

# Petzel

## TOMOO GOKITA

Born 1969, Tokyo, Japan  
Lives and works in Tokyo, Japan

## AWARDS

2001 Gold Prize, The Art Directors Club 80<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards, New York

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2023 Petzel Gallery, New York

2021 *Get Down*, Dallas Contemporary, Dallas  
*Fresh*, Blum & Poe, Los Angeles

2020 *MOO*, Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo  
*Game Over*, Massimo De Carlo, Milan

2019 Massimo De Carlo, London

2018 Blum & Poe, Los Angeles  
*PEEKABOO*, Tokyo Opera City Art Gallery, Tokyo  
*HOTEL PARAIISO*, McNamara Art Projects, Hong Kong  
*SHOP*, Taka Ishii Gallery, Hong Kong

2017 *Beauty*, Mary Boone Gallery, New York  
*Holy Cow*, Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo

2016 *Out of Sight*, Mary Boone Gallery, New York

2015 *Damage Control*, Bill Brady Gallery, Miami  
*Bésame Mucho*, Honor Fraser, Los Angeles

2014 *THE GREAT CIRCUS*, Kawamura Memorial DIC Museum of Art, Chiba  
Mary Boone Gallery, New York

2012 *Secret Life*, Bill Brady KC, Kansas City  
*Variety Show*, Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo

2010 *Funland*, Aliceday, Brussels  
*Wildest Dreams*, ATM Gallery, New York

2009 *Heaven*, Honor Fraser Gallery, New York

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- Champion Carnival*, ATM Gallery, New York
- 2008 Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo
- 2007 *Vanity Drunko*, Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2006 *Drunko*, ATM Gallery, New York
- 2005 *FINGER PRINCE*, Gallery Trax, Yamanashi
- 2004 *Black Gainers*, Kyoto Art Zone, Kyoto
- 2003 *Oh! Tengoku*, Kirin Plaza Osaka, Osaka and Nadif Gallery, Tokyo
- 2002 *Tomoo Gokita LP Exhibition??, LOS APSON?*, Tokyo  
*Merron Master Cuts Vol.2*, Yasu Gallery, Tokyo
- 2000 *Lingerie Wrestling*, Shibuya Parco Gallery, Tokyo; Traveled to: Nagoya Parco Gallery, Aichi; Fukuoka Artium, Fukuoka
- 1997 Gallery Trax, Yamanshi

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *The Way I See It: Selections from the Kams Collection*, The Drawing Center, New York
- 2023 *An Apartment for Ghosts: '57-'23*, Petzel Gallery, New York
- 2022 *The Five story about ART – have always been there –*, Okazaki Mindscape Museum, Aichi  
*Lynchland: Genre, Auteurism and a Fish in the Percolator*, Torrance Museum of Art, Torrance
- 2020 *New Images of Man*, Blum & Poe, Los Angeles  
*Tableau and Music NEXT*, Gallery and Spicyfoods P, Tokyo  
*Oketa Collection: A New Decade*, Spiral Garden, Tokyo  
*At The Noyes House Blum & Poe, Mendes Wood DM and Object & Thing*, The Eliot Noyes House, New Cannan
- 2019 *Vong Co RAHZI*, Blum & Poe, Tokyo  
*MCMXXXIV*, Massimo De Carlo, Milano  
*New Image Portrait*, Stems Gallery, Brussels  
*Taka Ishii Gallery 25th Anniversary Group Exhibition: Survived!*, Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo

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- 2018 *Taguchi Collection of 21 st Century Art: From Andy Warhol to Yoshitomo Nara*, Hiratsuka Museum of Art, Kanagawa  
*THE UBIQUITY OF BORDERS : JAPANESE CONTEMPORARY*, Gallery Baton, Seoul  
Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo
- 2017 *Takabashi Collection Mindfulness 2017*, Yamagata Museum of Art, Yamagata  
Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo  
*Third Space / Shifting Conversations about Contemporary Art*, Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham
- 2016 *The Encyclopedia of Masamichi Katayama: Life is hard... Let's go shopping*, Tokyo Opera City Art Gallery, Tokyo  
*Moved*, Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo
- 2015 *A Shared Space*, Newcomb Art Museum, Tulane University, New Orleans
- 2014 'OK, I'll rename it', Bill Brady KC, Kansas City
- 2013 *Wonderful My Art*, Kawaguchiko Museum of Art, Yamanashi  
*20th Anniversary Trax Exhibition*, Gallery Trax, Yamanashi
- 2012 *The Unseen Relationship: Form and Abstraction*, Kawamura Memorial DIC Museum of Art, Chiba
- 2011 *Black and White*, NANZUKA UNDERGROUND, Tokyo
- 2010 *Disorder Disorder – Ulterior Motives in Contemporary Art*, Penrith Regional Gallery, New South Wales  
*The OSARA SHOW – Plate paintings by four artists*, Gallery Target, Tokyo
- 2009 *VOCA 2009 : The Vision of Contemporary Art*, The Ueno Royal Museum, Tokyo  
*Gallery Trax: Selections '09*, Gallery Trax, Yamanashi
- 2008 *Sonic Youth etc.: Sensational Fix*, Le LiFE, St. Nazaire; Traveled to: Museion, Bolzano; Kunsthalle Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf; Malmö Konsthall, Malmö; CA2M Madrid, Madrid
- 2007 *Mail Order Monsters*, Deitch Projects, New York; Traveled to: Andrea Melas Presents, Athens; Peres Projects, Berlin; Max Wigram Gallery, London  
*Summer group show*, Aliceday, Brussels
- 2006 *Gallery Trax: Selections '06*, Gallery Trax, Yamanashi
- 2005 *Remarkable Hands*, ATM Gallery, New York

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- Stranger Town*, Dinter Fine Art, New York
- 2004 *Psionic Distortion*, Super Deluxe, Tokyo
- 2003 *Lead Poisoning*, New Image Art Gallery, Los Angeles  
*Jungle LP Show*, ROCKET, Tokyo
- 2002 *East Meets West*, Coningsby Gallery, London
- 1999 *Group Exhibition*, Gallery Speak For, Tokyo
- 1997 *NYORO-TEN*, P-House, Tokyo
- 1990 *'90 Contemporary Art Festival*, The Museum of Modern Art, Saitama

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 Hoptman, Laura, Nicole Rudick, Rebecca Di Giovanna, and Isabella Kapur. *The Way I See It: Selections from the Kams Collection*. New York: The Drawing Center.
- 2022 *Diary*. Tokyo: 888 Books.  
*Get Down*. Edited by Peter Doroshenko. Dallas: DallasContemporary.
- 2021 *MOO*. Tokyo: Taka Ishii Gallery.  
*Works Copyright*. Los Angeles: BLUM & POE
- 2018 *PEEKABOO*. Tokyo: 888 Books.  
*Tokyo, Japan*. Tokyo: Bijutsu Shuppan-Sha.
- 2017 *Holy Cow*. Tokyo: Taka Ishii Gallery.
- 2015 *777*. Tokyo: 888 Books.  
*Bésame Mucho*, Honor Fraser Gallery
- 2014 *The Great Circus*. Tokyo: Kawamura Memorial DIC Museum of Art.
- 2010 *The Happy Pig*. New York: Decathlon Books.  
*Cum To Me*. Athens: Dynasty Zine.  
*Shuffle Train Songs*. Japan: BCKKS Inc.  
*My Funny Valentine*. New York: Seems
- 2009 Gokita, Tomoo. *Ballet*. Tokyo: Zine's Mate.
- 2006 *LUMEN # 01*, Artbeat Publishers Inc.  
Gokita, Tomoo, and Masayuki Shioda. *Grey Scale*. Tokyo: Artbeat.

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2001 Gokita, Tomoo and Fujio Akatsuka. *Ob! Tengoku (Ob! Heaven)*. Tokyo: Artbeat.

2000 Gokita, Tomoo. *LINGERIE WRESTLING*. New York: Little More.

## **PUBLIC COLLECTIONS**

Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, Ohio

High Museum of Art, Atlanta, Georgia

Marciano Art Foundation, Los Angeles, California

Miyanomori Museum of Art, Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan

Oketa Collection, Tokyo, Japan

Takahashi Collection, Tokyo, Japan

X Museum, Beijing, China