photography Exhibition	Japan	1 month	Group
2010	<b>Life List Ling</b> Exhibition at Orchard Central	Singapore	1 month	Solo
2010	<b>Wild Moments</b> Exhibiton at Sentosa Nature Discovery	Singapore	1 year	Solo
2009	<b>IEPA</b> International Environmental Photography Exhibition	Japan	2 weeks	Group
2008	<b>Wild Moments</b> Exhibition at 2902 Gallery	Singapore	1 month	Solo
2008	<b>Asian Mosaic</b> Travel Photography Exhibition	Singapore	1 week	Group

### C.S.Ling's exhibitions are sponsored and supported by :

<b>National Geographic</b> Explorer	To:MOM Exhibition (2011)
<b>ION</b> Orchard	To:MOM Exhibition (2011)
<b>Nikon</b> Singapore Pte Ltd	To:MOM (2011), Wild Moments (2008 & 2010) Exhibitions
<b>SanDisk</b> Corporation	To:MOM Exhibition (2011)
<b>Sentosa</b> Development Corporation	Wild Moments Exhibition (2010)
<b>Orchard</b> Central	Life List Ling Exhibition (2010)

## 7. PHOTO PUBLICATIONS & AGENCIES

### Since 2008, C.S.Ling's works are regularly published around the world in :

Editorial magazine covers, Editorial magazine texts & images, Newspaper advertorials, Brochure & direct mail, Corporate & promotional sites, Marketing/Products/Packaging, Calendars/Postcards/Posters, etc...

### Most Notably In :

- The Daily Mail's Mail Online - June 2012
- The Telegraph - May 2012
- BBC Wildlife Website - March 2012
- National Geographic Explorer Magazine - Sept 2011, Dec 2012
- Asian Geographic Magazines - Dec 2008, 2009
- Nikon Focus - July 2008
- Outdoor Photographer Magazine - 2008

### Represented by Stock Photo Agencies :

- Aurora Photos (USA), Getty Images (USA), Corbis (USA), Rex Features (UK)

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## 8. MEDIA COVERAGE

**Zhao Bao Comma (SG)** - Feature & Interview on C.S. Ling as a wildlife photographer *Issue 11, 13 Mar 2013*

**Borneo Bulletin (Brunei)** - International photographers underline importance of wildlife conservation *10 Oct 2012*

**The Brunei Times (Brunei)** - Eco Awareness via Photography *10 Oct 2012*

**Silkwinds | SilkAir In-flight Magazine** - "Bounties of Nature" - *Sept/Oct 2012*

**CLEO Magazine (SG)** - "What I would tell my 21-year-old self" - *Sept 2012*

**Nikon 1 V1 Global Campaign** - "Endangered Beauty - Explore nature and wildlife with C.S. Ling and Nikon 1 + NIKKOR Lens" - *Aug 2012*

**The Straits Times (SG)** - Digital Life : What's In feature on C.S.Ling - *July 2012*

**I AM NIKON DAY (SG)** - TV Ad on I AM NIKON DAY event featuring speakers C.S.Ling, Ethan Lim & more - *April 2012*

**RazorTV (SG)** - Coverage of the National Young Women Leaders' Day 2012 - *March 2012*

**Lianhe Zaobao Newspaper (SG)** - Featured speaker on National Young Women Leader's Day - *4 March 2012*

**Photocrati Photographers For Good (USA)** - Feature Story on C.S.Ling and Ethan Lim - *Oct 2011*

**Singapore Women's Weekly Magazine (SG)** - Great Women of our Time Award - *Aug 2011*

**Simply Her Magazine (SG)** - "My "Aha!" Moment That Changed My Life" - *Sept 2011*

**National Geographic Store (SG)** - Interview with C.S.Ling & Ethan Lim - *May 2011*

**Radio 938 LIVE Need To Know (SG)** - Interview Conservation photographers for To: MOM Exhibition - *12 May 2011*

**i-Weekly Magazine (SG)** - To: MOM Exhibition - *May 2011*

**ACRES (SG)** - C.S.Ling's Photos raised funds of \$4200! - *2010*

**TODAY Newspaper (SG)** - Nikon D90 Advertorial Profile on C.S.Ling - *2 Sept 2009*

**Sunday Times (SG)** - "An exhibition at 24, 74 more feats to achieve, C.S.Ling" - *7 Dec 2008*

## 9. EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

### 2001 to 2004

Institution	Nanyang Polytechnic (NYP)
Qualification	Diploma in Digital Media Design

### Other Design Awards

- 1st Prize in ActionScript.Award.01 'Out of this World' (student category) - *2004*

- Bronze Award in 4A's Crowbar Awards 2004 (Experimental Interactive /Singapore) - *2004*



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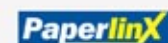
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## CAREER HIGHLIGHTS : To:MOM (To: My Orangutan Mother) Exhibition

A large scale exhibition to raise awareness for the endangered orangutan orphans at BOSF Nyaru Menteng and their amazing journey back into the wild. This exhibition is held on Mother's Day 2011, a time when family ties are renewed and Mother-Child bonds reinforced. A series of educational activities are lined up for the kids and parents.



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## CAREER HIGHLIGHTS : Free Photo Workshop for Borneo Orangutan Survival Organization

C.S.Ling was approved by Ministry of Forestry in Indonesia to document the 600+ orangutan orphans at BOSF Nyaru Menteng. She conducted free photography workshops to the BOSF staffs with the sponsored cameras from Nikon.



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@ BOSF Nyaru Menteng, Central Kalimantan, Indonesia, Borneo, Sept 2010