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●Selected Solo Exhibitions/Projects

- 2014-2020 "Traveling knitting Machine" London, Lake District(UK), York District(UK), Osaka, Tokyo, Hokkaido, Hyogo, Wakayama, Nagasaki, Saipan, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Da Nang, Siem Reap, Taipei, Chennai
- 2009-2020 "Traveliving" Ehime, Kochi, Tokyo, Osaka, Saitama, Chiba, Okinawa, Kanagawa, Ibaraki, Kagawa, Ishikawa, Oita, Hokkaido, Hyogo, Kyoto, Nagasaki, Takasaki, Aomori, Kagoshima, Fukushima, Bangkok, Ayutthaya, Zurich, Bethune, Saipan, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Da Nang, Taipei, New York, Kuala Lumpur, Siem Reap, New Taipei City, Chennai
- 2020 Artist In the Office "CIRCULATION RECIPE" MITSUBISHI ESTATE CO., LTD. Head Office SPARKLE
- 2019 "Hyogo Knit Art Ward" Hyogo Ward, Kobe City, Hyogo, Japan
- 2017 Nagasaki Art Project "Knit Invaders in Nagasaki" Nagasaki Museum of History and Culture/Teramachi, Nagasaki, Japan
"Tokyo Kaioi" Tokyo, Japan
- 2016 "Back To The Fiber : KAMISANSUI" Sibuya Hikarie aiiima3, Tokyo, Japan
- 2012 "UNIVERSE ⇔ UNIVERSE" Elttob Tep Issey Miyake Ginza, Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 "My Dream Trip" The Artcomplex Center of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
- 2005 "Sakippo" Wada Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

●Performing Arts

- 2022 Kichijoji Dance LAB. voi.4 Tomo Mizukoshi×Saki Chikaraishi "ECHO-TONE"
Kichijoji Theatre, Tokyo, Japan

●Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2022 "These Dreams of Times" Utsunomiya Museum of Art, Tochigi, Japan
"MIND TRAIL" Yoshino/Tenkawa/Soni, Nara, Japan
"DOGO ONSENART 2022" Dogo Onsen area, Ehime, Japan
- 2021 "AIR 1/2F" BnA Alter Museum, Kyoto, Japan
- 2020 "MIND TRAIL" Yoshino/Tenkawa/Soni, Nara, Japan
- 2018 "Strange Hometown / Familiar Strange Land" Kawaguchi Art Gallery ATLIA, Saitama, Japan
- 2017 "GOTENYAMA ART & TECHNOLOGY WEEK 2017" Gotenyama, Tokyo, Japan

- “ART PROJECT TAKASAKI 2017” Around Takasaki Station West Exit, Gunma, Japan
- 2016 “Useful Or Not” O’PLAZA Shopping Mall, Shenzhen, China
 “KENPOKU ART 2016” 6 cities in the northern Ibaraki Prefecture, Japan
- 2015 “Sapporo Art Stage 2015” CHI · KA · HO, Hokkaido, Japan
 “Osaka Canvas2015” Osaka Central Public Hall/Nakanoshima/Water Corridor, Osaka, Japan
 “The Museum Travel With Children” The Utsukushi-ga-hara Open-air Museum, Nagano, Japan
 “AMIT 2015” Marunouchi, Tokyo, Japan
 “LUMINE meets ART AWARD 2014 The Award Winner's Exhibition” LUMINE Shinjuku, Tokyo, Japan
- 2014 the MOTHER of DESIGN meets Cosmos “COSMIC GIRLS” Marunouchi House, Tokyo, Japan
 “ICC Kids Program 2014 Inspiring Questions - Questioning Inspiration” NTT Inter Communication Center [ICC] , Tokyo, Japan
- 2011 “Tokyo Designers Week” Meijijingu Gaien, Tokyo, Japan
 “Aosando Art Fair” H.P.France Ba to Ma, Tokyo, Japan
- 2010 “Shibuya Style” Alternative Space, Seibu Department Shibuya Store, Tokyo, Japan
 “Make: Tokyo Meeting 05” Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan
- 2009 “Japanese Spirits” Opera Gallery, Budapest, Hungary
 “Make: Tokyo Meeting 03” Digital Hollywood University, Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 “Experience Communication” Communications Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 2004 “The 7th Japan Media Arts Festival at Fukuoka” Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan
 “Imagination of Information Art” Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan
 “The 7th Japan Media Arts Festival” Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan
- 2003 “Kinetic Art Exhibition 2003” PCA Life Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

●Selected Talks

- 2021 “SHARE LOUNGE, Powered by PechaKucha” TSUTAYA DAIKANYAMA, Tokyo, Japan
 “META Tourism Symposium Art and META Tourism” Online
 With Takahiro Saito, Yasunori Tamaki
- 2020 “MIND TRAIL Artist Talk #01 YOSHINO” Kinpusenji Temple, Nara, Japan
- 2019 “The child “and” the learning” considered from the angle of the art” SPIRAL, Tokyo, Japan
- 2018 “Artist Talk” Kawaguchi Art Gallery ATLIA, Saitama, Japan
- 2017 “KENPOKU ART Supporter Session” Unoshima Villa, Ibaraki, Japan
 With Fumio Nanjo/Moderator Nanana Kanmuri

- “APT Artist Talk” ART PROJECT TAKASAKI 2017, Takasaki, Gunma, Japan
Moderator Yoshiyuki Ito
- “Sekai Wo Amikurumanight” Shigoto Bar, Little Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
- “PechaKuchaNight Tokyo vol.149” Roppongi SuperDeluxe, Tokyo, Japan
- “Hills Breakfast Vol.72” Roppongi Hills Hills Cafe/Space, Tokyo, Japan
- “Ibaraki Art Meeting 2017” Mito Lifelong Learning Center, Ibaraki, Japan
With Erika Yonezawa, Nanana Kanmuri, Akira Watanabe
- 2015 “Connect with Art” KENPOKU ART 2016 Pre event, Roze Hall, Ibaraki, Japan
With Jun Kitazawa/Moderator Yukiko Shikata
- “Technology and Creative” Fab Meetup, FabCafe, Tokyo, Japan
With Aki Inomata, Masaaki Sugimoto/Moderator Toshiya Fukuda
- “Design The Future” AMIT2015 Symposium, Tokyo International Forum,
Tokyo, Japan
With Tomoko Ashikawa, Hiroshi Kato, Daito Manabe(Video appearance), Ei
Wada/Moderator Yukiko Shikata
- 2013 “Is it possible to express warmth with Fab?” Tokyo Art Research Lab vol.7,
Fabcafe, Tokyo, Japan
With Kimura/Moderator Tomohiro Okada

●Artist In Residence

- 2021 Kamoe Art Center, Shizuoka, Japan
- 2021 “BnA Alter Museum Artist-in-residence program” BnA Alter Museum, Kyoto,
Japan
- 2016 “City is Our Artwork! Urban Knitting Art Project” Shenzhen, China
- 2009 FM81.3 J-WAVE “MODAISTA Traveliving Project” Gold Coast, Australia

●Publication

- 2016 『Wrap the World by Knitting』 Yosensha Publishing Co.Ltd.
- 2011 zine 『Knitting Knitting World future』 Self-published

●Selected Competitions and Awards

- 2014 LUMINE meets ART AWARD 2014(Japan), Grand Prize, "Knit Invader",
Installation
YouFab Global Creative Awards 2014(Japan), Finalist, "Traveling Knitting
Machine", Performance
- 2007 Kobe Biennale 2007 Robot Media Art Competition(Japan), Prize, “ManGlobe”,
Interactive Art
Hunt for This Century's Leonardo da Vinci! International Art Triennale
(Japan), Prize, "超現実的の西班牙旅行相関図", Mixed Media
- 2004 The 7th Japan Media Arts Festival(Japan), Art category, Nomination,
"ManGlobe", Interactive Art
- 2003 The 9th Computer Graphics Contest for Students(Japan), Interactive Art
category, Grand Prize, "ManGlobe", Interactive Art

●Education

2004

BFA, Department of Information Design, Tama Art University