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Education

- 2009 MFA in Jewelry and Metalsmithing**
Rhode Island School of Design (RISD)
Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2004 BFA in Arts and Crafts (Metals and Fiber Art)**
Sook Myung Women's University, Seoul, South Korea

Awards and Grants

- 2016 Mari Funaki Award: Finalist**, Gallery Funaki, Melbourne, Australia
- 2015 Special Citation Prize: The 9th Cheongju International Craft Competition**, Cheongju, South Korea
- 2014 Cominelli Foundation Awards : Finalist**
Palazzo Cominelli, Cisano di San Felice del Benaco, Italy
SAC Artist awards : Winner
The Society of Arts and Crafts, Boston, MA, U.S.A.
- 2012 NICHE Award: Winner in Jewelry (Sculpture to Wear)**
Sponsored by NICHE magazine, The Rosen Group, U.S.A.
- 2011 Adrianna Farrelli Prize for Excellence in Fiber Art**
Philadelphia Museum of Art Craft show, Philadelphia, PA, U.S.A.
- 2010 Professional Arts Development Grants (PAD)**
Rhode Island State Council on the Arts, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2009 SAC Artist Awards**
Top 5 finalist, Society of Arts and Crafts, Boston, MA, U.S.A.
Lydon Emerging Artist Award (LEAP)
Finalist juried by the Society for Contemporary Craft, PA, U.S.A.
Royal Marcher Scholarship
Supported by Mr. H.J. Feibelman, U.S.A.
Graduate Studies Fellowship
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
The Bayerischer Kunstgewerbe-Verein Award (BKV)
Photo juried by Schmuckmuseum Pforzheim and Vertreter des Bayerischen Kunstgewerbe-Vereins, Bavarian Crafts Council, Munich, Germany
- 2008 Royal Marcher Scholarship**
Supported by Mr. H. J. Feibelman, U.S.A.
Graduate Studies Fellowship
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI, U.S.A.

Permanent Collections

- 2018 Los Angeles County Museum of Art**
Los Angeles, CA, U.S.A.
- 2017 Art Gallery of South Australia**
Adelaide, SA, Australia
National Museum of Contemporary Art, Art Bank
Gwacheon-si, South Korea
- 2016 Pureun Cultural Foundation**
Seoul, South Korea
- 2014 Victoria and Albert Museum (V&A)**
London, U.K.
- 2012 Velcro Australia Inc.**
VA, Australia
- 2010 Velcro U.S.A. Inc**
Manchester, NH, U.S.A.
Museum of Arts and Design (MAD)
New York, NY, U.S.A.

Solo Exhibitions

- 2018 Threshold of Respect**
Hoard Gallery, Seoul, South Korea
- 2017 Infinity in Finity**
Bini Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
- 2015 Crossing the Chasm: Beyond the Threshold of Survival and Imagination**, Gallery Ahwon, Seoul, South Korea
- 2013 Studies in Requisite Variety**, Hangaram Design Museum of Seoul Arts Center, Seoul, South Korea
SpotLight: Yong Joo Kim
Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.
- 2011 Reconfiguring the Ordinary II**, Hangaram Design Museum of Seoul Arts Center, Seoul, South Korea
- 2010 Reconfiguring the Ordinary**
Gallery HL, Seoul, South Korea

Two Person Exhibitions

- 2015 Naturaficial: The Jewelry of Yong Joo Kim & Yoshie Enda**
The Gallery at Reinstein[Ross, New York, NY, U.S.A.
- 2012 Twist : Yong Joo Kim and Aki Ichiriki**
Gallery C.A.J, Kyoto, Japan

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2018 Nature Redefined**
Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge MA, U.S.A
MOMENTUM
Art and Space Gallery, Florence, Italy
Art Mining Seoul
DDP 2F, Seoul, South Korea
Structure by Christian Faur, Yong Joo Kim, and Zemer Peled
Sherrie Gallerie, Columbus, OH, U.S.A
Triple Parade 4
How Art Museum, Shanghai, China
The Aesthetics of Repetition
Crafts on the Hill, Seoul, South Korea
The Second Story of Providence
Park Eul Bok Embroidery Museum, Seoul, South Korea
- 2017 香有工藝 Sponsord by Seoul Foundation for Arts and Culture**
CR Collective, Seoul, South Korea
Craft Trend Fair Represented by Galerie Noel Guyomarch
Coex A Hall, Seoul, South Korea
Special Occasion Jewelry
Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.
Form Miami Represented by Charon Kransen
FL, U.S.A.
Small Things We Love
Artspace 000JH, Seoul, South Korea
SOFA Chicago Represented by Galerie Noel Guyomarch
Chicago, IL, U.S.A.
World On A String
Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.
Révélations represented by KCDF
Grand Palais, Paris, France

Selected Group Exhibitions (continued)**2017 Unhook and Connect**

Sanwoollim Art and Craft, Seoul, South Korea

Touchy Feely

Baltimore Jewelry Center, Baltimore, U.S.A.

New Material

Gallery Sowyen, Seoul, South Korea

Palm Beach Jewelry, Represented by Charon Kransen

Palm Beach County Convention Center, West Palm Beach, FL, U.S.A.

Contemplastic II

Gallery Dam, Seoul, South Korea

2016 Make Your Movements: Korean Contemporary Objects,

Korean Cultural Centre UK, London, U.K. / K11, Hong Kong

Color Me This: Contemporary Art Jewelry

Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, Boone, NC, U.S.A

SOFA Chicago Represented by Galerie Noel Guyomarch

Chicago, IL, U.S.A.

China International Gallery Exposition (CIGE) Sponsored by

Hiersun, China National Convention Center, Beijing, China

品: Power of Gentleness

Sook Myung Women's University Museum, Seoul, South Korea

Korea NOW! Korean Crafts and Design

Bavarian National Museum, Munich, Germany

Embodied Hosted by UW-Milwaukee Jewelry & Metals

ZOOM symposium, UWM Art History Gallery, Milwaukee, WI, U.S.A.

NO Boundaries: Art as Jewelry, Jewelry as Art

Sherrie Gallerie, Columbus, OH, U.S.A.

Palm Beach Jewelry, Represented by Charon Kransen

Palm Beach County Convention Center, West Palm Beach FL, U.S.A.

Art Now Fair Represented by Charon Kransen

Miami Beach Convention Center, Miami Beach FL, U.S.A.

2015 End of Year Exhibition

Galerie Noel Guyomarch, Montreal, Canada

The New Textiles: Transformed

Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.

Future in Hands : The Main Exhibition of the Craft Trend Fair

Coex A Hall, Seoul, South Korea

SOFA Chicago Represented by Galerie Noel Guyomarch,

Chicago, IL, U.S.A.

KOREA NOW! Craft, Design, Fashion and Graphic Design in

Korea, Musée des Arts décoratifs, Paris, France

Hands+: The 9th Cheongju International Craft Biennale

Cheongju, South Korea

Contemplastic

Gallery Baum, Heyri, South Korea

Journey Through Time

Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.

2014 Remarkable Contemporary Jewellery

Montreal Museum Of Fine Arts, Montreal, Canada

SAC Artist Awards Exhibition

SAC Gallery, Boston, MA, U.S.A.

Suspended in Green : Traveling Exhibition

Galerie V&V in Vienna, Austria

Lesley Craze Gallery, London, U.K

Gabi Green Gallery, Munich, Germany

Objects of Status, Power & Adornment II

Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.

2013 SOFA Chicago represented by Pallate Gallery

Navy Pier, Chicago, IL, U.S.A.

Beijing International Jewelry Art Biennial

China Millennium Monument, Beijing, China

Seams | Seems

MADA Gallery, Melbourne, Australia

Pinball Brooch Show

Harbourfront Centre, Toronto, Canada

Talente 13

Internationale Handwerksmesse, Munich, Germany

2012 Contemporary visions of the necklace and Art for the ear

Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA, U.S.A.

Simple matter(s)

Masion&Object by THE LABO MatériO, Paris, France

Designblok by THE LABO MatériO, Prague, Czech Republic

Sign of Life

Facèrè Jewelry Art Gallery, Seattle, WA, U.S.A.

SOFA New York Represented by Ornamentum Gallery

Park Avenue Armory, New York, NY, U.S.A.

Hand Head Heart

Hidden Space, Seoul, South Korea

International Jewelry Based on Readymades

Telemark Kunstnersentre, Skien, Norway

2011 Design Miami Represented by Ornamentum Gallery

Miami, FL, U.S.A.

SOFA Chicago Represented by Ornamentum Gallery

Chicago, IL, U.S.A.

Asia Top Gallery Hotel Art Fair

Grand Hyatt, Seoul, South Korea

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Mighty Tieton Warehouse Gallery, Tieton, WA, U.S.A.

Pawtucket Foundation Prize Exhibition

Pac Gallery, Pawtucket, RI, U.S.A.

Recontextualizing the Found Object

Martha Gault Gallery, Slippery Rock, PA, U.S.A.

2010 Wrapped

Studio 20/17 Gallery, Sydney, Australia

Eccentric Fusion

Hera Gallery, Wakefield, RI, U.S.A.

LOOT

Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY, U.S.A.

Money

Hera Gallery, Wakefield, RI, U.S.A.

Inflate / Deflate

Studio 304 Gallery, Providence, RI, U.S.A.

2009 The Present: International Jewelry Show

Gallery HL, Seoul, South Korea

From Minimal to Bling: Contemporary Studio Jewelry

Society of Arts and Crafts, Boston, MA, U.S.A.

To be Determined: The First Five Exhibition

Hatton Gallery, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, U.S.A.

Nuit Blanche

The Metal Guild of Canada, Toronto, ON, Canada

Selected Group Exhibitions (continued)

- 2009 East/West Emerging Artists Exchange**
Center on Contemporary Art (COCA), Seattle, WA, U.S.A.
- RISD MFA Graduate Thesis Exhibition**
Rhode Island Convention Center, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- Revolution, Present / Represent**
SNAG, Philadelphia, PA, U.S.A.
- Imaging Desire: The Aegis Biennial**
Hite Art Institute, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY, U.S.A.
- 2008 Wear We Are : Graduate Jewelry Biennial**
Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 3rd Annual Intercollegiate Metals Exhibition**
100 Gallery, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, U.S.A.
- Cresting, Surge**
SNAG, Savannah College Art and Design, Savannah, GA, U.S.A.

Selected Publications

- 2016 New Necklaces: 400+ Contemporary Designs**
Promopress Editions, Spain
- American Craft Magazine Cover & Interview, Oct/Nov Issue**
American Craft Council, Minneapolis, MN, U.S.A.
- 2014 WBUR, Boston's NPR News Station**
Boston, MA, U.S.A.
- 2013 Fiber Art Now**
CA, U.S.A.
- Lufthansa Women's World Magazine**
Germany
- 3000 Urban Magazine**
Australia
- The Jewel Book : International Annual of Contemporary Jewel Art** Stichting Kunstboek, Oostkamp, Belgium
- Showcase 500 Art Necklaces**
Lark Books, Sterling Publishing Co. INC, U.S.A.
- American Craft Magazine**
American Craft Council, Minneapolis, MN, U.S.A.
- Contemporary Jewelry. Limited edition**
Instituto Monsa de Ediciones, Spain
- Showcase 500 Rings: New Directions in Art Jewelry**
Lark Books, Sterling Publishing Co. INC, U.S.A.
- Eloquence : International Creative Magazine (Oct)**
Times Core Co, South Korea
- 2011 Elle Decoration**
Fall Winter issue, Hearst Joongang, South Korea
- ABC News (Nov)**
Chicago, IL, U.S.A.
- Ornament Magazine (Nov)**
CA, U.S.A.
- Korea JoongAng Daily (Nov 28)**
by Myo Ja Ser, South Korea
- Art Jewelry Today 3**
Schiffer Publishing LTD, U.S.A.
- Milk X Magazine : Artist Interview (April)**
Quarry Bay, Hong Kong
- 500 Silver Jewelry Designs**
Lark Books, Sterling Publishing Co. INC, U.S.A.
- 2011 Reconfiguring the Ordinary 2011 Catalog**
by Yong Joo Kim
- 2010 Map Magazine: Artist Interview (Mar)**
Sydney, Australia
- 2009 Art Jewelry Forum**
To Be Determined: The First Five Exhibition,
Reviewed by Yumi Janairo Roth, U.S.A.
- Providence Journal Article (May 21)**
by Bill Van Siclen, U.S.A.
- Reconfiguring the Ordinary: Artist Book**
by Yong Joo Kim, Blurb.com

Teaching and Lectures

- 2017- Adjunct Faculty, Sook Myung Women's University**
Arts and Crafts Department, Seoul, South Korea
- 2016 Visiting Artist Lecture, Hong Ik University**
Invited by Product Design Department, South Korea
- 2015 Lecture, SNAG Confernece in Boston**, Invited by the Society of North American Goldsmiths (SNAG), U.S.A.
- Visiting Artist Lecture, Sook Myung Women's University**
Invited by Arts and Crafts Department, Seoul, South Korea
- 2014 Panelist, Jury for Craft grants**
Invited by the Connecticut Office of the Arts (COA), U.S.A.
- 2013 SNAG Emerging Artists 2013 Lecture at SOFA Chicago**
Invited by the Society of North American Goldsmiths (SNAG), U.S.A.
- Critic, Rhode Island School of Design**
Introduction to Jewelry: winter, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2012 Instructor, Jewelry and Light Metals : Intermediate**
Continuing Education Class, RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2011 Instructor, Jewelry and Light Metals : The Basics**
Continuing Education Class, RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- Visiting Artist Lectures and Critiques**
Rhode Island College, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2010 Instructor, Jewelry and Light Metals : Intermediate**
Continuing Education Class, RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- Instructor, New Jewelry: Materials and Techniques**
Continuing Education Class, RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- Instructor, Jewelry Fabrication: The Basics**
The Steel Yard, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2009 Instructor, Jewelry and Light Metals**
Continuing Education Class, RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- Instructor, Introduction to Jewelry**
RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.
- 2008 Instructor, Introduction to Jewelry**
RISD, Providence, RI, U.S.A.