

Curriculum  
Vitae:  
Osamu Kobayashi

Education

2006  
BFA, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD

2005  
New York Studio Residency Program, New York

Select Solo Exhibitions

2025  
(Forthcoming) Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, FL  
Bedfellow, Dirimart Pera, Istanbul, Turkey

2024  
Lost Stranger, BEERS London, London, UK  
On Apparition, Hollis Taggart, New York, NY

2023  
Foreign Relations, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami

2021  
Hand in Hand, LA Art Core, Los Angeles

2020  
Floating Head, A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy

2018  
Noontide, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami At Sea, A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy

2017  
Mound, 701 CCA, Columbia, SC

2016  
Woogie, curated by Chris Bertholf, Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2015  
OK!, A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy  
Osamu Kobayashi, Pulse Art Fair, Mindy Solomon Gallery, New York

2014  
Watch Paint with Osamu Kobayashi, Gallery 80808, Columbia, SC, curated by Shigeharu Kobayashi

2013  
62 Miles Above Sea Level, Greenwich House, New York

2012

Maze Haze, A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy

2011

Squarish, John Davis Gallery, Hudson, NY

## Select Group Exhibitions

2024

Contemporary Selections, Hollis Taggart, New York, NY

2023

Of the Past and Present, Hollis Taggart, New York, NY

Shapeshifting, Hollis Taggart, New York, NY

Buddy System III, Deanna Evans Projects, New York

Library, Tappeto Volante Projects, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Glenn Goldberg

Emerging Abstraction: Çiğdem Aky and Osamu Kobayashi, Dirimart Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey

2022

Kurobikari, THE SHOPHOUSE, Hong Kong

Shape Shifting, Hollis Taggart, Southport, CT

Contemporary Istanbul, Dirimart Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey

XX: Twenty Year Exhibition, Morgan Lehman Gallery, New York

Art Basel, Blindspot Gallery, Hong Kong

Osamu Kobayashi and Simon Laureyns, Art Brussels, A+B Gallery, Brussels

Variants: Osamu Kobayashi and Jason Stopa, One River School, Allendale, NJ

New Beginnings, Blindspot Gallery, Hong Kong

2021

Dirimart Sunar VIII, Dirimart Gallery, Izmir, Turkey

Contemporary Istanbul, Dirimart Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey

La Banda, Tappeto Volante Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

Reorientation, Artists in the Pandemic, ATP Gallery, New York, curated by Nozomi Rose

I and the Me, THE SHOPHOUSE, Hong Kong

Float... Fly... Transcend, Alabama Contemporary Art Center, Mobile, curated by The Fuel and Lumber Company

2020

Osamu Kobayashi and Francesco De Prezzo, Spazio Leonardo, Milan

15 → The Waiting Hall, A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy

Palazzo Monti: Transatlantico, Mana Contemporary, Jersey City, NJ

This is Where a Line Begins, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami

Endless Summer, Dickinson Gallery, New York

Art Drive-In Generali, Brescia, Italy, curated by Associazione Bellearti

Art Brussels, A+B Gallery, Brussels  
In Pursuit of a Meaningful Mark, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, curated by Jason Stopa

2019

Artissima, A+B Gallery, Turin, Italy  
Beirut Art Fair, WIP Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon  
Osamu Kobayashi and Elisa Lendvay, Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY  
Impressions, Cydonia Gallery, Dallas  
Plush Paint: Osamu Kobayashi, Susan Carr, and Jason Stopa, Next to Nothing Gallery, New York  
WIP Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon  
Hyperlight, Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Sam Bornstein

2018

Code Art Fair, A+B Gallery, Copenhagen  
The Unlikely Whole, ArtYard, Frenchtown, NJ, curated by Lucinda Warchol  
Private Practice, Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY  
Osamu Kobayashi and Erica Prince, Morgan Lehman Gallery, New York

2017

Pulse Art Fair, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami  
Seattle Art Fair, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Seattle  
Underdonk Selects 2017, Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY  
Smaller Beckons II, Tapp's Arts Center, Columbia, SC, curated by Caitlin Bright  
The Twenty by Sixteen Biennial, Morgan Lehman Gallery, New York, curated by Geoffrey Young  
My Kid Could Do That, Red Bull Arts New York, New York, organized by Project Art

2016

Premio Lissone, Lissone Contemporary Art Museum, Lissone, Italy  
Studio Jamz II, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Peter Schenk  
Big and Bold: Selections from the Collection, Columbia Museum of Art, Columbia, SC  
Osamu Kobayashi and Paul Pagk, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami  
Drishti: A Concentrated Gaze, 1285 Avenue of the Americas, New York, curated by Elizabeth Heskin and Patricia Spergel  
Head Space, Morris Gallery, New York, curated by Amanda Church, Kim Uchiyama and Izam Zwahara  
Art Wynwood, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami 2015 Underdonk Selects

2015

Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY  
I Am What I Am Not Yet, A Survey of Brooklyn's Moment, Madelyn Jordan Fine Art, Scarsdale, NY, curated by Diana Buckley  
1st Annual Contemporary Asian Art Exhibition, Mid-Hudson Heritage Center, Poughkeepsie, NY, curated by Xuewu Zheng and Hayoon Jay Lee  
Paintings in Trees, The People's Garden, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Ben La Rocco, Linnea Paskow, and Ben Pritchard

Arte Fiera, A+B Gallery, Bologna, Italy

2014

Art Miami, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami

Triangles, Ventana 244, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Melissa Staiger

Form and Factice: New Painting and Sculpture from New York, Paul W. Zuccaire Gallery, Stony

Brook University, Stony Brook, NY, curated by Karen Levitov

Premio Lissone, Lissone Contemporary Art Museum, Lissone, Italy

My Big Fat Painting, Brian Morris Gallery, New York, curated by Rick Briggs

(e)merge, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Washington, DC

Texas Contemporary, Solomon Gallery, Houston

Art Southampton, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Southampton, NY

Summer Garden, Onishi Project in collaboration with Catinca Tabacaru Gallery, New York

Art Market Hamptons, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Bridgehampton, NY

Do It Yourself, 3rd Ward Building, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Justine Frischmann, organized by Julie Torres

By Invitation Only 3, Kinz + Tillou Fine Art, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Renée Riccardo (Recent Acquisitions), Columbia Museum of Art, Columbia, SC

Arte Fiera, A+B Gallery, Bologna, Italy

Osamu Kobayashi, Björn Meyer-Ebrecht, Storefront Ten Eyck, Brooklyn, NY

Shrink It, Pink It, Cathouse FUNeral, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Diana Buckley and Irena Jurek  
Solstice Synergy, Mahlstedt Gallery, New Rochelle, NY

2013

Location, Location, Location, President Clinton Projects, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Sun You

Together: Surviving Sandy, Industry City, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Phong Bui

By the Seat of Our Pants, Boltax Gallery, Shelter Island, NY

Endless Summer, Brian Morris Gallery, New York, curated by Gary Petersen

Oltre Il Pensiero. Quattordici Ricerche Attraverso La Materia, A+B Gallery at Palazzo Guaineri delle Cossere, Brescia, Italy

Phaedo, Storefront Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

Collective Show NY - MX, Neter, Mexico City, Mexico

Honors and Awards Exhibition, American Academy of Arts and Letters, New York

Invitational Exhibition, American Academy of Arts and Letters, New York

Phasmes, AplusB Contemporary Art, Brescia, Italy

Sideshow Nation, Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2012

Miami Project, Boltax Gallery, Miami

The Others: Art Fair, A+B Gallery, Turin, Italy

Finite Infinity, Greenwich House, New York, curated by Irena Jurek and Diana Buckley

Upside Downturn, HKJB, Laroche/Joncas, Montreal, Canada

In Dialogue, AplusB Contemporary Art, Brescia, Italy

A Valuation, Alexander Clark & Friends, New York

Brucennial 2012, Bruce High Quality Foundation, New York

The Question of Their Content, Zolla/Lieberman Gallery, Chicago, curated by Carly Silverman

MIC:CHECK (occupy), Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2011

December Store: Multiples and Small Works, .NO, New York

Aqua Art Miami, Boltax Gallery, Miami

Painting Club Selected Works, Exit Art, New York

So Happy Together, Notre Maar, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Julie Torres

Temporary Antumbra Zone, Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Elisa Soliven and JJ Manford

Abiding Abstraction, Boltax Gallery, Shelter Island, NY, curated by Jacob Ouillette

Painting Club, Exit Art, New York, organized by Herb Tam

The Working Title, Bronx River Art Center, Bronx, NY, organized by Progress Report

Apocalypse Now, Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2010

First Exit to Brooklyn, North 8th St., Brooklyn, NY, curated by Julie Torres

Nurture Art Benefit, ZieherSmith, New York

Analytic Spree, Apartment Show, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Sam Bornstein

Dance Ghost, Vaudeville Park, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Elisa Soliven

The Brucennial, Bruce High Quality Foundation, New York

Portable Caves, HKJB, Queens, NY

MICA Alumni Exhibit, Spattered Columns, New York

It's a Wonderful Tenth, Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2009

Party at Chris's House, Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Phong Bui,

Lotto Blotto, Apartment Show, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Roger Van Voorhees

25 Painters Under 35, The Painting Center, New York, curated by Ryan Cobourn

Personal Abstraction, HKJB, Brooklyn, NY

Small Scale, Big Ambition, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, curated by Jessica Bottalico

2008

Nurture Art Benefit, James Cohen Gallery, New York

2007

Square Foot Show, Gotham Art, New York

Groundswell Benefit, 511 Gallery, New York

Brackish Waters, Studio 308, New York

2006

Senior Thesis Exhibition, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore

2005

Scurrying About in Grandeur, New York Studio Residency Program, New York

NYSRP exhibition, Parsons School of Design, New York

## Selected Publications

2024

Rabb, Maxwell "Rising Painter Osamu Kobayashi's Ethereal Abstractions Evoke Spectral Visions", Artsy  
"Kick Off the New Year With These Five Standout Artists Featured on Artnet Gallery Network", Artnet

2023

Desirée O. "10 Abstract Artists Creating Eye-Catching Work You'll Want In Your Home," House Digest

2022

Nicolaus Li. "THE SHOPHOUSE "KUROBIKARI 黒光り" Exhibition Focuses on Artistic Deviations," HypeArt  
David Schell. "Quiet Advocates," The Semi-Finalist  
"Shape Shifting' Group Exhibit at Hollis Taggart Opens with Reception Nov 10 in Southport", Darienite.com

2021

Suyash Pathak. "38 Famous Abstract Paintings: Interpreting The Artist's Reality," Portrait Flip

2020

Conta, Silvia. "A+B Gallery inaugura la nuova sede con Osamu Kobayashi," Exibart  
Donoghue, Katy. "Osamu Kobayashi's Sweeping Strokes Bring the Improbable to Existence," Whitewall Magazine  
Cohen, Alina. "11 Emerging Artists Redefining Abstract Painting," Artsy

2019

Fair Game, "Desire Is Both Sexual and Political at Turin's Artissima Art Fair," Elephant Magazine  
Laster, Paul. "27 Must-See Artworks at Artissima 2019," Whitehot Magazine  
Elsamanoudi, Nancy. "Painting Sculpture, and Blurred Boundaries," The Villager  
Ticozzi, Marco. "FINO AL 10.I.2019 OSAMU KOBAYASHI, AT SEA A+B GALLERY, BRESCIA," Exibart

2018

Hector, Katie. "Plush Paint: please do not pet, caress, fondle," Art Spiel  
Wasserman, Sydney, "The Best Young Abstract Artists You Should Know About," Architectural Digest

2017

Lepsien, Christian. "9 Questions to Osamu kobayashi," Artevie Publishing  
Dean, Rochelle, "Middle of Nowhere Mural," ABC Columbia  
Petersen, Kyle. "Columbia Native Osamu Kobayashi Debuts Residency-Closing Exhibition at 701 CCA," Free Times

2013

Shaw, Erin. "This Columbia Native Makes Huge Paintings with a Broom-Sized Brush," The State

Capretti, Giovanni. "La Mostra Della Settimana: Emozione creative nell'illusione della libertà" Giornale di Brescia

Tattoli, Federica. "Phasmes" Pizza Digitale,

D'Agostino, Paul. "Brooklyn Art in 2013: What to Watch," L Magazine

2012

Irena, Jureka. "Studio Visit: Osamu Kobayashi," Best of All Worlds

Rutherford, Michael. "Osamu Kobayashi: Interview," Painter's Bread

2011

Weiss, Marion. "Abiding Abstraction 'at Boltax Gallery," Dan's Papers

2010

Burket, Brent. "The Brucennial: Piece By Piece," Hyperallergic

## Awards

2023

Residency with A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy 2022 Residency with A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy

2021

NYFA Artist Fellowship

2020

Residency with A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy

2019

The Lepsien Foundation Residency Grant, Düsseldorf, Germany

2017

Sharpe-Walentas Studio Program 2017-2018

701 Center for Contemporary Art Residency Program, Columbia, SC

2013

Hassam, Speicher, Betts, and Symons Purchase Fund

2005

Morris Louis '32 Scholarship, Maryland Institute College of Art

2002

Merit Scholarship, Maryland Institute College of Art Presidential Scholarship, Maryland Institute College of Art

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## Collections

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