

Curriculum Vitae

- 1978 born in Hirosaki, JAPAN - lives and works in Munich, GERMANY
- 1996 - 98 Yamanashi Institute of Gemology and Jewelry Art, Kofu, JAPAN
- 1998 - 99 Hochschule für Gestaltung Pforzheim with Prof. Rudolf Bott and Prof. Johanna Dahm, GERMANY
- 2000 - 06 Academy of Fine Arts Munich with Prof. Otto Künzli, GERMANY
- 2004 Meisterschüler at Academy of Fine Arts Munich, GERMANY
- 2006 Diploma at Academy of Fine Arts Munich, GERMANY
- 2009 - 2015 Assistant Professor at the Academy of Fine Arts Munich, department of jewelry, GERMANY
- since 2005 Studio in Munich

Solo exhibitions:

- 2005 *BLENDABLE*, Galerie OONA, Berlin, GERMANY
- 2006 *EXTROVERT*, O-Jewel, Tokyo, JAPAN
- 2008 *MOMENTOPIA*, Deutsches Goldschmiedehaus, Hanau, GERMANY
MOMENTOPIA, Klimt02 Gallery, Barcelona, SPAIN
MOMENTOPIA, Galerie OONA, Berlin, GERMANY
MOMENTOPIA, O-Jewel, Tokyo, JAPAN
FULL DUPLEX, Ornamentum Gallery, Hudson with Stefan Heuser, USA
THINGS OF VALUE, Harappa gallery, Hirosaki, JAPAN
- 2009 *MOMENTOPIA*, Galerie Rob Koudijs, Amsterdam, THE NETHERLANDS
Zeitfassungen, Eva Maisch Schmuck, Würzburg with Bettina Speckner, GERMANY
MOMENTOPIA, Gallery Hnoss, Gothenburg, SWEDEN
- 2010 *MOMENTOPIA*, Galería Mexicana de Diseño, Mexico City, MEXICO
MOMENTOPIA, Galerie Jungblut, Luxembourg, LEXEMBOURG
ARBORESQUE, Galerie Biro, Munich, GERMANY
- 2011 *ARBORESQUE*, SOFA New York by Ornamentum Gallery, USA
ARBORESQUE, galerie viceversa, Lausanne, SWITZERLAND
ARBORESQUE, O-Jewel, Tokyo, JAPAN
- 2012 *ARBORESQUE*, gallery vivekkevin, Ho Chi Minh City, VIETNAM
ARBORESQUE, Gallery Pascale, Stockholm, SWEDEN
- 2013 *ARBORESQUE*, Galeria Nudo, San Miguel de Allende, MEXICO
BI, OONA Galerie, Berlin, GERMANY
- 2014 *BI*, Galerie Rob Koudijs, Amsterdam, THE NETHERLANDS
BI, O-Jewel, Tokyo, JAPAN
- 2015 *dark to light to dark*, Gallery Funaki, Melbourne, AUSTRALIA
Around and Around, Villa Bengel, Idar-Oberstein, GERMANY
BORDER, Klimt02 Gallery, Barcelona, SPAIN
- 2016 *FLARE*, Collective Design Fair with Ornamentum Gallery, New York City, USA
FLARE, ATTA Gallery, Bangkok, THAILAND
JIRO KAMATA, Galerie Four, Gothenburg, SWEDEN
GHOST, Galerie Rob Koudijs, Amsterdam, THE NETHERLANDS
- 2017 *EMERGE*, Galerie Beyond, Antwerp, BELGIUM
GHOST, Galerie Biro, Munich, GERMANY
GHOST, OONA Galerie, Berlin, GERMANY
Multiple-Solo, multiple, Hasselt, BELGIUM

- 2018 *Battle of Magenta*, super+ CENTERCOUT, with Noon Passama, Munich, GERMANY
Exposition, Galerie Jungblut, Luxembourg, LUXEMBOURG
MOTHER, Galerie Rob Koudijs, Amsterdam, THE NETHERLANDS
- 2019 *EXTENDED DEFINITION*, Gallery Funaki, Melbourne, AUSTRALIA
VOICES, ALIEN Art Centre, Kaohsiung, TAIWAN
- 2020 *VOICES*, Bayerischer Kunstgewerbeverein, Munich, GERMANY
- 2021 *VOICES*, Galerie Rob Koudijs, Amsterdam, THE NETHERLANDS
HOLON, Ornamentum Gallery, Hudson, USA
HOLON, gallery deux poisons, Tokyo, JAPAN

Selected Group Exhibitions:

since 1999 Germany, The Netherlands, Sweden, Finland, Belgium, UK, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Switzerland, USA, Mexico, Chile, Japan, China, Australia, New Zealand, Vietnam, Thailand and Taiwan

Projects:

- 2008 *Angriff die Waldfee*, Wittenbrink Fünfhöfe, Munich, GERMANY
 Alexander Blank, Stefan Heuser, Christian Hoedl, Jiro Kamata
- 2009 *Oben Hart oder der Abschied vom Ösensystem*, Wittenbrink Fünfhöfe, Munich, GERMANY
 Alexander Blank, Stefan Heuser, Christian Hoedl, Jiro Kamata
- 2011 *Rebellen der Liebe, Kunstarkaden*, Munich, GERMANY
 Alexander Blank, Stefan Heuser, Christian Hoedl, Jiro Kamata
- 2015 *Lux is the Dealer*, Kunstpavillon, Munich, GERMANY
 Alexander Blank, Kiko Gianocca, Stefan Heuser, Melanie Isverding, Jiro Kamata, Noon Passama
- 2016 *everyday epics*, Kunstpavillon, Munich, GERMANY
 Alexander Blank, Kiko Gianocca, Sophie Hanagarth, Jing He, Jiro Kamata, Florian Weichsberger

Awards:

- 1998 Excellence Prize, Asahi Modern Craft Exhibition, JAPAN
- 2003 Jury Prize, Itami International Craft Exhibition, JAPAN
- 2006 City of Goldsmith Award, City of Hanau, GERMANY
- 2011 Förderpreis Award, City of Munich, GERMANY
- 2017 Bavarian Studio Grant Program for Artists, Munich, GERMANY
- 2019 Sponsorship Award from Prinzregent-Luitpold Stiftung, Munich, GERMANY

Teaching assignments:

- 2007 Workshop *Snap Shot*, Staatliche Zeichenakademie, Hauau, GERMANY
- 2009 Workshop *Snap Shot*, Hiko-Mizuno College of Jewelry, Tokyo, JAPAN
- 2011 Workshop *Snap Shot*, Konstfack/ University College of Arts, Crafts and Design, Stockholm, SWEDEN
- 2012 Workshop *MA* with Sayumi Yokouchi, Buenos Aires, ARGENTINA
- 2013 Traveling Workshop *A piece of reality*, Mexico City, Guadalajara/ MEXICO, Santiago/ CHILE, San Jose/ COSTA RICA
- 2015 Workshop *A piece of reality*, College of Art and Design, Beijing University of Technology, Beijing, CHINA
 Workshop *Mirror, mirror on the wall*, RMIT University, Melbourne, AUSTRARIA
- 2018 Workshop *Mirror, mirror on the wall*, Estonian Academy of Arts, Tallinn, ESTONIA
 Workshop *Mirror, mirror on the wall*, WALKA Studio, Santiago, CHILE
- 2019 Workshop *Mirror, mirror on the wall*, Tainan National University of the Fine Arts, Tainan, TAIWAN

Public Collections:

Die Neue Sammlung, Pinakothek der Moderne Munich, GERMANY

Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe Hamburg, GERMANY

Deutsches Goldschmiedehaus Hanau, GERMANY

Museum Biedermann, GERMANY

Jakob Bengel-Stiftung, GERMANY

Hiko-Mizuno Collection, JAPAN

Swiss National Museum, SWITZERLAND

Espace Solidor, Musée du Bijoux, FRANCE

Museum of Fine Arts Boston, USA

Corning Museum of Glass, USA

Cooper Hewitt Design Museum, USA

Gallery of Art Legnica, POLAND

Françoise van den Bosch Foundation, NEDERLANDS

Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, NEDERLANDS

Marzee Collection, NEDERLANDS

ALIEN Art, Kaohsiung, TAIWAN

Victoria & Albert Museum, UK

The National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, AUSTRALIA

Publications:

2008 MOMENTOPIA, Jiro Kamata / Deutsches Goldschmiedehaus Hanau

2012 ARBORESQUE, Jiro Kamata / Kulturreferat der Landeshauptstadt München

2019 VOICES, Jiro Kamata / Arnoldsche Art Publishers, Stuttgart