



Toru Ishii

Born in 1981 in Shizuoka, Japan

Currently lives and works in Tokyo, Japan

Education

- 2014 Tokyo University of the Arts, Ph.D. Textile Arts
- 2010 Tokyo University of the Arts, M.A. Textile Arts
- 2008 Chelsea College of arts and design, M.A. Textile Design, Exchange Student Program
- 2006 Tokyo University of the Arts, B.A. Textile Arts

Solo Exhibitions

- 2020 *Collage and Staining*, COURTYARD HIROO, Tokyo, Japan
- 2018 *Metropolitan Moment*, Sokyo Gallery, Kyoto, Japan
Sanshin Gallery Zen, Shizuoka, Japan
Bijinga, Fizrovia Gallery, London, UK
- 2014 *Metropolitan Moment*, Daiwa Anglo Japanese Foundation, London
- 2012 *Contemporary Life*, Ise Cultural Foundation Front Space Gallery, New York
- 2011 *Toru Ishii*" Tokyo Opera City Art Gallery, Project N46, Tokyo

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2020 PERMANENT EXHIBITION, Victoria and Albert Museum, London
- 2019 *ASSORTED CHOCOLATES*, ANA Ineter Continental Tokyo, Tokyo
KUROOBIANACONDA 01 KIRIMI, GINZA SIX, Tokyo
- 2018 *Trans National Tokyo*, Valleta, Tokyo
TOUCH, Atelier Brancs Manteaux, Paris
Artist Social Re Production KCUA Gallery, Kyoto
- 2017 *WORLDS KOGEI 100*, Toyama Prefecture Museum, Toyama
LIGHT SGRAFFITO, Victoria and Albert Museum, London
IMAYO, The Shoto Art Museum, Tokyo
- 2016 *IMAYO*, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu
IMAYO, University of Hawaii, Honolulu
NEO NIPPONICA, Victoria and Albert Museum, London
- 2014 *KIZASHI*, POLA MUSEUM ANNEX, Tokyo
Kiss the heart #3, Mistukoshi Isetan, Tokyo
- 2013 *EDO POP*, Japan Society Gallery, New York
Weird World, ISE Cultural Foundation Gallery, New York
Look East! 2, Mizuma Gallery, Singapore

Awards/Grants

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- 2017 *The Annex Collection Acquisition*
- 2015 *Program of Oversea Study, Agency for Cultural Affairs Government of Japan*
- 2013 *Doctoral Program Final Exhibition, Nomura Art Prize, YOSHINO GYPSUM ART FOUNDATION Grant*
- 2011 *Nomura Foundation Grant, Mitsubishi Corporation Art Gate Program Grant Ise Cultural Foundation Exhibition, David Solo Award*

Public Collection

Tokyo University of the Arts Museum, Tokyo
Victoria and Albert Museum, London
Morikami Museum, Miami