



FUMIE SASAI

BIOGRAPHY

Fumie SASAI (1973, Osaka)

Present: Associate Professor, Kyoto City University of Arts

1996 B.F.A., Kyoto City University of Arts, Kyoto

1998 M.F.A., Kyoto City University of Arts, Kyoto

2003 Special Intern, Chiang Mai University, Thailand

2004 Artist in Residence, Chiang Mai University, Thailand

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015 Laque Sculptée par SASAI Fumie, Mizen Fine Arts, Paris

2013 Takashimaya Nihonbashi, Nihonbashi/Osaka/ Yokohama Takashimaya

2010 Gallery Caption, Gifu

2009 ITOSHIKI Ka-Ta-Chi (Lovely Shapes), Toyota Municipal Museum of Art, Aichi

2007 Gallery Kian, Kyoto
Gallery Enbu, Aichi

2006 Silver Shell, Kyobashi, Tokyo

2005 The Art Gallery, The Japan Foundation, Bangkok, Thailand (also in '04)

2003 Chiang Mai University Art Museum, Chiang Mai, Thailand

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2018 URUSHI_ISM II: Contemporary Japanese Lacque, ESH Gallery, Milan, Italy
COLLECT, Saatchi Gallery, London, U.K

Japanese Lacquer at present, Nihonbashi Mitsukoshi, Japan

Master Piece London, The Royal Hospital Chelsea London, U.K

Beyond Boundaries: A Future of Traditional Decorative Arts, Ginza WAKO Hall, Tokyo

2016 Art Stage Singapore, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore

Takashimaya Charitable Trust for Art and Culture Prize, Selection Exhibition, Takashimaya Nihonbashi,



Tokyo, Japan

Master Piece London, The Royal Hospital Chelsea London, U.K

Craft Arts: Innovation of "Tradition and Avant-Garde" and the Present Day, National Museum of Modern

Art Tokyo

National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, Japan

Beyond Boundaries: A Future of Traditional Decorative Arts 2016, Takashimaya Osaka, Japan

Urushi_ism: Contemporary Lacquer from Japan, ESH Gallery, Milan, Italy

2015 Nippon! Contemporary Arts and Crafts from Japan, ESH Gallery, Milan, Italy

Dialogue with Materials: Contemporary Japanese Fine Arts and Crafts, Anadolu, University Contemporary

Art Museum, Eskisehir, Turkey

COLLECT, Saatchi Gallery, London, U.K

PAD London Art & Design, Berkeley Square, London, U.K

The world of Urushi and Ghost, Wajima Museum of Urushi Art, Ishikawa

REVELATIONS, GRAND PALAIS PARIS, Paris, France

Urushi Mountains, Hankyu Umeda, Osaka

Collected Items, The museum of Modern Art Ibaraki, Ibaraki

Forms of Urushi, Gallery Sokyō, Kyoto

2014 URUSHI: Couleurs et formes des Laques Japonaises contemporaines, Mizen Fine Arts, Paris

Dialogue with Materials: Contemporary Japanese Arts and Crafts, Ahmed

Adnen Saygun Sanat Merkezi, Izmir, Turkey

Beyond Boundaries A Future of Traditional Decorative Arts, Ginza WAKO Hall, Tokyo

2013 "Not-know" Suggestions, The Museum of Modern Art, Ibaraki

Art of KOGEI – Spirit of Kyoto, Shinshu Takato Art Museum, Nagano; Vietnam Fine Arts Museum, Hanoi;
and Chushin Art Museum, Kyoto

2012 New Vibrance in International Woman's Urushi Art, Tokyo, Kyoto, Fukushima

2011 Flawless, Contemporary Japanese Lacquer, Cavin Morris Gallery, NY

Japanese Modern Arts and Artists in Ibaraki, The museum of Modern Art, Ibaraki

Contemporary Kogei Art Fair, Tokyo International Forum, Tokyo

2010 Kyoto Crafts Biennale, Invited Artist Section, The Museum of Kyoto, Kyoto

AWARDS

2015 The Kyoto Prefecture Cultural Prize, Encouragement Award Takashimaya Charitable Trust for Art and Culture Prize

2014 The Best Young Artist Award by City of Kyoto



PUBLIC COLLECTION

Museum of Fine Arts Boston, MA

Minneapolis Institute of Arts, MN

Toyota Municipal Museum of Art, Aichi, Japan

The Museum of Modern Art, Ibaraki, Japan

The Ritz-Carlton Kyoto, Japan

National Museum Guimet, Paris, France

Philadelphia Museum of Art, PA, USA

Victoria & Albert Museum, London, U.K.

Takashimaya Historical Museum, Osaka, Japan

The Museum of Modern Art, Ibaraki, Japan, Kassel, Germany