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Lives and works in Tokyo. (b)1986, Sendai, Miyagi, Japan

# Education

2012 Master of Art and Design in Photography, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan 2009 Bachelor of Art and Design in Photography, Art and Design, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan 2009 Certification in Curatorial Studies, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan

# Work Experiences

2015-2016 Office Assistant: Language and Culture Studies, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan 2012-2014 Office Assistant: Humanity and Sciences Studies, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan 2009-2010 Technical Assistant: Photography Center, Tokyo University of the Arts, Tokyo, Japan

# Solo Exhibitions

2024 *Known Unknown*, Communication Gallery Fugensha, Tokyo, Japan 2024 *Anonymous Danes*, Nikon Salon, Tokyo, Japan 2023 Iwauko Murakami Special Exhibition, TURN ANOTHER ROUND, Miyagi, Japan

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- 2022 Known Unknown, Gallery TURNAROUND, Miyagi, Japan
- 2022 The 23rd Miki Jun Award Winner Exhibition Known Unknown, Nikon Salon, Tokyo, Japan
- 2021 Known Unknown, Nikon Salon, Tokyo, Japan
- 2015 HOME works 2015, Tokyo Wonder Site SHIBUYA, Tokyo, Japan
- 2012 HOME works 2011, Gallery NIW, Tokyo, Japan
- 2012 Master Degree Show OBOE, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan
- 2009 Degree Show *i seesawing*, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan

# Group Exhibitions

2023 A LITTLE PERFECT LOVER, TURN ANOTHER ROUND, Miyagi, Japan 2023 A LITTLE PERFECT LOVER, MATSUMOTO Architecture+Art Festival, Nagano, Japan 2023 A LITTLE PERFECT LOVER, Communication Gallery Fugensha, Tokyo, Japan 2017 Kanzan Gallery Curatorial Exchange "Text & Image" Vol.3 Photographs Shall Narrate, Kanzan Gallery, Tokyo, Japan 2016 Red Brick Photography Exhibition, Higashikawa International Photography Festival, Hokkaido Japan 2015 Shibuya Egg, Shibuya Ward Office, Tokyo, Japan 2015 ISSP2015 Final Exhibition, Kuldiga Town Exhibition Hall, Kuldiga, Latvia 2014 TOKYO WONDER WALL 2014, Museum of Contemporary Art Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan 2013 THINK LESS FEEL MORE, Bo Concept SHINJUKU, Tokyo, Japan 2013 New Cosmos of Photography Sendai Exhibition 2013, Sendai Mediatheque, Miyagi, Japan 2013 80. ROCKET presents 20 HOST in ROCKET 1212/Photo Day, ROCKET, Tokyo, Japan 2012 New Cosmos of Photography Tokyo Exhibition 2012, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan 2010 THE EXPOSED #5, Contemporary Art Space Osaka, Osaka, Japan 2009 Selected Works from Degree Show, Musashino Art University, Tokyo, Japan 2009 pic port, SPACE/ANNEX, Tokyo, Japan 2008 Hundred Sights of Kawaguchi, Kawaguchi Art Gallery ATLIA, Saitama, Japan 2008 Sai-Sei, BankART NYK, Kanagawa, Japan

## Photo Books

2021 *Known Unknown*, Fugensha

2021 Known Unknown, Self-publishing

2013 Es winkt zu Fühlung fast aus allen Dingen, Self-publishing

### Awards and Grants

2023 Passport Program, EU-Japan Fest Japan Committee, Japan
2022 The 23rd Miki Jun Award, Nikon Salon, Japan
2021 #TuneUpforECoC, EU-Japan Fest Japan Committee, Japan
2017 Second Place: Portfolio Review Award, Higashikawa International Photography Festival, Japan
2016 Honorable Mention: International Photography Awards IPA 2016 (Deeper Perspective), USA
2016 Nominee: Fine Art Photography Awards 2nd Edition (Open Theme), USA
2016 Selection: The 31st Chelsea International Fine Art Competition, USA
2016 Selection: The 14th 1\_WALL Photography, Japan
2015 Fellowship: ISSP2015, The Town Government of Higashikawa, Japan
2012 Honorable Mention: New Cosmos of Photography 2012, Japan
2013 Second Place: Asahi Advertising Award, Japan
2009 Excellent prize of degree works, Musashino Art University, Japan

2008 Selection: Hundred Sights of Kawaguchi, Japan

#### Others

2022 Poetry Book: A LITTLE PERFECT LOVER by Kotaro Iizawa, Fugensha, Japan

2022 Magazine: Sendai Jiyujin Club, Japan

2022 Newspaper: Kahoku Shinpou, Japan

2021 Web Media: AERA dot., Japan

2018 Poster: Koganecho Bazaar 2018 Flying Supermarket associated with Red Profile, Japan

2018 Event: Juried Portfolio Review, SHIOGAMA PHOTO FESTIVAL 2018, Japan

2017 Project: FF Conversation powered by Fast Forward -Women in Photography, UK

2017 Magazine: *PHaT PHOTO vol.98*, Japan

2016 Web Gallery: Fast Forward -Women in Photography, UK

2016 Magazine: YET issue #10 -Studying Photography, Switzerland

2015 Catalogue: European Eyes on Japan / Japan Today vol.17, EU-Japan Fest Japan Committee, Japan

2015 Event: The 12th Japanese Association of Qualitative Psychology, Miyagi University of Education, Japan

2015 Event: ISSP2015 "Human Nature" By Anna Fox, in cooperation with Andrew Bruce, Latvia

2013 Event: TOKYO ART BOOK FAIR 2013, Japan

2012 Event: MAU+KKH Art Workshop IN STOCKHOLM, Royal Institute of Art, Sweden

2009 Event: Juried Portfolio Review, SHIOGAMA PHOTO FESTIVAL 2009, Japan

2009 Event: Juried Portfolio Review, TOKYO PORTFOLIO REVIEW Vol.2, TOKYO WONDER SITE HONGO, Japan