



catherine edelman gallery

HIROSHI WATANABE

Born: Sapporo, Japan, 1951

Awards

2009 Hearst 8x10 Photography Biennial
2008 Center Project competition First Prize
2007 Photo City Sagamihara Awards
2006 Photolucida Critical Mass Book Award
2005 Photo Review
Black & White Spider Awards
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2003 International Photography Awards
Photo Review
Advertising Photographers of America, Los Angeles
2002 Print Center
Center for Photographic Art
Photo Review
2001 Advertising Photographers of America, Los Angeles
2000 Advertising Photographers of America, Los Angeles
London Photographic Awards
1996 Western Art Directors Club
1978 Los Angeles Times
1973 Advertising Photographers Association, Japan

Permanent Collections

International Museum of Photography, George Eastman House, Rochester, NY
J. Paul Getty Museum, Malibu, CA
Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA
San Jose Museum of Art, San Jose, CA
Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Santa Barbara, CA

Solo Exhibitions:

2009 "Hiroshi Watanabe: Findings, Suo Sarumawashi, Kabuki," Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

2008 "American Leitmotiv," AD-Galerie, Switzerland
Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, CO
2005 Oswald Gallery, 714 Congress Avenue Suite 200, Austin, TX
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2004 Watermark, Fine Art Photographs and Books, Houston, TX

Group Exhibitions:

2009 "Ideology in Paradise," Friends' Center, Angkor Hospital for Children, Siem Reap, Cambodia ; Osaka Nikon Salon, Osaka, Japan; Kopeikin Gallery, Los Angeles, CA; Ginza Nikon Salon, Tokyo, Japan;
"Summertime," Jenkins-Johnson Gallery,, San Francisco, CA
"Hot Fun in the Summertime," Bonni Benrubi Gallery, New York, NY
"Hearst 8 x 10 Photography Biennial," Hearst Tower, New York, NY
"Connections," Jenkins Johnson Gallery, San Francisco, CA
2008 "Japanese Studies," Gallery Tosei, Tokyo, Japan,
"FOTO8 Award & Summer Show," HOST Gallery, 1 Honduras Street, London, England.
"Photo City Sagamihara," Shinjuku Nikon Salon, Tokyo, Japan
2007 "Photo City Sagamihara", Sagamihara Citizen's Gallery, Kanagawa Prefecture, Japan
Watermark Fine Art Photographs, Houston, TX
"I See Angles Every Day," Osaka Nikon Salon, Osaka, Japan
"Masks and Faces," Gallery Pastrays, Tokyo, Japan
Photo-eye Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
"L'Asie vue par ses artistes," Alliance Francaise de Sapporo, Sapporo, Japan
"Art Ball," Austin Museum of Art, Austin, TX
"East Meets West," Oswald Gallery in connection with Tractorbeam, Dallas, TX
"FACES," Paul Smith SPACE Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
"Observations," Gallery Tosei, Tokyo, Japan
"Photographic Portrait Prize 2006," National Portrait Gallery, London
2006 "Teen Beat," The Society for Contemporary Photography, Kansas City, MO
Gallery in the Garden, Orwigsburg, PA
"In Your Face," ART-MIAMI/Chelsea Galleria, Miami, FL
2005 "Best of Show," Gallery 1401, Philadelphia University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA
"Faces: Kabuki Players," Bonni Benrubi Gallery, New York, NY
Tower Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
"Kabuki," Waywang Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan
"Two Home Countries," Photographic Center Northwest, Seattle, WA
"Anniversary Show," Watermark Fine Art Photographs, Houston, TX
"One Foot After Another," Mark Woolley Gallery, Portland, OR
White Room Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
"Festivals and Rituals," Tepper Takayama Fine Arts, Boston, MA
2004 Bassetti Fine Art Photographs, New Orleans, LA

- 2003 “Portraits: Kabuki,” White Room Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
 “APA: Personal Ads,” Louis Stern Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
 The Photography Room Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
 “Best of Show,” Gallery 1401, Philadelphia University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA

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- 2002 “Inspirations and Interpretations,” White Room Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
 Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, OR
 White Room Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
 “Delicate Objects” The Photography Room Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
 “Vision of Iceland” The Photography Room Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
 “Grand Opening Exhibition,” The Photography Room Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
 “Veiled Observations and Reflections,” White Room Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
 “A Bird Show,” Ricco Maresca Gallery, New York, NY
 “Quiet Observations,” Photo-Eye Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
 “76th Annual International Competition: Photography,” The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA

Publications / Reviews

- 2009 Asahi Camera March issue
 2008 Artworks, Winter issue
 2009 Nikkor Club #207, Japan
 2008 Shukan Kinyobi weekly magazine in Japan
 2008 C International Photo Magazine Number Seven by Ivory Press, UK
 2008 The Sun, July issue #391
 PDN “Exposures,” March issue
 Phot’Art International, No. 9, published in France
 2007 Leben magazine published by German newspaper ZEIT (PDF)
 CRATE “Plaza de Toros” Margins and Mainstreams, University of California, Riverside, CA
 LensWork Interview and Portfolio, May-June issue
 Nikkei Otonano OFF monthly publication in Japan
 Asahi Shinbun newspaper in Japan
 2006 A Collector's Diary Phot’Art International, published in France
 hinism, Issue #7 published by WALL in Japan
 Photo Magazine Romania, published in Romania
 Black & White Photography, Issue #63, published in UK.
 Hokkaido Shinbun, newspaper in Japan
 ZOOM Japan, Vol. 18 published in Japan.
 hinism, Issue #6 published by WALL in Japan
 Gomma, Issue #2 published in UK
 2005 Nueva Luz, Vol.10, No.3, photographic journal published by En Foco
 The Sun, December issue #360
 SHOTS Issue , Summer

2004 The Sun, October issue #346
The Sun, April issue #340
The Photo Review Volume 26 Number 3.
Foto Pozytyw, published in Poland Cover

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2003 The Sun, January issue #337
The Sun, October issue #334
SoHo, June issue, published in Columbia.
The Sun, June issue #330
Orion, January/February issue
2002 The Sun, November issue #323
Mundo Diners, September issue #244 in Ecuador
Black & White Magazine “Spotlight” September issue #21

Book Publications / Monograph

2009 Ideology in Paradise, Mado-Sha, Japan
2007 Findings, published by Photo Lucida
I See Angels Everyday, Mado-Sha, Japan

Education

1993 MBA, UCLA Business School, Los Angeles, CA
1975 Department of Photography, College of Art, at Nihon University, Japan