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Yuko Shiraishi: Bunk Bed Odyssey – Parallel Lullaby

Bunk Bed Odyssey – Parallel Lullaby is the product of a dream I had.

The dream occurred when I was thinking about two exhibitions I had been invited to two years ago to present in London and Tokyo. I was uncertain about what to do until one night this January two images suddenly appeared to me in my sleep, a different one for each venue. They appeared to me during REM sleep. I knew that the emotional regions of the brain are up to 30 percent more active during REM sleep than when we are awake.

I have always been fascinated by the relationship between dreams, sleep and the functioning of the brain.

I have explored the theme of Imaginary Architecture in many of my projects. This time the idea came from a dream. Human physicality is a constant focus of my work. *Bunk Bed Odyssey – Parallel Lullaby* explores the space that exists between two people sleeping on a bunk bed. They might be members of the same family, friends, or total strangers. The location could be a house, a train, a ship, a prison, a hotel or a school.

The two people occupy the same space, but their dreams take them to completely different places. The inability to experience the same dream despite sharing the same space brings home the truth of how separate human existences are.

In the mythology of ancient Egypt and Greece it was believed that dreams were messages sent by the Gods. More recently, building on the ideas of Freud and Jung, Matthew Walker has written very interestingly about dreams.

But there were deep and systemic flaws that led to a rejection of the theory by modern-day science. Our more informed, neuroscientific view of REM sleep has since given rise to scientifically testable theories of how it is that we dream (e.g., logical/illogical, visual/non-visual, emotion-al/non-emotional) and what it is that we dream about (e.g., experiences from our recent waking lives/de novo experiences), and even gives the chance to nibble away at surely the most fascinating question in all of sleep science - and arguably science writ large - why it is that we dream, that is, the function(s) of REM-sleep dreaming. (Why We Sleep, Matthew Walker)





I have also been inspired by what the Argentinian author Borges has written. His stories about dreams transport me to multiple or parallel universes.

All this the dreamer sees in a single glance, in the same way that God, from His vast eternity, sees the whole cosmic process. And what happens when we wake? What happens is that, as we are accustomed to a sequential life, we give a narrative structure to our dream, though our dream has been multiple and simultaneous. (*Nightmare*, Jorge Luis Borges)

My mother passed away while I was working on this project. When I saw the care-home bed she had slept in at home in Tokyo being dismantled and taken away, I had a deja vu moment of seeing the bunk made for the exhibition being taken apart in my studio in London. Something from my mother enveloped me and gave me the freedom to travel to an alternative dimension. At the same time the sudden disappearance of her bodily presence left me feeling empty in a way that was more than I could bear.

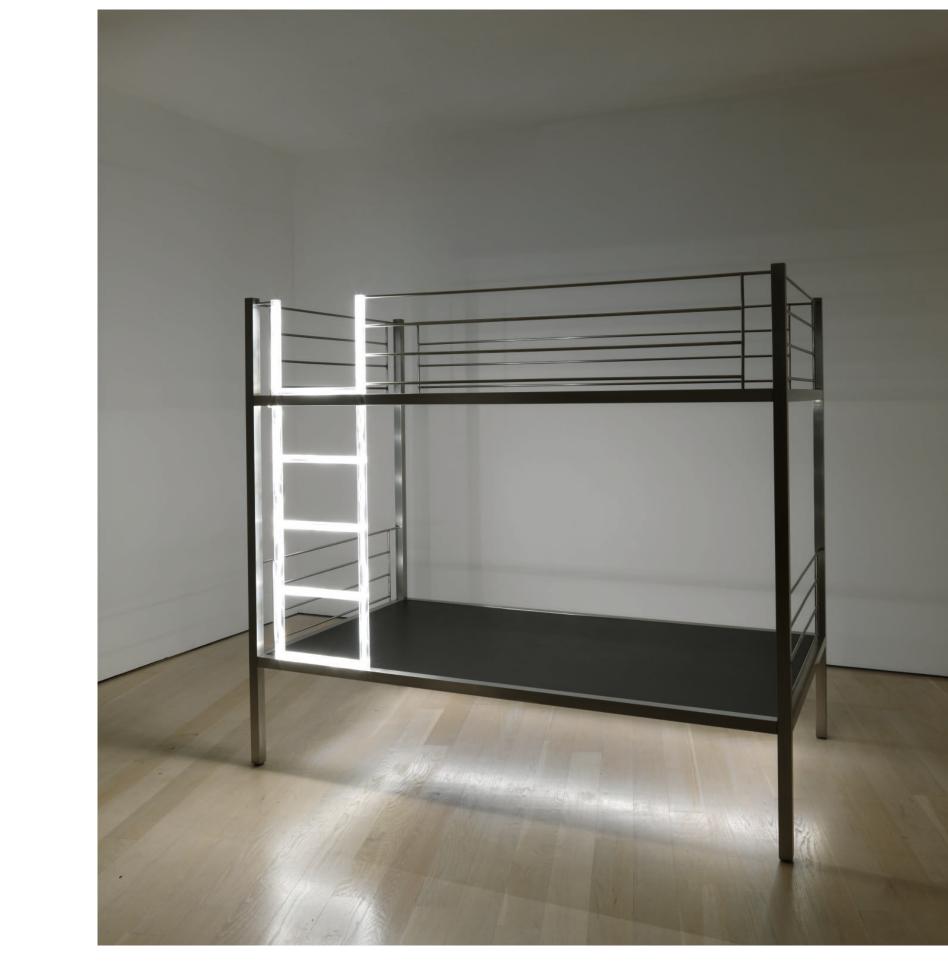
A passage from one of my mother's poems reads:

this whole town is made of dream fibres enter anywhere you want at the entrance it is already being woven temples stand on dream fibre edges a praying voice follows the music of a wave spiralling between fibre and fibre continuing out to the four directions of the universe

(Cuttack, Kazuko Shiraishi, translation by John Solt)

Yuko Shiraishi, July 2024





Bunk Bed Odyssey - Parallel Lullaby 2024 stainless steel, coloured MDF, perspex or acrylic and LED strip lights 200.7 x 112 x 178.7 cm



Interview between Suzanne Treister and Yuko Shiraishi. Suzanne Treister is a British contemporary artist based in London. Her works are known for being conceptually oriented around emerging technologies. Suzy and Yuko have known each other since the early 1980s and shared a studio in London between 1984 and 1992.

Suzy: Yuko, I'd love to hear about how you first became interested in art, how and when you decided to become an artist and go to art school, and which were the first artists that inspired you? And then at Chelsea, what was it about artists like Barnett Newman that excited you? Before you left Japan for Canada and then the UK were you aware of the contemporary Japanese art scene, were you interested in older Japanese art?

Yuko: In my memory I was around the age of five when I knew very clearly - though I didn't know what you called it - that I wanted to be an artist or painter. I just loved painting and drawing, it was my favourite and most exciting thing throughout my childhood and still is today. At the age of 13 or 14 I knew I wanted to continue with art, so I felt I had to aim to get into an art university in Japan. However, at the same time, I also really wanted to get out of Japan to see the world. Fortunately my mother and grandmother were both born in Vancouver, Canada, so they permitted me to go there because we had our relatives living there. First I went to language school to study English, then I got a place at art school, but somehow I didn't like it and my desire was more to see the history of art in Europe. At the age of 21 I moved to England from Canada, then I applied to the Chelsea School of Art and got a place on the art foundation course.

I don't remember particularly the first artist I was interested in, it was more like there was a wider vision that interested me - the Renaissance, Impressionist, Ancient art, modern art, contemporary painting, everything. When I discovered Barnett Newman he became my biggest influence while at Chelsea - it wasn't Rothko, Agnes Martin or Clyfford Still - somehow Newman was closest to me and I could share some identity with him. Newman was into Russian Jewish mysticism and also had influences from Taoism and Zen Buddhism, so maybe that is what I shared with him. While I was a high school student in Japan I loved reading Russian literature, writers like Dostoevsky, Tolstoy, Chekov, Nabokov. Later on that introduced me to Russian Constructivists like Malevich, El Lissitzky and Popova - these artists are all interested in mysticism in the beginning, also De Stijl artists like Mondrian start from mysticism. And in my 20's films like Tarkovsky's were very important to me.

As well as the strange branch of Taoism that connected me to Barnett Newman, I feel I am part of something I call a "hybrid generation". When I saw 'Brokeback Mountain' by the Taiwanese filmmaker Ang Lee it felt like the work of a mixed culture made by someone of my "hybrid

generation". Everyone admired this film and its homosexual revolution. But for me, not only that, there was huge Taoism in his film, the very little human's struggle to achieve full life within an enormous landscape of nature.

In terms of Japanese art, during my childhood I didn't realise I was in the centre of a dynamic cultural moment in 60's Japan. Without searching or seeking I lived with this in my life through my parents, my mother being a beatnik and contemporary poet and my father being a Shouchiku nouvelle vague filmmaker, so poetry, literature, fashion, film, music, art, everything of the time was surrounding me. It was in my body automatically, so I needed to get out and try and see something different outside. It was only when I was in England as a student that I connected with more historical Japanese art and literature.

Suzy: When we were working together in the 80s in our Acme studio in Hackney how did you feel about making abstract paintings in the context of the London 1980s art world?

Yuko: I felt a bit isolated because at that time there was a strong trend of a kind of Italian and German neo-expressionism, also neogeo, but neither were quite what I was interested in. Pattern paintings were also popular at the time, but I realised none of this was for me, and I knew I had to find my own world of abstraction.

Suzy: In 1995 you invented an alter-ego called Volkh Biely who made sculptural sound works. Could you describe some of these works and talk about how they fed into your future work?

Yuko: *Pretext: Heteronym* was a pop-up exhibition at Clink Street Studios in 1995 curated by Rear Window, which was inspired by Fernando Pessoa's plural identities. My first ever installation was held here, but it was under the persona I created called Volkh Biely, a man born in Russia in 1955. It was a room and table covered by gesso plaster, and on top of the table was Dostoevsky's 'Notes from the Underground'. When you open the book, there is a deep hole inside - a gust of wind hits you and you can hear deep in the hole the sounds of the underground: footsteps, tube, helicopters, whispers, and more. Altogether I made about six works under this name, including a collaboration with Georgian artist Maia Naveriani at London's Fordham gallery in 2000.

This was a big revolution for me, it opened up a totally new approach to my art. I could now do installations and also connect to architecture projects. My enormous interest in sound art also led to making music.

Suzy: In 2009 you made Space Elevator Tea House, a skeletal structure fabricated from stainless steel and Perspex that, while shaped like a 17th-century Japanese tea house, could supposedly enable space travel. Is science-fiction an influence in your work? It would be great if you could tell us more about this installation.

Yuko: That particular project tapped into my interest in the theory of universe, architecture, space, humans and history. I like science fiction to a certain extent - I have always been fascinated by space, dinosaurs, time machine and so on - but for me I prefer watching science fiction films and manga than reading books in this genre... I prefer reading popular science over science fiction, maybe I prefer receiving direct images.

This project came out of various interests, for example I was very intrigued by Takashi Tachibana interviewing American astronauts, and also the discovery of nanotubes. Actually the space elevator was in the science fiction novel by Arthur C. Clarke *'The Fountains of Paradise'* (1979), and first theorised by rocket scientist Konstantin Tsiolkovsky - and I wanted to bring Tarkovsky's *'Solaris'* and Kubrick's *'2001: a Space Odyssey'* positioned like cosmonaut against astronaut. Plus I was interested in the concept of the tea house, and for this project I wanted to use the 17th century tea house *Yuin (Hidden Refuge)* made by Sen no Sotan. Reading 'The Book of Tea' by Okakura Kakuzo was also important.

I found where space elevator meets tea house; in both something magical and poetic occurs. Space elevator and tea house are both used by humans, which relates with human body against space - this is always a very important subject for me.

Suzy: I know in 1981 when we first met at Chelsea MA, you found it offputting when tutors presumed you should be making 'Japanese' art. How do you feel now, over 40 years later, about your Japanese identity in relation to your work?

Yuko: When I was doing the Chelsea MA, England or the West still had a stigmatised idea of Japan, kind of a Fujiyama-Geisha notion. They didn't know much about Japanese culture in the 50's through to 70's - the film, music, literature, art. In fact, I now realise I was brought up in the centre of one of the strongest cultural movements in Japanese history, and only in the last 20 years to 30 years has the West woken up to that; what Japan had been cultivating culturally. So when I was at Chelsea in the early 80's it was difficult - I realised my language, my body, was made in Japan. Tutors insisted that I should make small work, not abstract expressionistic sized, because I'm a small Japanese lady and not an American macho man.

Suzy: I remember you telling me years ago of a recurring dream where you were building a city, bit by bit, dream by dream. You have made many architectural works over the years. Where does the inspiration for these come from, and do they relate in any way to your paintings?

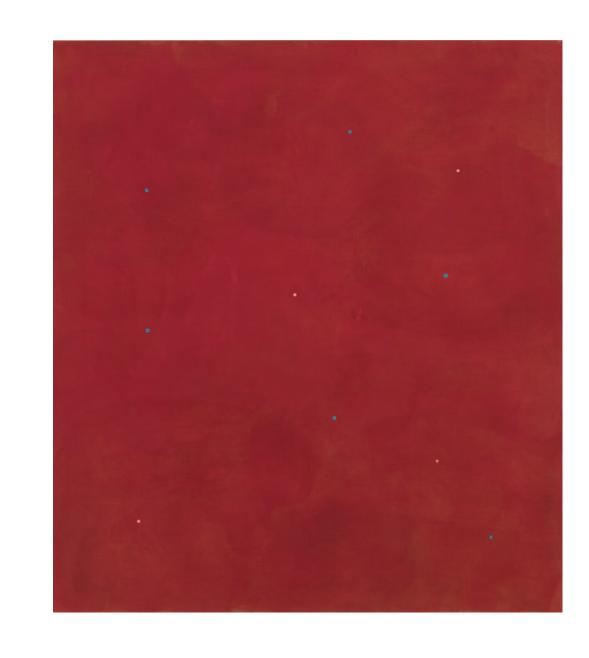
Yuko: Funnily enough this piece I'm showing at *Through* exhibition is another imaginary architecture project called *Bunk Bed Odyssey - Parallel Lullaby* and was a message from my dreams. When it appeared in my dreams, I'm sure during REM sleep - and when I woke up it was completely visualised and it was quite clear to me that I should make this piece. At the same time parallel to this I had another dream which was for a gallery space in Tokyo. Again, I tried to realise making a piece which is called *After the garden of forking paths*. These two pieces are definitely related with dreams. My approach about dreams is not too Freudian or Jungian, I enjoy more an approach like folklore and myth, or Argentinian writer Borges whose idea of a dream is something like a parallel universe or a multiple universe. I also read about the brain and dreams in science books by neurologists. When you sleep your brain is much more activated than when you're awake, so sometimes you're shocked by your emotion when you're sleeping, but when you awake you can't remember. I just open a window for creation through dreaming, and a lot of my architecture work, including Netherworld, has also related to dreams and the book of the dead.

These have informed my paintings. When you are looking at everything - information comes to your eyes and you are stimulated or disappointed, or your emotions are. Visual things create a lot of memories, and the mixture of your daytime visible reality and the invisible realities - I want to have both in my painting.

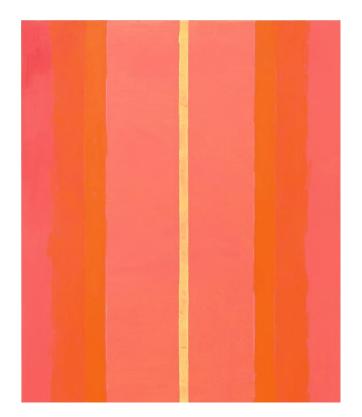
Suzy: Titles are really important for you, often evoking ideas of starlight, signals from space, of the infinite. Would you say more about the spiritual side of your work?

Yuko: Yes, it could be like the title of a poem or a lyric, and that could be quite funny or thought-provoking. My titles may be getting stronger because of my recent experience with making music. The spiritual side clicks for you like words in poems or humming or sound.







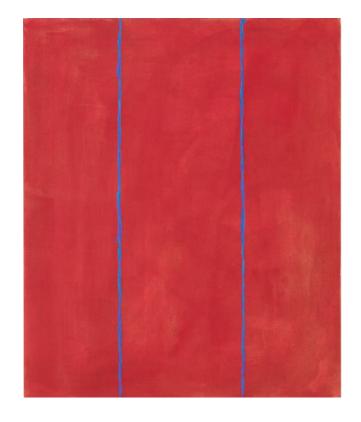


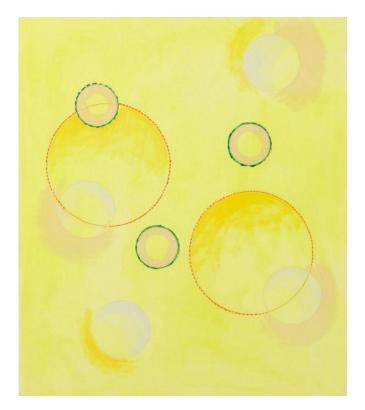
Forest Memory 2023 oil on canvas 90 x 75 cm

Waiting to through 2023 oil on canvas 90 x 75 cm



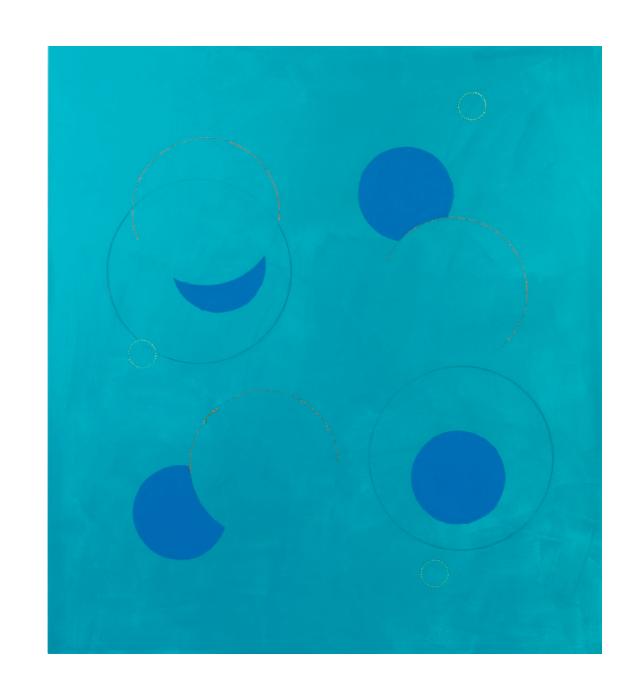




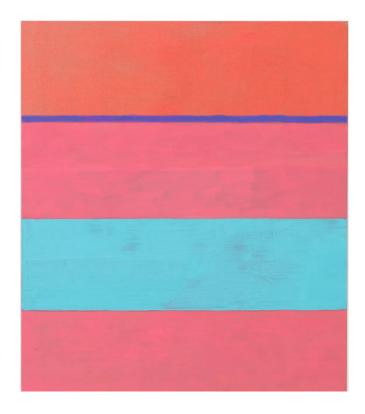


Trace 2024 oil on canvas 90 x 75 cm

Light reception 2024 oil on canvas 80 x 70 cm









Reclining Day (3) 2023 oil on canvas 80 x 70 cm

Wing 2023 oil on canvas 80 x 70 cm



Recent Projects

Starry Night Summer, ?, Winter

In late 2023 Yuko Shiraishi was given the opportunity to work on a woodcut print at the Adachi Institute of Woodblock Prints. The Adachi Institute of Woodblock Prints is the only publisher with artisans who have inherited the advanced techniques of *ukiyo-e* production. Based on the *ukiyo-e* of the Edo period, the Institute continues to pursue new possibilities for woodblock printmaking in collaboration with contemporary artists.

Starry Night Summer, ?, Winter 2024 woodcut on Japanese rice paper picture size: 40 x 27.8 cm paper size: 43.5 x 29.8 cm







Magnetic Day

N&A Art SITE, Tokyo 13 October - 5 November 2022

The exhibition featured an installation offering a condensed version of Shiraishi's sensibility and consisting of new works tailored to the environment of the N&A Art SITE. The title "Magnetic Day" is suggestive of radio waves and magnetism that stimulate our senses, which the artist seeks to express poetically through paintings, sculptures, and the entirety of the space. The exhibition made for an opportunity to reintroduce the perspective of Shiraishi, whose international career has spanned decades, to a Japan-based audience.



Intermission - One Person House

'Utopia/Dystopia Revisited' curated by Yuko Shiraishi Annely Juda Fine Art, London 19 September - 2 November 2019

Based on Georges Vantongerloo's 'Desk Lamp', 1926, 20 x 28 x 15 cm, Yuko Shiraishi made 'One Person House' to be part of the exhibition *Utopia/Dystopia Revisited*, which she curated at Annely Juda Fine Art in 2019. Shiraishi's starting point for the exhibition was Russian constructivist architect Ivan Leonidov. The exhibition included works by contemporary artists as well as artists from the early 20th Century Avant-Garde.

Intermission - One Person House 2019
painted wood, cloth and electric light 211 x 295 x 148 cm



Beyond the visible

The Museum of Modern Art, Hayama, Japan 13 July - 8 September 2019

This show included the work of five artists working in genres as diverse as painting, photography, installation, film, and dance, all of whose work is concerned with what is felt beyond the realm of the visible by eyes, spirits and bodies located in contemporary spaces.





A Day

This project of woodcut prints made in France and published by Imprints in 2019 is entitled *A Day*. Every print stands for 2 hours out of 24 hours making up a full day. The prints should be hung in a circle like the shape of a clock and the 12 different prints reflect the different times during one day.

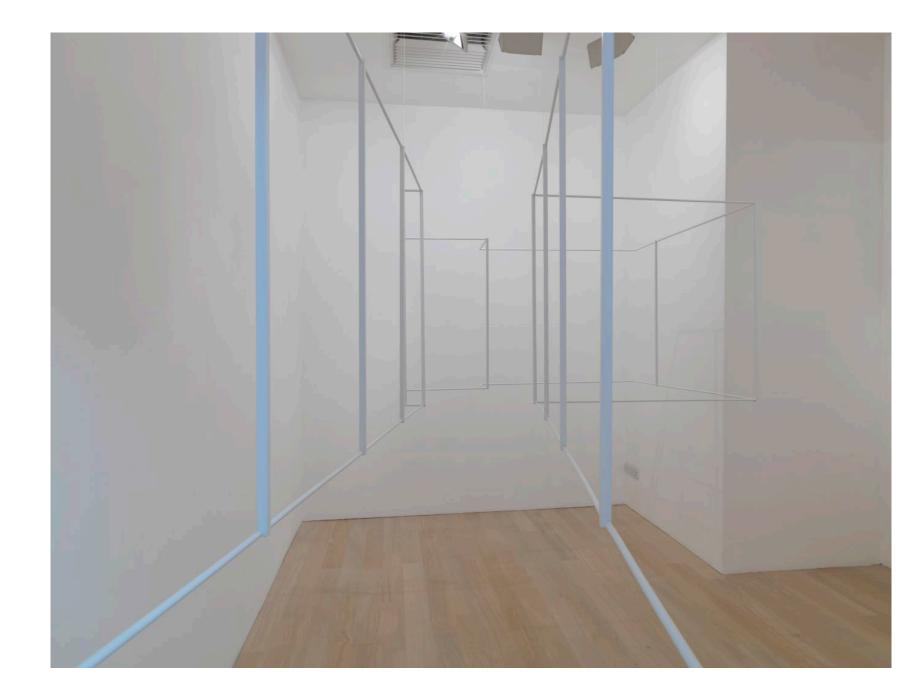
A Day 2019 handprinted woodcut with stamping 12 prints, 66 x 44 cm each

pass age

Floworld Annely Juda Fine Art, London 15 March - 2 May 2018

The installation, 'pass age', is from Shiraishi's ongoing 'Imaginary Architectural Project' which includes previous works: 'Space Elevator Tea House', 'Confession Box' and 'Ancient Egyptian Tomb'. 'pass age' is drawn from the concept of Noh theatre, a classical form of Japanese theatre performed since the 14th Century. With an emphasis on tradition, the drama occurs in both our existing world and in that of purgatory or a dream-like realm. Shiraishi is interested in the embodiment of that realm through consistent architectural forms and space that the Noh theatre takes. This is represented in 'pass age' by a skeletal architectural form that is visible only through a small window in the gallery's wall.





Paralleling

Floworld Annely Juda Fine Art, London 15 March - 2 May 2018

For the installation, 'Paralleling', Shiraishi transformed part of the gallery with a colour installation; the space was painted in primary and tertiary colours which highlighted architectural elements. For example structural beams were painted in different colours forming lines that travel down walls and across floors. Here, Shiraishi manipulated our perception of the surrounding environment to create a different realm – perhaps like the one that we experience between a dream and waking reality.





Magnetic Wave

Magnetic Day Galerie Hans Mayer, Düsseldorf 2 September - 6 October 2016

Magnetic Wave is a poetic visualisation of electro-magnetism, which is both invisible and intangible. The work reflects Shiraishi's interest in electricity, magnetism and electro-magnetic waves which in the past had sometimes been reflected in Shiraishi's paintings.





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1956	Born in Tokyo, Japan
1974-76	Lived in Vancouver, Canada
1978-81	Chelsea School of Art, BA
1981-82	Chelsea School of Art, MA

Lives and works in London

Awards

1994 Jerwood Painting Prize, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, Scotland & Royal Academy of Arts, London

Solo Exhibitions

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2024	Through, Annely Juda Fine Art,
	Shigeru Yokota Gallery, Tokyo
2022	Magnetic Day, N&A Art Site, Tokyo
2021	SPACE, East Gallery NUA, Norwich
2019	A Day, Imprints-Galerie, Crest, France Above Below, Particle Light, Art Office
	OZASA, Kyoto
2018	Floworld, Annely Juda Fine Art, London
2017	Painting 1986-2017, Shigeru Yokota
	Gallery, Tokyo
2016	Magnetic Day, Hans Mayer Galerie, Düsseldorf
2014	Netherworld, Esglesia del Convert de
	Sant Domingo, Pollenca, Mallorca
	Project, Shigeru Yokota Gallery, Tokyo
2013-14	Point-Counterpoint, Galerie Gisele
	Linder, Basel
2013	Signal, Annely Juda Fine Art, London
2012	Space Space, Kukje Gallery, Seoul
2011	Specimen, Shigeru Yokota Gallery,
0040	Tokyo
2010	Place to be, Galerie Gisele Linder, Basel
	Phil Coy / Yuko Shiraishi, The Russian
	Club, London
2009	Space Space, Annely Juda Fine Art, London
2008	Projects with Architecture 2001-2008, Peer, London

2007-08	even if love, with Birgitta Weimer, Kunstverein Ludwigshafen and		Galerie Hans Mayer, Düsseldorf Focus, Experimental Art Foundation,
2007	Wilhelm-Hack-Museum, Ludwigshafen Yuko Shiraishi Contact, Galerie Dorothea van der Koelen, Mainz	1994	Adelaide Galerie Konstruktiv Tendens, Stockholm
2006	A Way of Seeing - Josef Albers, Yuko	1993	Gallery Kasahara, Osaka
2000	Shiraishi, Leonard Hutton Galleries, New York	1992	Edward Totah Gallery, London Shigeru Yokota Gallery, Tokyo
	Above and Below, with Werner	1991	Cairn Gallery, Nailsworth
	Haypeter, Galerie Konig, Hanau	1990	Edward Totah Gallery, London
	Konstruktiv Tendens, Stockholm		Artsite, Bath
	8 x 2, with Katsuhito Nishikawa,		Galerie Konstruktiv Tendens,
	Gesellschaft für Kunst und	1000	Stockholm
	Gestaltung, Bonn	1989	Shigeru Yokota Gallery, Tokyo
	8 Japanese Colours, with Katsuhito Nishikawa, Galerie Friedrich Müller,	1988	Edward Totah Gallery, London
0005	Frankfurt	Solo Proj	ects
2005	Temperature, Annely Juda Fine Art,	0000	Internal - Film by Dhil Coy 9 Myrain
2003	London Enicodo travallad to Londo City Art	2023	Islands, Film by Phil Coy & Music
2003	Episode, travelled to Leeds City Art Gallery		by 36 (Yuko Shiraishi & Tadao Kawamura), TheaterGuild
	Yuko Shiraishi - There and Back,		Daikanyama, Tokyo
	Crawford Municipal Art Gallery, Cork	2019	Utopia/Dystopia Revisited, curated
	Tuesday is cerise, Waygood Gallery,	20.0	by Yuko Shiraishi, Annely Juda Fine
	Newcastle		Art, London
2002	Infinite Line, Unendliche Linie,	2014	Iceburg, tape by 36, Tokyo
	Museum Wiesbaden, Wiesbaden	2011	Specimen, TPH, Tokyo
	Episode, Mead Gallery, Warwick Arts	2010	Parallel Remix, curated by Yuko
	Centre, University of Warwick,		Shiraishi, Leonard Hutton Gallery,
	Coventry		New York
2001	Shigeru Yokota Gallery, Tokyo	2008	Canal Walk, a permanent wall painting
	Assemble - Disperse, Annely Juda		commission at Regent's Canal,
	Fine Art, London Gallery Kasahara, Osaka		London
2000	Galerie Konstruktiv Tendens,		Kyoto Art Walk, curated by Yuko Shiraishi, Nijojo Castle, Kiyomizudera
2000	Stockholm		Temple a Tōfukuji Temple, Kyoto
1999	Nancy Hoffman Gallery, New York	2006	Moorfields Eye Hospital Children's
.000	As Dark as Light, Tate Gallery St Ives,	2000	Centre, London
	Cornwall	2005	Jiundou Hospital, Tokyo, (2005-
1998	Ernst Múzeum, with Soós Tamás,		2008) (with architect: Nissouken)
	Budapest		Swimmingpool (with Mie Miyamoto,
1997	Juxtapositions, Annely Juda Fine Art,		Jonathan Moore - Coldcut)
	London		Stiftung Insel Hombroich Museum,
	Shigeru Yokota Gallery, Tokyo, Japan		Neuss
	Galerie Konstruktiv Tendens,	2001-04	BBC White City Project (with Allies &
1000	Stockholm	0004	Morrison), London, UK
1996	Gallery Kasahara, Osaka	2001	FIH: Field Institute Hombroich (with

	Tadashi Kawamata, Katsuhito Nishikawa), Stiftung Insel Hombroich	2010-11	Line and Colour in Drawing, Musees Royaux des Beaux Arts de Belgique,
	Museum, Neuss, Germany	2010	Brussels Sameness & Difference, The Russian
Selected	Group Exhibitions	20.0	Club Gallery, London
		2009-10	When Ideas Become Form, Galerie
2023	Women in the Abstract, Annely Juda	0000	Dorothea van der Koelen, Mainz
	Fine Art, London Structural Harmonies: A Selection	2009	Alles, Wilhelm-Hack-Museum,
	of Works by Female Artists in the		Ludwigshafen Konkrete Idole - Nonfigurative Kunst
	László Vass Collection, Modern Art		und afrikanische Skulpturen, Museum
	Gallery - László Vass Collection		Liner, Appenzell
2021	Swirl of Words, PEER, London	2007	Painting Painting, Modern Gallery -
2020	Emotionarama, PEER, London		Vass László Collection, Veszprém
2020	Project 8 I I've never seen the sky like this before, Southwest Contemporary,		Annely Juda – A Celebration, Annely
	Adelaide	2006	Juda Fine Art, London Intimate Space, MOT, London
	Drawing Challenge XII, Jason McCoy	2005	Föhn, Chelsea College of Art and
	Gallery, New York	2000	Design
	From Van Gogh to Nakazono, The	2004	Art Scope Japan, Daimler Chrysler
	Museum of Modern Art, Kamakura &		Contemporary, Berlin
2019	Hayama <i>Muhan</i> , Keika house, curated by Art		<i>'Apriori' - 25 Jahre</i> , Galerie
2010	Office Ozasa, Kanagawa	0000	Dorothea van der Koelen, Mainz
	Utopia/Dystopia Revisited, Annely	2003	Index on Colour, Leeds City Art Gallery, Leeds
	Juda Fine Art, London	2002	Colour - A Life of Its Own, Mücsarnok,
	Throughout Time: The Sense of		Budapest
	Beauty, ICOM Kyoto 2019	2000	Blue: Borrowed and New, The New Art
	Commemorative, Nijo-jo Castle, Kyoto		Gallery, Walsall
	Beyond the Visible, The Museum of		Grau ist nicht Grau, Galerie Gisele
	Modern Art, Hayama, Kanagawa	1000	Linder, Basel
	Opening the Space, Shigeru Yokota	1999	Geometrie als Gestalt, Neue Nationalgalerie, Berlin
0040	Gallery, Tokyo		Vendégjáték, Ludwig Museum,
2018	50 Years, 50 Artists, Annely Juda Fine		Budapest
	Art, London Surface Work, Victoria Miro Gallery,	1998	Clear and Saturated, Arti et Amicitiae,
	London		Amsterdam
2016	blanClass, Yokohama, Japan		Immerzeit, Forum Konkrete Kunst
2014	Delights of Abstraction, Tokyo Opera	1997	Galerie am Fischmarkt, Erfurt Pretext Heteronyms, San Michele,
0040	City Gallery, Tokyo	1997	Rome
2013	Russian Club presents 'Wonderland', Annely Juda Fine Art, London		Haus Bill, Zumikon, Zurich
2012	10 x 10 Drawing the City London,	1996	New Painting from the Arts Council
	Somerset House, London		Collection, Bath Museum, Bath
2011	Artist for Kettles Yard, Kettles Yard,	1995	New Painting, Arts Council Touring
	Cambridge		Exhibition

1994	Unveiled, Cornerhouse Gallery, Manchester
	Jerwood Painting Prize 1994, Royal
	Scottish Academy, Edinburgh; Royal
	Academy of Arts, London
1993	Moving into View - Recent British
	Painting, Arts Council Touring
	Exhibition, Royal Festival Hall, London
	Zwei Energien, Haus für Konstruktiv
	und Konkrete Kunst, Zurich
	Contemporary Art, Courtauld Institute, London
1992	Geteilte Bilder - Das Diptychon in
	der neuen Kunst, Folkwang Museum,
	Essen
	A Sense of Purpose, Mappin Gallery, Sheffield
1991	Double Take, American-Japan Art
	Association, New York
1990	Künstlerinnen des 20. Jahrhunderts,
	Museum Wiesbaden, Wiebaden
	Galerie Konstruktiv Tendens,
	Stockholm
	Whitechapel Open, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
1988	The Presence of Painting: Aspects
	of British Abstraction 1957-88, Arts
	Council UK Touring Exhibition: Mappin
	Gallery, Sheffield; Hatton Art Gallery,
	Newcastle; Ikon Gallery, Birmingham
1980	New Contemporaries, ICA, London

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