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Death Drive Joy Ride is Catalina Ouyang's first solo exhibition in Los Angeles. The exhibition features a new body of sculpture, installation and video. Taking East Asian fox spirits as a departure point, the work positions mythic desires for immortality alongside a contemporary endeavor to find joy and community amid a seemingly inexorable drive toward planetary destruction. *Death Drive Joy Ride* speaks (or wails) honestly from the positionality of its maker: a lonely Chinese-American girl clawing her way through our Wicked Problems. *Death Drive Joy Ride* is on view through August 8 at Make Room 1035 North Broadway Los Angeles. photographs by [Lani Trock](#)