

Kikuji Kawada

- 1933 Born in Ibaraki Prefecture, Japan
- 1955 Graduated in Economy from the Rikkyo University
- 1955–1959 Staff photographer, Shincho Sha Publishing Company
- 1959 Organized "VIVO" photographers agency
- 1961 Break up "VIVO"

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Awards

- 2011 Lifetime Achievement Award, Photographic Society of Japan Awards
- 2004 Minister of Education's Art Encouragement Prize
- 1996 Annual Award, Photographic Society of Japan Awards
- 1996 Domestic Artist Prize, Higashikawa Award, Higashikawa International Photography Festival

Publication

- Vortex*, AKAACA (2022)
- One picture Book Two #25: MASK*, Nazraeli Press (2022)
- Chizu [Maquette Edition]*, Mack (2021)
- 20*, bookshop M (2021)
- Remote Past a Memoir: 1951–1966*, Case Publishing (2016)
- The Last Cosmology*, Mack (2015)
- The Map*, <Reprint / Limited Edition>, Akio Nagasawa Publishing (2014)
- SIX BY SIX – Japan 1951–1960*, Nazraeli Press (2014)
- World's End*, Self-published (2010)
- Remote Past: Memoir 1951–1966*, Self-published, Tokyo (2008)
- The Map*, <Limited Edition>, Getsuyosha (2005)
- Theatrum Mundi*, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography (2003)
- Eureka* <Limited Edition Portfolio>, Photo Gallery International, Tokyo (2001)
- The Globe Theater*, Self-published, Tokyo (1998)
- Kikuji Kawada* (Japanese Photographers 33), Iwanami Shoten, Tokyo (1998)
- The Last Cosmology*, 491, Tokyo (1995)
- Los Caprichos* <Limited Edition Portfolio>, Self-published (1986)
- Nude* <Limited Edition Portfolio>, Shincho Sha, Tokyo (1984)
- Ludwig II Collection* <Limited Edition Portfolio>, Self-published, Tokyo (1984)
- Cosmos of the Dream King*, Ludwig II, Asahi Sonorama, Tokyo (1979)
- Sacré Atavism*, Shashinhyoron Sha, Tokyo (1971)
- The Map*, Bijutsushuppan Sha, Tokyo (1965)

Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2022 *For Vortex*, Purple, Kyoto
Chizu/ The Map, The Third Gallery Aya, Osaka
Los Caprichos, Near Far, PGI, Tokyo
- 2021 *Endless Map*, PGI, Tokyo
- 2020 *Le Rouge et le Noir*, RICOH Imaging Square Tokyo, Tokyo
Los Caprichos, L. Parker Stephenson Photographs, New York
- 2019 *Shadow in the Shadow*, PGI, Tokyo
- 2018 *Los Caprichos -Instagrophy- 2017*, PGI, Tokyo
100 - Illusions, Canon Gallery S, Tokyo
- 2016 *Last Things*, PGI, Tokyo
Then & Now, L. Parker Stephenson Photographs, New York
- 2014 *The Last Cosmology*, L. Parker Stephenson Photographs, New York
The Last Cosmology, Michael Hoppen Gallery, London
- 2013 *unknown 2013*, Leica Gallery Tokyo
- 2012 *2011 - phenomena*, Photo Gallery International (P.G.I.), Tokyo
- 2011 *Nikko-A Parable*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 2010 *World's End 2008-2010*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 2009 *The Last Cosmology*, The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
- 2008 *Remote Past: Memoir 1951-1966*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 2007 *ATLAS 1998-2006*, epSITE, Tokyo
- 2006 *Invisible City*, P.G.I., Tokyo
Kikuji Kawada: The Map / Globe Theater, Galerie Camera Obscura, Paris
- 2005 *Eureka/ Multigraph*, Shadai Gallery, Tokyo Polytechnic University, Tokyo
- 2004 *The Map*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 2003 *Kikuji Kawada: Theatrum Mundi*, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
- 2001 *Eureka*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 1999 *The Globe Theater*, Internationale Fototage Herten, Herten, Germany
- 1998 *Car Maniac*, P.G.I. Shibaura, Tokyo
- 1996 *ZENO - The Last Cosmology*, P.G.I. Shibaura, Tokyo
The Last Cosmology, Higashikawa International Photography Festival, Higashikawa, Hokkaido, Japan
The Last Cosmology, Mitsubishi-Jisho Artium, Fukuoka, Japan
- 1995 *The Last Cosmology*, Tower Gallery, Yokohama, Japan
- 1986 *Los Caprichos 1970-80*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 1984 *Nude Museum and Ludwig II Collection*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 1976 *Kikuji Kawada Photographs*, Shadai Gallery, Tokyo Polytechnic University
- 1968 *Sacré- Atavism*, Nikon Salon, Ginza, Tokyo
- 1961 *The Map*, Fuji Photo Salon, Tokyo
- 1959 *The Sea*, Fuji Photo Salon, Tokyo

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2022 *Occupation and Peace*, Shadai Gallery, Tokyo
Farewell Photography: The Hitachi Collection of Postwar Japanese Photographs, 1961–1989,
 Phoenix Art Museum, Arizona, USA
- 2021 *Hallucinating Lenses, Primarily from the Museum Collection*, National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
- 2020 *Giacomelli e il suo tempo*, Palazzo del Duca, Senigallia, Italy
The Sky as a Studio. Yves Klein and his contemporaries, Centre Pompidou–Metz, Paris
PGI summer show COLORS, PGI, Tokyo
- 2019 *The Gaze of Things. Japanese Photography in the Context of Provoke*, Bombas Gens Centre d'Art,
 Valencia, Spain
PGI 40th Anniversary Exhibition, PGI, Tokyo
- 2018 *Time Frame: Contemporary East Asian Photography*, Baltimore Museum of Art, Maryland, USA
Women –through the lens–, PGI, Tokyo
- 2017 *A History of Photography: Selection from the Museum's Collection*, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston,
 Texas, USA
Birds in the Hand, PGI, Tokyo
- 2016 *Yasuo Kazuki, Iri and Toshi Maruki, Kikuji Kawada*, Hiratsuka Museum of Art, Kanagawa, Japan
Masters of Japanese Photography, Sainsbury Center for Visual Arts, Norwich, England
From the Collection: 1960–1969, The Museum of Modern Art, New York
The Sun Placed in the Abyss, Columbus Museum of Art, Ohio, USA
Japanese Photography from Postwar to Now, SFMOMA, California, USA
Take In, PGI, Tokyo
- 2015 *BAKEMONO*, Aomori Museum of Art, Aomori, Japan
In the wake: Japanese Photographers Respond to 3/11, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
- 2014 *Conflict, Time, Photography*, Tate Modern, London
- 2011 *Forest and Arts*, The Tokyo Metropolitan Teien Art Museum, Tokyo
- 2009 *Japan: A Self-Portrait*, The Setagaya Art Museum, Tokyo
- 2007 *VIVO*, Shadai Gallery, Tokyo Polytechnic University, Tokyo
- 2006 *EHON: The Art and Book in Japan*, The New York Public Library, New York
- 2003 *The History of Japanese Photography*, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, Texas, USA
VIVO, Shimane Art Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 2001 *Illusion: Japanese Photography*, Kulturhuset, Stockholm (traveling exhibition in Denmark, Sweden,
 Norway, and Finland)
Viva! ITALIA, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
- 2000 *P.G.I. Gallery Artists*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 1999 *Contemporary Photographic Art from Japan*, Neuer Berliner Kunstverein, Berlin
Master Works, Master Photographers, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
Exploring Photography: From the Museum Collection, National Film Center, The National Museum of
 Modern Art, Tokyo

- 1998 *Waterproof*, Expo'98, Lisbon
Corridor of the Gaze / Theatrical Tableaux, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
Under / Exposed, Stockholm Photography Festival, Stockholm, Sweden
Realism in Postwar Japan 1945–1960, Nagoya City Art Museum, Nagoya, Japan
- 1995 *Japanese Culture: The Fifty Postwar Years*, Meguro Museum of Art, Tokyo
Objects, Faces and Anti-Narratives–Rethinking Modernism, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
Works by 25 Photographers in Their 20's, Kiyosato Museum of Photographic Arts, Yamanashi, Japan
- 1991 *Innovation in Japanese Photography in the 1960's*, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
Beyond Japan: A Photo Theatre, Barbican Art Gallery, London
Photographs in Japan 1955–1965, Yamaguchi Prefectural Museum of Art, Yamaguchi, Japan
- 1990 *Eye of déjà-vu*, Heineken Village Gallery, Tokyo
- 1989 *Photographie Japonaise*, Provincial Museum, Netherlands
- 1988 *Eight Japanese Photographers*, P.G.I., Tokyo
- 1986 *Japon des Avant-Gardes 1910– 1970*, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
L'Art Japonaise du XXème Siècle, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
The Works with Polaroid 20x24, Shibuya Seibu Seed Hall, Tokyo
- 1985 *Paris, New York, Tokyo*, Tsukuba Museum of Photography 1985, Ibaraki, Japan
- 1981 *VIVO*, Shadai Gallery, Tokyo Polytechnic University, Tokyo
- 1979 *Japan: A Self-Portrait*, International Center of Photography, New York
- 1978 *VIVO: Contemporary Photography*, Santa Barbara Museum of Art, California, USA
- 1976 *Neue Fotografie aus Japan*, Kulturhaus der Stadt, Graz, Austria
- 1974 *New Japanese Photography*, Museum of Modern Art, New York
- 1963 *Contemporary Japanese Photographs*, National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
- 1962 *Non*, Matsuya Department Store, Ginza, Tokyo
- 1957 *10 Photographers' Eyes*, Konishiroku Photo Gallery, Ginza, Tokyo

Public Collections

The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, Japan
Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan
Kushiro Art Museum, Hokkaido, Japan
Kawasaki City Museum, Kanagawa, Japan
Kiyosato Museum of Photographic Arts, Yamanashi, Japan
Yamaguchi Prefectural Museum of Art, Yamaguchi, Japan
Tama Art University Museum, Tokyo, Japan
Tokyo Institute of Polytechnic, Tokyo, Japan
Nihon University, Tokyo, Japan
Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA
Center for Creative Photography, University of Arizona, Tucson, USA
Princeton University Art Museum, New Jersey, USA
Musée National d'Art Moderne, Paris, France



Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France

Mead Art Museum/ Amherst College, Boston, USA

Tate Modern, London, England

The Morgan Library & Museum, New York, USA

The Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, USA