

Chiharu Koda

born in Okayama, 1982

lives and works in Karlsruhe, Germany

- 2020 - 2021 Meisterschüler at State Akademie of Fine Arts Karlsruhe, DE
Sculptures department under Prof. Stefan Balkenhol
- 2013 - 2020 Diplom at State Akademie of Fine Arts Karlsruhe, DE
Sculptures department under Prof. Stefan Balkenhol
- 2012 - 2013 Visiting Student at State Akademie of Fine Arts Karlsruhe, DE
- 2006 - 2008 Tajimi City Pottery Design And Technical Center, Gifu, JP
- 2005 Bachelor of Art and Design, Industrial design department,
Okayama Prefectural University, JP

Solo Exhibits

- 2021.Sep. **memo.re** (installation + generated graphics) | mold projektraum, Karlsruhe, DE
funded by BBK Bundesverband NEUSTART KLUTUR Modul C Innovative Kunstprojekte
- 2021.Mar. **Two Windows** (installation + generated sounds) | Port Art and Design Tsuyama, Okayama, JP
funded by Okayama prefectural arts and culture promotion department
- 2020.feb. **Back to the Summer** | State Akademie of Fine Arts Karlsruhe, DE
- 2011.July INAX Gallery, Tokyo, JP
- 2013.Jan 7atelier création ,Bern, CH
- 2010.Nov. Kyoto Mangekyo Museum Gallery, Kyoto, JP
- 2010.Sep. Gallery CIFA, Okayama, Japan
- 2010.Sep. Tenjinyama cultural center of Okayama prefecture, Okayama, JP
- 2010.June Gallery Tourinshunyo, Gifu, JP
- 2009.Dec. Gallery IDF mini, Aichi, JP
- 2009.Oct. Gallery HAKU, Osaka, JP

Awards | Grants

- 2021 Allegro Prize shortlisted
- 2012 Grand Shu-Ou Foundation Award for art travel to Europa, USA and Equador
- 2008 1st. Mr.I Shou (Contemporary arts competition), 2st prise
- 2006 Asahi ceramics competition, encouragement award
- 2003 Awakura Ceramics Competition, 1st prise

Public Collections

- 2014 Arctic Ceramic Center, Posio, FIN
- 2011 Hetjens Museum, Düsseldorf, DE
- 2003 Nishi Awakura son, Okayama, JP

Artist in Residence | Symposium

- 2014 Symposium, Arctic Ceramic Centre (2 weeks), Posio, FIN
- 2005 The Artist in Residence (3 months) at Shigaraki Ceramics Cultural Park, Shiga, JP

Group Exhibits

- 2022 Installation + AR | Home -ie- | Die Orgelfabrik in Durlach | Karlsruhe-Durlach, DE
- 2022 Installation + AR | Three Hot Spring of Mimasaka Art Temperature 2022 | Okayama, JP
- 2022 Installation | Höhenluft #20 | Kunstverein Wilhelmshöhe Ettlingen, DE
- 2021 achteintel - LitfassMuseum | Karlsruhe, DE
- 2019 Now | Okayama Prefectural Museum of Art, Okayama, JP
- 2017 Selected exhibition | Staatliche Akademie der Bildenden Künste Karlsruhe, DE
- 2015 2. Soja Art Festival | Schrein - Houfukuji, Okayama, JP
- 2014 Asia Contemporary Art | Gallery Artpark, Karlsruhe, DE
- 2013 BEGEGNUNGEN | Gallery Yumi, Okayama, JP
Le Carrousel des métiers d'art et de création | Carrousel du Louvre, Paris, FR
Tzuri Gueta Atelier + Gallery, Paris, FR
Internationaler Keramikmarkt Dwingeloo | Blesdijke, NL
- 2012 Internationale Keramiktage | Oldenburg, DE
Installation in Shigaraki ACT | Kawabata Souko, Shiga, JP
- 2011 Gallery HAKU, Osaka, JP
BEGEGNUNGEN | Tenri Japanisch-Deutsche cultural center, Cologne, DE
Tokai gendai tougei | Aichi Prefectural Ceramics Museum, Aichi, JP
Seeing the Unseen Forms | Okayama Prefectural Museum of Art, Okayama, JP
International Triennial of Silicate Arts | Kecskemét, HU
- 2010 Yakimono no genzai VI | Gallery Voice, Gifu, JP
Naturals, Not by nature | Esprit Nouveau Gallery, Okayama, JP
- 2009 Jamin | Esprit Nouveau Gallery, Okayama, JP
6. Setouchi Art Festival - Inujimajikan | Island - Inujima, Setouchi - sea, Okayama, JP
- 2008 Mr. I - SHOU | Okayama Prefectural Cultural Center Tenjinyama, JP
Kasanaru iroka | Noritake Galerie, Nagoya, Aichi, JP
CONTACT act7 | Heyri Art Valley, KOR
- 2007 Hitohana-ten | Gallery Voice, Gifu, JP
- 2005 Creators File | Slogadh463, Okayama, JP
International Ceramics Festival MINO | Gifu Prefectural Museum, Gifu, JP
- 2004 Nagasaki Ceramics Exhibition | Nagasaki Ceramics Technology Center, Nagasaki, JP
- 2003 Awakura Ceramics Exhibition | Nishi-Awakura, Okayama, JP

Others

- 2013 Interview vom britischem Keramikmagazin | Ceramic Review 2014 Jan/Feb
- 2011 Gave a talk in Aichi Prefectural Ceramic Museum