

# HOLLIS TAGGART

## HIROYA KURATA

### BIOGRAPHY

1980 Born in Japan  
Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

### EDUCATION

2003 Parsons School of Design, *New York, NY*, BFA

### SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2020 (Forthcoming) *Over the Influence*, Los Angeles  
2019 *Bat Walk*, KOKI ARTS, Tokyo  
*Union St.*, Monya Rowe Gallery, New York  
2012 *This Land was your Land*, Ivory & Black Soho, London  
2011 *Play the Right Game*, Common Gallery, Tokyo

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 (Forthcoming) *Look Again: A Survey of Contemporary Painting*, Hollis Taggart, Southport, CT  
Stems Gallery, Belgium  
PLUS-ONE Gallery, Belgium, curated by CASE STUDYO  
2019 *Spring/Break Art Show*, KOKI ARTS, with Hiro Tsuchiya  
*Artifacts*, Nevven Gallery, Sweden, curated by Joakim Ojanen  
*Bloom*, Over Under Room, Brooklyn, NY  
2018 *Highlight: Chelsea*, Hollis Taggart, New York, curated by Paul Efstathiou  
Ross & Kramer Gallery, East Hampton, Two-person show with Koichi Sato  
*Coffee for Eight*, Part 2 Gallery, Los Angeles  
2017 *Gumbo*, MAW Gallery, New York, curated by Mason Saltarrelli  
*Works on Paper*, China Heights Gallery, Sydney, Australia  
Harpy Gallery, New Jersey  
2016 *How High?*, Left Field Gallery, California, curated by Ryan Travis Christian and Travis Fish  
2015 *The Thrill of Victory, The Agony of Defeat*, New Image Art Gallery, Los Angeles, curated by Patrick Martinez  
*All Kinds of Characters*, Joshua Liner Gallery, New York, curated by The World's Best Ever  
*Melted City 2*, Blanc Contemporary, Philippines, curated by Jordin Isip  
2014 *Salt the Sky*, FFDG, San Francisco  
2013 *Seventh Inning Stretch*, Eric Firestone Gallery, New York  
2012 *December Group Show*, Guerrero Gallery, San Francisco  
*Patterns, Marks, Repetitions, Patterns, Beginnings*, Brooklyn  
*The Diamond Sea*, FFDG, San Francisco  
*Permanent Collection*, Nancy Margolis Gallery, New York, curated by Jordin Isip  
*Cigarettes, Phone Cards and Hip Hop Clothing*, FFDG, San Francisco  
*Melted City*, Blanc Compound, Philippines, curated by Jordin Isip  
*Spring Has Sprung*, Motus Fort Gallery, Tokyo  
2010 *From Kojiki to Modern Heroism*, Joshua Liner Gallery, New York, Two-person show with Tat Ito

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- 2020 *Exhibition*, Above Second Gallery, Hong Kong  
*The Rules for Staying Young*, NWA (New Wilmington Art Association),  
Wilmington, DE
- 2009 *Group Exhibition*, Richard Heller Gallery, Santa Monica, CA  
*Love it or Leave it*, 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco  
*New York Connection*, Gallery Target, Tokyo  
*Dime Bag 3*, Giant Robot Gallery, New York, curated by Jordin Isip  
*Hiro Kurata and Tommie Lim*, Ad Hoc Art, Brooklyn  
*Group Exhibition 2*, David B Smith Gallery, Denver
- 2008 *Panorama*, Jonathan Levine Gallery, New York, curated by Jordin Isip  
*The Wonder*, Black Maria Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2007 *Hiro Kurata x Inoue Jun*, Gallery Scene, Tokyo
- 2006 *Assembly*, Front Room, Brooklyn, curated by Jordin Isip

## SELECTED PRESS

Sasha Bogojev, "Art In Uncertain Times: Hiroya Kurata From NYC to Florida," *Juxtapoz*, April 13, 2020.

Sasha Bogojev, "'Bat Walk': Hiroya Kurata Presents Baseball Askew," *Juxtapoz*, September 11, 2019.

Sarah Cascone, "Editors' Picks: 19 Things Not to Miss in New York's Art World This Week," *artnet*, June 10, 2019.

"Union St: Hiroya Kurata @ Monya Rowe Gallery, NYC," *Juxtapoz*, May 28, 2019.

Shana Beth Mason, "Streets, Sports and Seeing Anew: An Interview with Hiroya Kurata," *Frontrunner*, March 23, 2019.

*Sound & Vision* podcast with Brian Alfred, November 8, 2018.

Tomoya Rumi, "A Young Painter Fights in New York," *Danro*, September 20, 2018.