

WILD BOAR takes on fake news [View Online](#) Or [Forward](#) to a friend.



Playwright's Insight Into Hong Kong life and *Wild Boar*

As a fable, *Wild Boar* is a **cautionary tale**. It sounds an alarm.

I grew up in Hong Kong. It never occurred to me that the **freedom of speech** I enjoy as a creator would ever be **under attack**.



Candace Chong
Playwright of *Wild Boar*

In the past six years, however, I have watched this absurdist play slowly morph into realism. The press in Hong Kong has become **merely the mouthpiece of the government and big business**.

Today, this call has crossed oceans, traversing 12,518 kilometers to Chicago. I believe the **power of art** will shorten the physical distance between us.

Watching the fire from the other shore, will you feel the pain less acutely? I hope not.

If this fable hasn't provided a proper warning for my own city, **let its ending be a mirror** for audiences elsewhere.

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Previews for *Wild Boar* Begin November 9th

A **gripping investigation** of journalistic integrity, city planning, and social conscience, *Wild Boar* is a new play by Candace Chong, one of **Hong Kong's most acclaimed playwrights**.

When a controversial professor goes missing, an editor and his student band together to **publicize the truth**.

Old flames spark and friendships are tested in the U.S. premiere of this turbulent thriller about media manipulation, fake news, and **who gets to speak for the poor**.

Runs from: November 9th - December 17th

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All performances take place at Silk Road Rising
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