

**Ken Mihara**

1958, Japan

**SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2022 Sei (Awakening) II - Memories in Clay by Ken Mihara, A Lighthouse called Kanata, Tokyo, Japan
- 2020 Sei (Awakening), A Lighthouse called Kanata, Japan
- 2019 Idyllical Sculptures, Galerie Mayaro, Paris, France
- 2018 Ku On, Yufuku Gallery, Japan
- 2016 Kei - Memories in Clay, Japan Creative Centre/Mulan Gallery, Singapore
- 2015 Kei by Ken Mihara, Galerie Marianne Heller, Heidelberg, Germany
- 2010 Utsuwa Nanohana Gallery, Odawara, Kanagawa, Japan  
Galerie Besson, London, UK
- 2009 'Ho' Aso Bijyutsu, Ginza, Tokyo, Japan  
Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 Joan B. Mirviss Ltd. at SOFA New York, New York, USA
- 2007 Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
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- 2004 Aso Bijutsu, Tokyo, Japan  
Galerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan
- 2003 Takashimaya Art Gallery, Osaka, Japan  
Takashimaya Art Gallery, Yonago, Tottori Prefecture, Japan  
Art Salon Kôgen, Nagoya, Aichi Prefecture, Japan  
Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2002 International Asia-Pacific Contemporary Ceramics Invitational Exhibition, Yingge Ceramics Museum, Taiwan  
Aso Bijutsu, Tokyo, Japan  
Ichibata Art Gallery, Matsue, Shimane prefecture, Japan  
Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2001 Shukokan Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2000 Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan  
Galerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan

- 1998 Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan  
Gallerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan
- 1997 Yufuku Gallery, Tokyo, Japan  
Nanba Takashimaya Gallery, Osaka, Japan
- 1996 Gallerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan
- 1995 Mitsukoshi Nihonbashi Gallery, Tokyo, Japan  
Nanba Takashimaya Gallery, Osaka, Japan
- 1993 Nanba Takashimaya Gallery, Osaka, Japan
- 1992 Gallerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan
- 1990 Gallerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan
- 1989 Gallerie Pousse, Ginza, Japan

#### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 The Fourth Dimension: To the Future of Vessels, Mashiko Museum of Ceramic Art, Tochigi, Japan  
Pure Form: Japanese Sculptural Ceramics, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia  
A Lighthouse called Kanata New York Pop-Up, USA  
Masterpiece London, UK
- 2021 The Secret Show, A Lighthouse called Kanata, Tokyo, Japan  
Reopening Ceremony, A Lighthouse called Kanata, Tokyo, Japan  
C ramique Japonaise, Centre C ramique contemporaine La Borne, France  
The Armory Show, New York, USA  
Untitled Art Miami Beach, USA
- 2020 Opening Ceremony, A Lighthouse called Kanata, Japan
- 2019 Ceramic Expressions (3<sup>rd</sup> Edition), Mulan Gallery, Singapore  
Fine Art Asia, Hong Kong  
Clay and Abstraction: When Memories Become Form, Mashiko Museum of Ceramic Art, Japan  
West Bund Art and Design, Shanghai, China  
Seattle Art Fair, USA
- 2018 Palm Beach Modern + Contemporary, USA  
Seattle Art Fair, USA
- 2017 TEFAF New York Spring, USA

- 2016 Spring Masters New York, USA
- 2014 Tales Entwined as One - Shigekazu Nagae and Ken Mihara Exhibition, Yufuku Gallery, Japan  
Japan Clark Art Institute Opening Exhibition, Art Miami, USA
- 2013 TEFAC Maastricht, The Netherlands  
Serenity in Clay, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2010 Ken Mihara and Shihoko Fukumoto, Galerie Besson, London, UK  
The 10th the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Exhibition of Japanese Art, Tokyo Bijutsu Club, Japan
- 2009 Collect: the International Art Fair for Contemporary Objects, Saatchi Gallery, London, UK  
Breaking from Tradition Japanese Ceramics Today, Harvey/Meadows Gallery, Aspen in  
conjunction with Joan B. Mirviss Gallery, New York, USA  
Mirai no takaramono: The Future's Treasures, Takashimaya Art Gallery, Nihonbashi, Osaka,  
Shinjuku, Kyoto, Japan
- 2008 Collect: the International Art Fair for Contemporary Objects, Victoria and Albert Museum,  
London
- 2007 Invitation to the World of Contemporary Ceramic, Museum of Ceramic Art, Hyogo
- 2006 "Ceramic Art Grand Prize Exhibition", Paramita Museum  
"Contemporary Ceramics for the Tea Ceremony, Free Creativity and Atypical Usage",  
Musée Tomo, Tokyo, Japan  
Asian Ceramic Delta-Japan, Korean and Taiwan  
"Arts of the Tea Ceremony", The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan
- 2005 Wege zur Japanischen Keramik: Tradition in der Gegenwart, Museum für Ostasiatische  
Kunst zu Berlin  
Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan
- 2004 Contemporary Ceramics of Sanyô and Sanin, Higashi-Hiroshima City Museum, Japan  
Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan
- 2003 Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan
- 2002 International Asia-Pacific Contemporary Ceramics, Yingge Ceramics Museum, Taiwan  
Tea, Zen, Ceramics -The International Living Pottery Art of Taiwan, Japan and Korea, Fo  
Kuang Yuan Art Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan  
The Legacy of Modern Ceramic Art, Museum of Modern Ceramic Art, Gifu, Japan  
Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan
- 2001 Arts of the Tea Ceremony", The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan
- 2000 Asahi Contemporary Crafts Exhibition, Japan  
The Japanese Art of Tea— Modern Teaware from the Collection of the Tanabe Museum,  
Helsinki City Art Museum, Finland

- 1998 Tankô Biennale, Tea-ware Museum, Kyoto, Japan
- 1996 Hana-no-sumika, Daimaru Museum, Tokyo, Japan  
Tankô Biennale, Tea-ware Museum, Kyoto, Japan  
Flower Vessel Biennale, The Sôgetsu Museum, Tokyo
- 1995 Vessels for Bonsai Exhibition, Japan  
Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan  
Japan Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1994 Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan  
Asahi Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1993 Ceramics Biennale  
Japan Traditional Arts and Crafts Exhibition, Chûgoku division, Japan
- 1992 Arts of the Tea Ceremony, The Tanabe Museum of Art, Matsue City, Shimane, Japan  
Entry to International Ceramics Festival Mino, Gifu, Japan
- 1991 Chôza Award Ceramic Exhibition, Japan  
Japan Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1990 Asahi Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1989 Japan Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1988 Japan Traditional Arts and Crafts Exhibition, Chûgoku division, Japan  
Asahi Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan  
San-in Craft Arts Exhibition, Japan
- 1987 San-in Craft Arts Exhibition, Japan
- 1986 San-in Craft Arts Exhibition, Japan

## AWARDS

- 2009 Cultural Encouragement Award, Shizuoka Prefecture, Japan
- 2008 Japan Ceramic Society Prize  
Grand Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2006 Award, Paramita Ceramics Competition, Paramita Museum, Japan (Grand Prize)  
Contemporary Ceramics for the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Musée Tomo, Tokyo, Japan  
Award of Excellence, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2005 Award of Excellence, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan

- 2004 Incentive Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2003 Incentive Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2002 Energia Art Award  
Incentive Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2001 Grand Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 1998 Entry to the Tankô Biennale, Tea-ware Museum, Kyoto, Japan
- 1996 Grand Prize, Hana-no-sumika Exhibition, Daimaru Museum, Tokyo, Japan  
Entry to the Tankô Biennale, Tea-ware Museum, Kyoto, Japan  
Entry to the Flower Vessel Biennale, The Sôgetsu Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 1995 Award of Excellence, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan  
Award of Excellence, Vessels for Bonsai Exhibition, Japan
- 1994 Incentive Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 1993 Governor's prize, Japan Traditional Arts and Crafts Chûgoku division, Japan
- 1992 Incentive Prize, Arts of the Tea Ceremony Exhibition, Tanabe Museum, Shimane, Japan  
Entry to International Ceramics Festival Mino, Gifu, Japan
- 1991 Entry to the Chôza Award Ceramic Exhibition, Japan  
Entry to the Exhibition of Unglazed Ceramic Competition, Japan
- 1989 Entry to Japan Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1988 Governor's prize, Japan Traditional Arts and Crafts Chûgoku division, Japan  
Entry to Asahi Ceramic Art Exhibition, Japan
- 1986 Entry to San-in Craft Arts Exhibition, Japan
- 1985 Shimane Prefecture Craft Arts Association Prize, Japan

#### PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Metropolitan Museum of Art, USA  
New Orleans Museum of Art, USA  
Museum of Ceramic Art, Japan  
Gifu Ceramics Museum, Japan  
Philadelphia Museum of Art, USA  
Victoria and Albert Museum, UK  
Los Angeles County Museum of Art, USA  
Yale University Museum of Art, USA

Peabody Essex Museum, USA  
National Museum of Modern Art, Japan  
Takagi Bonsai Museum, Japan  
Tanabe Art Museum, Japan  
East-Hiroshima City Museum, Japan  
Tokyo Sankei Building, Japan  
The Gotoh Museum, Japan  
Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art  
Cornell University, USA  
Mary And Jackson Burke Foundation, USA  
Minneapolis Institute of Art, USA  
Musée Tomo, Japan  
Aichi Prefectural Ceramic Museum, Japan  
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, USA  
Chazen Museum of Art, University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA  
Shimane Art Museum, Japan  
Aichi Prefectural Ceramic Museum, Japan  
La Casa de Japón, Argentina  
National Gallery of Australia, Australia  
Canberra University Art Museum, Australia  
Spencer Museum of Art, USA  
The Museum of Asian Art, Berlin, Germany  
Walters Art Gallery, Baltimore, USA  
Brooklyn Museum, NYC, USA  
Asian Art Museum, San Francisco, USA  
Lotte Reimers-Stiftung, Deidesheim, Germany  
Grassi museum of Art, Germany  
The Japan Foundation, Japan  
Embassy of Japan (Japan Creative Center), Singapore  
Mint Museum, USA  
Musée Ariana, Switzerland  
Musée Cernuschi, France  
Mashiko Museum of Ceramic Art, Japan  
Ibaraki Ceramic Art Museum, Japan