



KAWABATA Kentaro (1976 - )

**FORMAZIONE/EDUCATION**

2000 Diploma, Tajimi City Pottery Design and Technical Center, Gifu

1998 Diploma, Tokyo Designer Institute, Ceramic Department

**PRINCIPALI MOSTRE PERSONALI/MAJOR SOLO EXHIBITION**

2015 Kawabata Kentaro, Savoir Vivre, Tokyo ('04, '05, '07, '12)

2014 Silver Shell, Tokyo

Métamorphoses, Galerie Yakimono, Paris

Gallery Suki, Aichi

Gallery Bogatei, Nagano

2013 Gallery Tousei, Osaka

Gallery Tohka, Miyazaki

Mazuzakaya, Nagoya

2012 Perceptions in Clay, KEIKO Gallery, Boston

KAMOSISUSE, Ohka Shorin, Gifu

Gallery So, Hokkaido Takeshina- Gallery

Bogatei, Nagano

2011 Kuroda Toen, Ginza

K-House Gallery, Tokyo

2010 ZUZUZU, Gallery Shunyo, Gifu

2009 Gion Konishi, Kyoto ('06)



Fused Beauty, KEIKO Gallery, Boston

2008 Ouka Shorin, Nagano

Sinsaibashi Daimaru, Osaka

Gallry Utsuwa-kan, Kyoto

2007 Akamanma, Gunma

2006 Meguro Tohgeikan, Mie ('09)

Bougate, Nagano (08)

2005, Tuchi-no-hana, Tokyo

2004 Kuroda Tohen, Tokyo ('06, '09)

2003 Porcelain Sculpture, Galleria Ceramica, Tokyo

Gallery Kouketsu, Gifu ('07)

2002 Gallery Shunkei, Gifu ('06)

#### PRINCIPALI MOSTRE COLLETTIVE/MAJOR GROUP EXHIBITION

2015 Dialogue with Materials: Contemporary Japanese Fine Arts and Crafts, , Anadolu University Contemporary Art Museum, Eskisehir, Turkey

2014 Dialogue with Materials: Contemporary Japanese Fine Arts and Crafts, AASSM, Izmir, Turkey

Phenomenon of Contemporary Ceramics, Ibaraki Ceramic Art Museum

TAKASHIMAYA MUSEUM of ILLUSION, Tokyo, Kyoto, Nagoya, Osaka

International Japanische Progressive Keramik Trifft auf Japanische Avantgardistische Malerei, Galerie IAC-Berlin-Koigswinter and Tenri Kultur Werkstatt, Cologne

2013 La céramique Japonaise, Association Culturelle Franco-Japonaise de TENRI, Paris, Luxembourg

Traditional and Contemporary, Historical Museum, Pavlikeni, Bulgaria

2012 Ceramics Now Exhibition, 3rd edition, Galatea Gallery, Bucharest, Romania



- 2011 Contemporary Tea Utensils, Ishihara Bijutus, Gifu
  
- 2009 World Ceramic Biennale 2009, Korea  
  
KAWABATA Kentaro and YOKOYAMA Takuya, Gallery SORA, Tokyo  
  
The Power of Decoration - A Viewpoint on Contemporary Kogei (studio craft), The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
  
- 2008 Contemporary Ceramic in Tokai Are for the young artist, Aichi Prefectural Ceramic Museum
  
- 2007 SOFA Chicago  
  
Hanayagi-no-Katachi, Nihonbashi Mitsukoshi, Gallery X, Tokyo
  
- 2004 Mino Ceramics Now, Museum of Modern Ceramic Art, Gifu  
  
Izushi Porcelain Competition, Gifu
  
- 2003 Carouge International Ceramic Exhibition  
  
Asashi Ceramic Competition
  
- 2002 Asahi Modern Craft Competition  
  
Mino International Porcelain Competition  
  
Asashi Ceramic Exhibition
  
- 2001 "Mino Ceramics Now 2001" Gifu Contemporary Museum of Ceramics Tjimi, Gifu

#### PREMI/AWARDS

- 2007 Grand Prize, Paramita Museum Ceramic Exhibition, Mie
  
- 2005 International Ceramic Festival Mino
  
- 2004 Kamota Shoji Award, Mashiko Ceramic Exhibition
  
- 2002 Judges Award, Mashiko Ceramic Exhibition
  
- 2001 Grand Prize, Oibe-no-Kokoro, Ceramic Exhibition



PRINCIPALI COLLEZIONI PUBBLICHE / MAJOR PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Mashiko Ceramic Museum

City of Toki

Minneapolis Institute of Arts, MN

**PRINCIPALI PUBBLICAZIONI/MAJOR PUBLICATIONS**

Hono Geijutsu, spring 2012, summer 2012

Ceramics Now, winter 2011-2012