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Stress on Preserving Own Culture

Qui Bai Ping holds workshop for local enthusiasts

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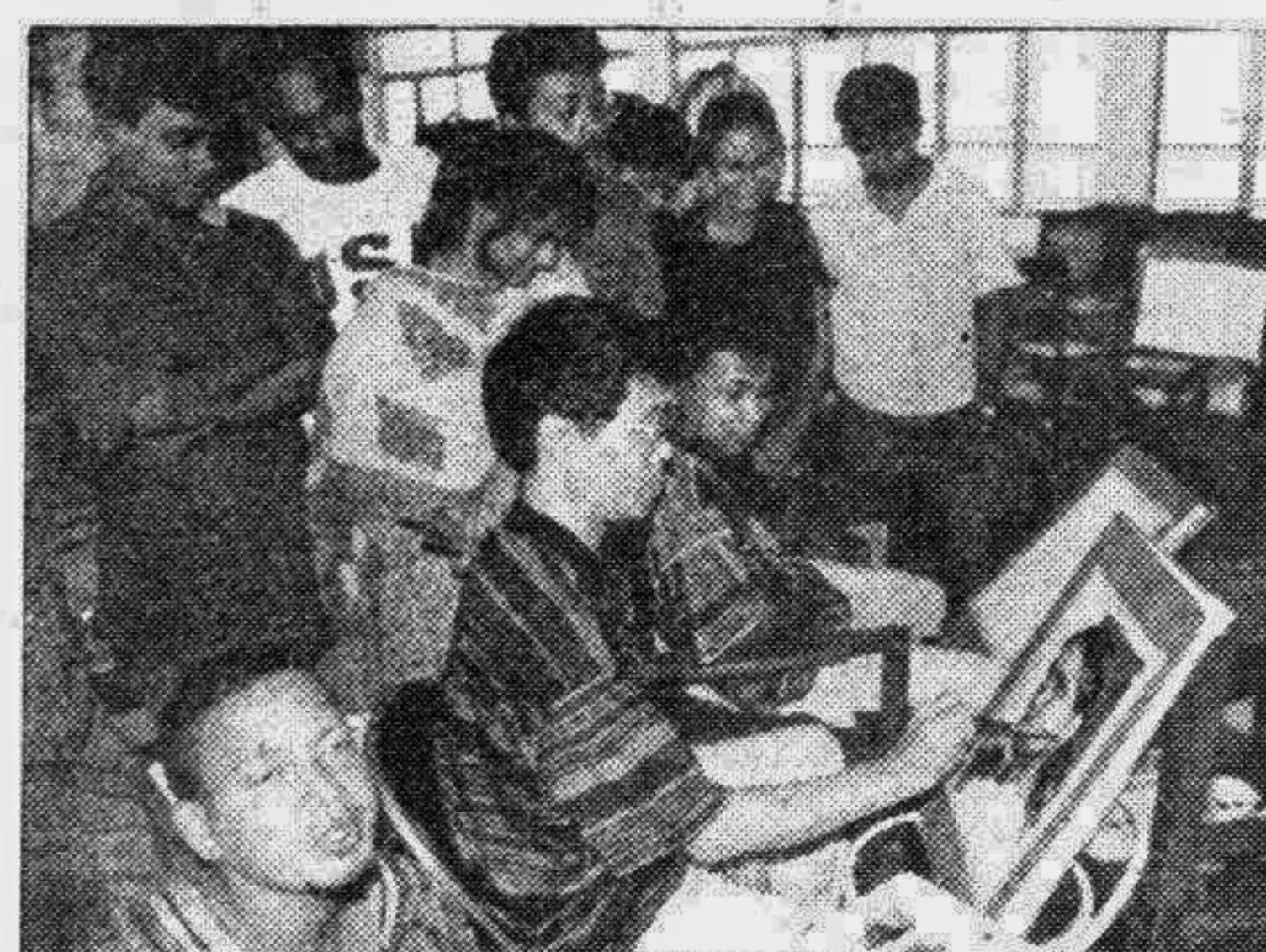
Qui Bai Ping looked a typical Chinese professor in his plain white short-sleeved shirt and dark trousers as he went about correcting and commenting on the work of his 17 students from the Fine Arts Department DU that formed the workshop he held at the Shilpkala Academy. He commented about the skill of his students saying,

"They are talented but they must work hard. They are not bad but they must be more active."

Bai Ping represented the artists at the present exhibition of Chinese oils and engravings at the Shilpkala Academy. He was chosen by the China Friendship Association to represent them.

Bai Ping loved painting as a child and he believes that human life can be improved much by paintings. He enjoys doing both portraits and landscapes. He has great fondness for the typical Chinese paintings with the washes and the ink but finds more comfort doing oils.

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Western art has developed because of the economic background."

His paintings are scattered all over the world including Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Singapore, USA and France.

Talking about Bangladesh he says he loves the traditional art such as the combination of colours in a sari. He feels that the Bangladeshi artists are parallel to their contemporaries elsewhere. He stressed on the fact that the young should not lose sight of their traditions and should reflect them in their work.

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