

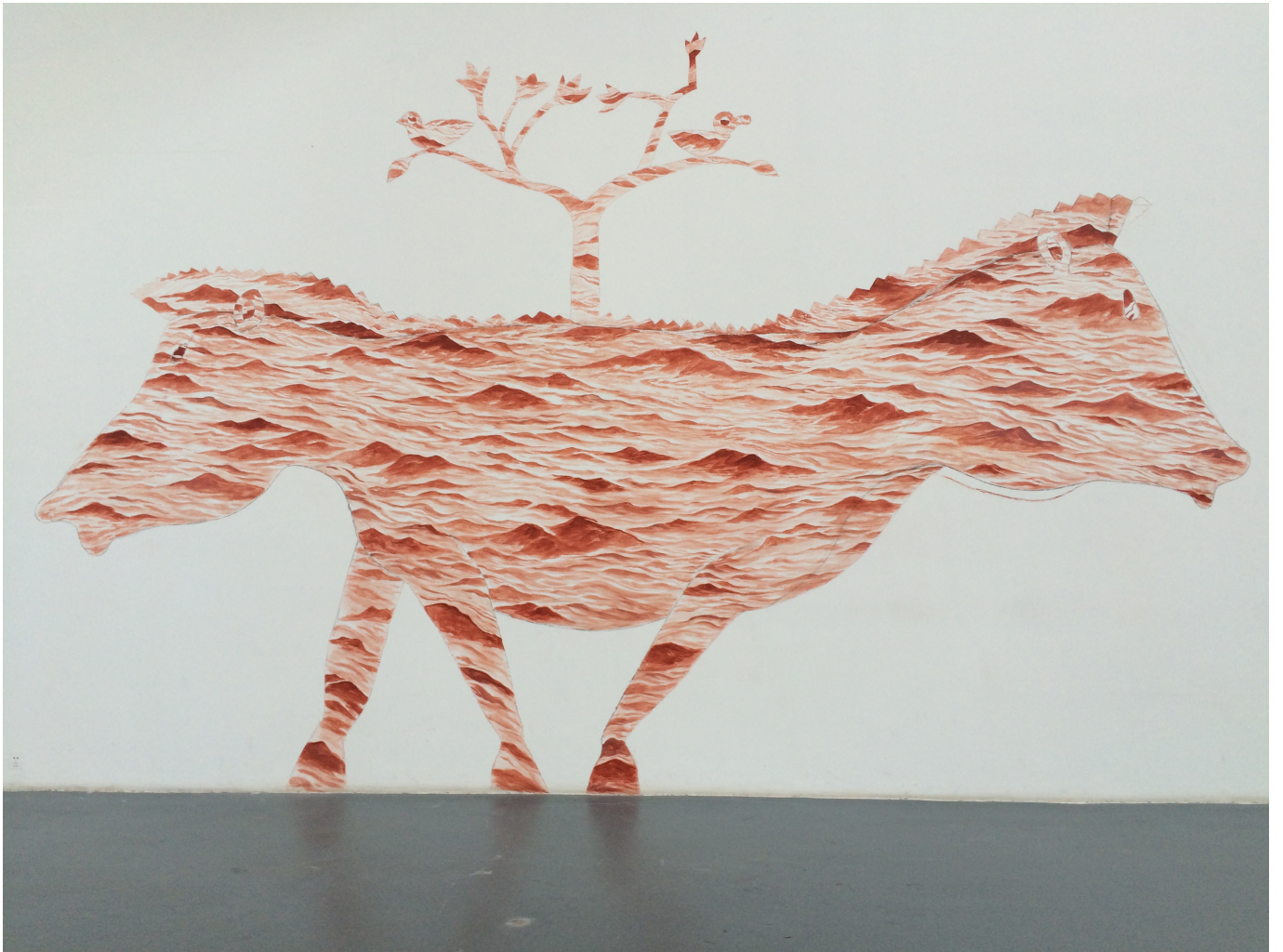
Last Sunday I spent my best day in Beijing yet with Fei. I know her from the University of Cincinnati where we both attended graduate school. She's living in Beijing now, and it was great to wander around the 798 Art District with a local.



*Lunch with Fei at a Vietnamese restaurant. That seltzer water she ordered looked amazing.*



*Francesco Clemente*

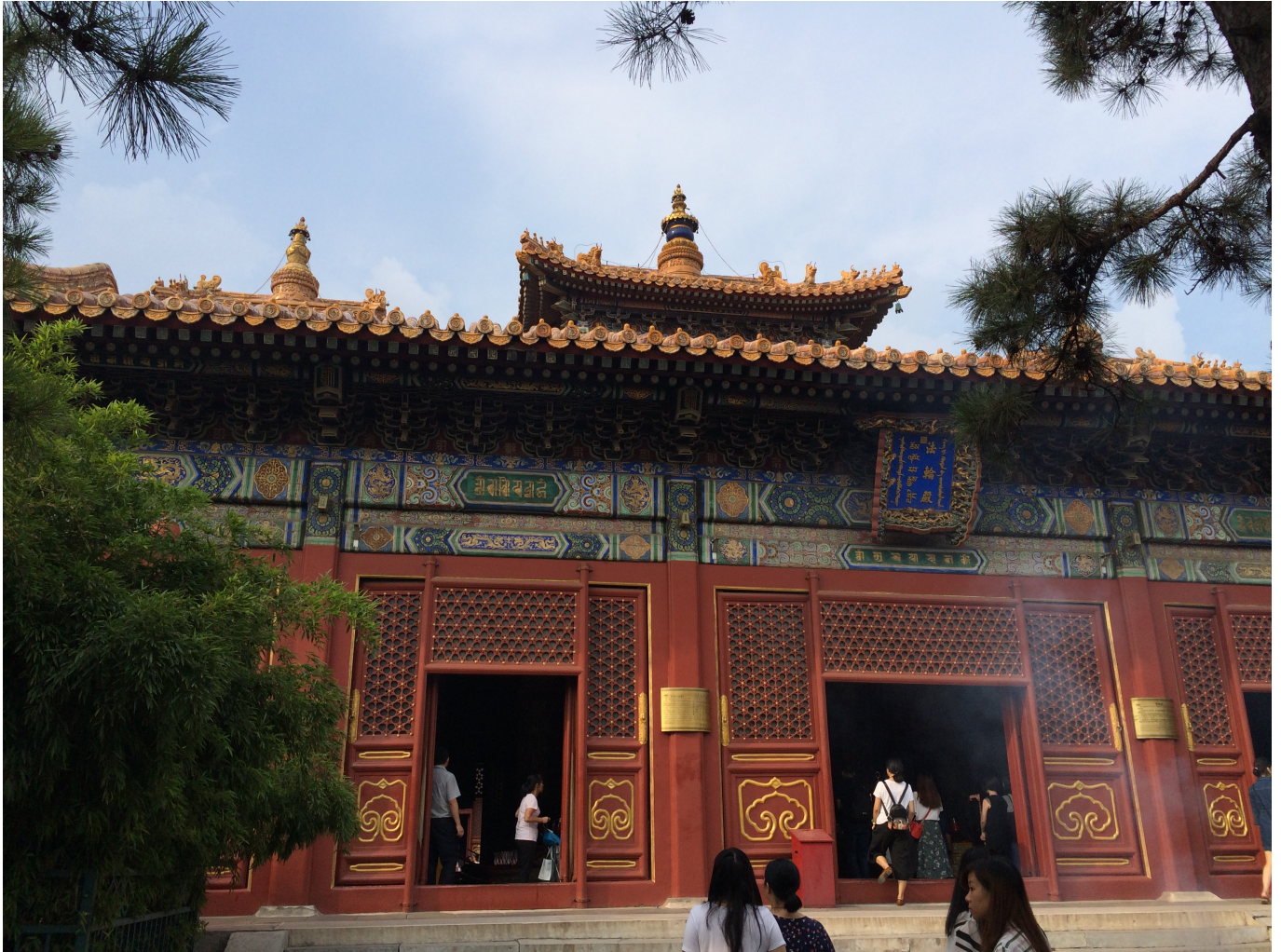


*Francesco Clemente*



*798 Art District from the balcony of a coffee shop.*

We also visited the Yonghegong Temple (Lama Temple) which houses a large Buddha carved out of a single tree.



*Yonghegong Temple (Lama Temple)*



Sundays





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*Giant Buddha carved from a single tree.*



This Sunday I took the subway to Tiananmen Square and visited the National Museum of China. The entrance of the museum was a little tricky to find because I can't read the signs yet and there was a maze of railing up around the museum directing us to the entrance.



*Entrance to the National Museum of China*



*Interior of the National Museum of China*



*Shoes!*



Sundays

*Serious overglaze painting*



