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RESIDENCE: Japan

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EDUCATION

Graphic Design, Tokyo Designer's School, Nagoya, 1980–1982

Botanical illustration classes with Akira Uchida, Yomiuri Culture Center, 1999–2001; Mariko Kojima, 2002–

CAREER

Graphic designer, Hamamatsu, 1982–1986; freelance, Hamamatsu, Yokohama, 1987–1996

Freelance botanical illustrator and instructor, 2008–

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration

ARTWORK MEDIA

Watercolor

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Yuki no kai Annual Exhibition, Kamakura Gallery, Kamakura, 2000; Dobin Gallery, Yokohama, 2001; Honcho Gallery, Yokohama 2002, 2003

Parch'e Gallery, Shizuoka, 2005

22nd, 23rd, 28th and 30th Prize Works of the Botanical Art Competition, National Museum of Nature and Science, Tokyo, 2006, 2007, 2012, 2014

Mokusei Hall, Shizuoka, 2007, 2013

Citizens Gallery, Shizuoka, 2010

14th, 16th and 17th Traveling Exhibition of the Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration, Ginza Art Hall, Tokyo and Sapporo Citizens Gallery, Hokkaido, 2012; Nishinomiya Kitaguchi Gallery, Hyogo, 2014; Kubota Gallery, Tokyo, 2015 [Exhibition catalogue]

HONORS/AWARDS

Excellence Awards from the National Museum of Nature and Science, Tsukuba Botanical Garden, 2006, 2012; Award of the President of Tsukuba Botanical Garden, 2007; Award of the Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Minister of Japan, *Prize Works of the Botanical Art Competition*, 2014

WORK REPRODUCED IN

Botanical art calendar, The Public Interests Foundation, Shizuoka-ken Green Bank, 2016

Postcards of prize-winning artworks, *Prize Works of the Botanical Art Competition*, 2007, 2014

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Birthwort, *Aristolochia kaempferi* Willd. [*Aristolochia kaempferi* Willdenow, Aristolochiaceae] 2014

Watercolor on paper 44.5 × 37.5 cm

Hunt Institute collection, gift from the artist

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