



Taro Otani

- 1979 Born in Yokohama, Japan
1998 studied with Naoko Kawamura, Isogo Atelier, Yokohama, Japan
1999 – 2004 studied Painting and Graphic, State Academy of Fine Arts, Karlsruhe, Germany
with Prof. Ernst Caramelle, Prof. Guenther Umberg,
Prof. Max Kaminski, Prof. Erwin Gross, Prof. Wawrzyniec Tokarski
2004 Diploma
2006-2013 Atelier worked in Berlin, Germany
since 2013 living and working in Yokohama/Japan

Solo Exhibitions

- 2005 Gallery Emmanuel Post, Leipzig, Germany
2006 post fine arts, Freiburg, Germany
2006 Gallery Emmanuel Post, Leipzig, Germany
2013 Wein-ba/Tokyo, Japan
2014 tokyo designers week/shop art walk/omotesando/sangria aoyama/Tokyo
2015 Landschaft/Taro Otani Radiologiepraxis Tübingen/germany
2015 SpringColour/Gallery Speak For/Daikanyama/Tokyo Japan

Group exhibition

- 2005 Gallery Emmanuel Post, Leipzig, Germany
2007 Graphics prize "Linocut today" State Gallery Bietigheim-Bissingen, Germany
2008 "Kristall Clear" Turn-berlin gallery, Germany
2008 Graphics prize "Woodcut today" kreissparkasse Ludwigsburg, Germany
2009 On the Bounce" Turn-berlin gallery, Germany
2009 Item prize of Fine Arts Ulm Germany
2009 Ute Litzkow/Taro Otani +verstehen wir uns?+ Scotty- enterprises, Berlin, Germany
2011 23.Kunsttage Rhein-Erft Pullheim-Brauweiler Germany
2012 Art and icecream Ecc-Berlin Weissensee Berlin Germany
2013 yokohama handmade marche.yokohama.Japan

2013 HMJ handmade in Japan fes/Tokyo bigsite,Japan
2013 C/STORE/Shibuya hikarie/Tokyo,Japan
2013 Tagboat@Bunkamura/Tokyo,Japan
2015 Yokohama Handmade/ Ypkohama Japan
2016 Minne handmade Maket/Tokyo Bigsite/Japan
2016 Handmade inJapan Fes /Tokyo Bigsite/Japan

Art fair participation

2005 Berliner Liste,Germany
2005 Kunst 05 Zürich, Switzerland
2006 Kunst 06 Zürich, Switzerland 2009
2009 Kunstmesse Bremen Germany