

TOSHIO OHI CHOZAEMON XI

BORN:

1958 Kanazawa, Ishikawa, Japan

EDUCATION:

1981-84 M.F.A. Boston University, Program In Artisanry, Boston, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

1978-81 B.A. Tamagawa University, Tokyo, Japan

RELATED EXPERIENCE:

- 2017- Advisory Member, *The Agency for Cultural Affairs Chief*
- 2016- Succeeded to the name of OHI CHOZAEMON XI.
- 2016- Visiting Associate Professor, *Shanghai Art & Design Academy*
- 2015- Instructor, *Tokyo University of Fine Arts*
- 2009- Visiting Associate Professor, *Kanazawa University (Japan)*
- 2006- Visiting Associate Professor, *Taiwan National College of the Arts (Taiwan)*
- 1997- Visiting Associate Professor, *Rochester Institute of Technology (New York, U.S.A.)*
- 1993- Instructor, *Kanazawa Utatsuyama City Crafts School*

MEMBER:

- 2016- Executive Director, *Japan Contemporary Arts & Crafts Association*
- 2016- Expert Committee, *Shanghai Art Collection Museum International*
- 2014- Membership of advisory committee, *Nitten (Japan Fine Arts Exhibition)*
- 2012- Director, *Japan Contemporary Arts & Crafts Association*
- 2007- Member, *Nitten (Japan Fine Arts Exhibition)*
- 1999- Member, *International Academy of Ceramics Arts (IAC)*
- 1993- Member, *Japan Traditional Crafts Association*
- 2016- Sommelier d'honneur, *Association des Sommeliers du Japon*
- 2004- Chevaliers du tastevin, *Bourgogne (France)*

AWARDS:

- 2015 Prime Minister of Japan Prize, *Fifty-Fourth Japan Contemporary Craft Exhibition*
- 2011 Prizewinner, *First Jingdezhen International Kaolin Ceramic Competition*
- 2009 Prizewinner (Membership Award), *Forty-First Nitten Exhibition*
- 2008 Governor of Tokyo Prize, *Forty-Seventh Japan Contemporary Craft Exhibition*
- 2005 Prizewinner, *Thirty-Seventh Nitten Exhibition*
- 2004 Prizewinner, *Forty-Third Japan Contemporary Craft Exhibition*
- 2004 Japan Good Design Award, *The Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry*
- 2003 The Small and Medium Enterprise Agency Commissioner Prize, *Twenty Seventh Japan Traditional Craft Competition*
- 2002 Prizewinner, *Thirty-Fourth Nitten Exhibition*
- 2002 Prizewinner, *Forty-First Japan Contemporary Craft Exhibition*
- 2002 Prizewinner, *Thirty-Ninth Japan Contemporary Craft Exhibition*
- 2002 Prizewinner, *Twenty-Third Kanazawa City Cultural Activity Award*
- 1997 Top Prizewinner, *Ishikawa Culture & Fine Arts Award, Fifty-Third*

Contemporary Art Exhibition

- 1995 Top Prizewinner, *Sixth Northern Vessel Exhibition*
- 1995 Prizewinner, *Third Kanazawa International Craft Competition*
- 1990 Top Prizewinner, *Forty-Six Contemporary Art Exhibition*
- 1990 Prizewinner, *(Governor of Ishikawa) Forty-Six Kanazawa Craft Exhibition*
- 1988 Prizewinner, *Forty-Forth Contemporary Art Exhibition*
- 1987 Top Prizewinner, *(Mayor of Kanazawa) Forty-Third Kanazawa Craft*

JUDGE:

- Japan Fine Arts Exhibition (Nitten) (served in 2008, 2011 and 2014)
- Japan Contemporary Craft Exhibition (served in 2006, 2011, 2014 and 2018)
- Japan and USA Ceramics Exhibition (served in 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016 and 2018)
- Gifu Prefecture Art Festival Art Award in the Cube (served in 2016)
- Miyazaki Prefecture Nichinichi Art Competition (served in 2014 and 2015)
- Ishikawa Prefecture Contemporary Art Exhibition (served in 1994, 1997, 2001, 2004, 2007, 2011, 2013, 2015 and 2018)
- Kanazawa Arts and Crafts Exhibition (1991-2018)
- Ishikawa Prefectural Ceramics Exhibitions (1990-2018)

EXHIBITIONS:

- 2016 Solo Exhibition, *Daiwa, Kanazawa, Takashimaya, Kyoto, Tokyo, Yonago*
- 2016 Invitational Exhibition, *Embassy of Japan, Washington D.C., U.S.A.*
- 2015 Invitational Exhibition, *The Future of Art Crafting Exhibition New York Museum of Art & Design*
- 2015 Invitational Exhibition, *Ohi Toshio & Koshino Hiroko Exhibition KH Gallery, Tokyo*
- 2015 Invitational Exhibition, *The Future of Art Crafting Wako Hall, Tokyo*
- 2014 Invitational Exhibition, *The Ohi Inheritance Exhibition as the Legend Continues Ohi Chozaemon X and Ohi Toshio XI, Nippon Gallery New York / Kanazawa in Ginza Gallery Tokyo*
- 2013 Nomination Artist, *7th World Ceramic Biennale Korea International Competition. Korea*
- 2013 Invitational Exhibition, *China, Japan & Korea Artists Shanghai Art Museum, Shanghai, China*
- 2013 Invitational Exhibition, *The Best Selection 2013 Tokyo Metropolitan Museum, Tokyo, Japan*
- 2013 Invitational Exhibition, *Kanazawa World Crafts Competition, the 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa*
- 2012 Exhibition, *2èmes Rencontres Internationales Raku Exhibition, Giroussens, France*
- 2012 Invitational Exhibition, *The Next Future of Art Crafting Kanazawa, 21st Century Museum*
- 2012 Invitational Exhibition, *Contemporary Crafts Fair Tacoma University, Seattle, U.S.A.*
- 2011 Invitational Exhibition *Contemporary Crafts Fair Tokyo International Forum, Tokyo, Japan*
- 2010 Group Exhibition, *The beauty of Japan, China & Korea Yakushiji-Temple,*

Nara, Japan

- 2009 Invitational Exhibition, "Crafts Freedom" Kanazawa 21st Art Museum
2007 Solo Tour Exhibition, *Encounter of New Tradition*, Onishi Gallery, New York. USA, Fu-Gui Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan
2006 Group Exhibition, *Harmony of Nine Tsinghua University*, Beijing, China
2004 Invitational Exhibition, *The Uncommon Denominator. 2yr tour in the USA*
2003 Invitational Exhibition, *Craft Transformed Fuller Museum of Art, Brockton, Ma, USA*
2003 Invitational Exhibition, *Korea, Japan Contemporary Ceramic Exhibition Kumho Museum, Seoul, Korea*
2002 Invitational Exhibition, *The New Way of Tea Exhibition Japan Society and Asian Society, NY, U.S.A.*
2002 Invitational Exhibition, *Asian Pacific Contemporary Ceramics Taiwan Contemporary Ceramics Museum*
1999 Invitational Exhibition, *NHK Heart Exhibition*
1998 Invitational Exhibition, *World Artist Tour*
1993 Invitational Exhibition, *Gent Design Museum, Belgium*
1993 Invitational Exhibition, *Nancy City Hall, France*
1992 Invitational Exhibition, *Melting Cultural Diversity Yi-Shing Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan*
1985 Solo Exhibition, *Mckllip Gallery, Salve Regine College, Newport, Rhode Island, USA*
1985 Two man Exhibition, *Laughlin Winkler Gallery Boston, Massachusetts, USA*
1984 Solo Exhibition, *Boston City Hall, Boston, Massachusetts, USA*

VISITING ARTIST/LECTURES:

- 2016 Lecture, *Embassy of Japan, Washington D.C., U.S.A.*
2016 Lecture, *Urasenke Tohoku Block Sendai, Miyagi*
2016 Panel Discussion, *G1 Chubu, Hamamatsu Shizuoka*
2016 Lecture, *shikawa-Pref mediation committee member meeting*
2015 Lecture, *Washington & Lee University, VA USA*
2015 Lecture & Workshop, *Piedmont College, USA*
2014 Lecture, *New York Japan Society, USA*
2013 Visiting artist, *Japan-Korea Tea Ceremony, associated to the 7th Korea Gyenggi International Ceramics Biennale, Korea*
2013 Lecture, *Roppongi Art College, Roppongi Hills Tokyo*
2012 Lecture & Workshop, *2^{ème} Rencontres internationales céramique Raku de Giroussens, France*
2011 Panel Discussion, *Real Japan, Ishikawa Prefecture Music hall*
2010 Curator, *Kanazawa International Crafts Triennale, Kanazawa 21st Century Museum*
2010 Panel, *Kyoto brand Forum, Ishikawa Prefecture Music hall*
2010 Lecture and Panel, *International Creative City Conference, Taipei, Taiwan*
2009 Lecture TED X, *Seeds Conference, Tokyo*
2009 Lecture and Workshop, *Central of Academy Arts, Beijing, China*
2009 Kanazawa World Crafts Triennale Mission, *Taiwan, Korea, China*

- 2007 50 years Memorial Project for Monterey Jazz Festival, *Monterey California, USA*
- 2005 Lecture and Workshop, *International Raku Workshop, Grand Junction, Colorado USA*
- 2004 Lecture, *Korea, Japan Culture Panel Discussion, Jonju Korea*
- 2001 Lecture & Workshop, *International RAKU Symposium, Korea*
- 1998 Lecture & Workshop, *University of Hawaii, USA*
- 1996 Lecture & Workshop, *National Conference of Education in the Ceramic Arts (N.C.E.C.A), Rochester, New York, USA*
- 1994 Lecture & Workshop, *Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA*
- 1992 Lecture, *Taipei Fine Art Museum and National Taiwan Academy of Arts*
- 1991 Lecture & Workshop, *Altos De Chavon La Romana, Dominican Republic*
- 1989 Lecture & Workshop, *Rochester Institute of Technology, New York, USA*
- 1985 Lecture & Workshop, *Salve Regina College, Newport, Rhode Island, USA*
- 1985 Lecture & Workshop, *Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah. USA*
- 1984 Lecture & Workshop, *Philadelphia College of Art, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA*
- 1984 Lecture & Workshop, *Parsons School of Design, New York, New York, USA*
- 1984 Lecture & Workshop, *National Conference of Education in the Ceramic Arts, (N.C.E.C.A.), Boston, Massachusetts, USA*
- 1984 Lecture, *Japan Society of Boston, Boston, Massachusetts, USA*
- 1983 Lecture & Workshop, *University of Saskatchewan, Regina, Saskatchewan Canada*
- 1982 Lecture & Workshop, *Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

DESIGN PROJECTS:

- 2016 Interior Space designed & Clay work, *Kanazawa Aozora Pharmacy, Ishikawa*
- 2016 Interior Space designed, *Diamond Shiraishi, Kanazawa, Ishikawa*
- 2015 Interior Space designed & Clay work, *Kanazawa Sainoniwa Hotel*
- 2014 Design, *Premium Bus Being Group, Kanazawa*
- 2014 Interior Space designed & Mural, *Netz Toyota Hakusan, Ishikawa*
- 2013 Interior Space designed & Mural, *Toyota Komatsu, Ishikawa*
- 2011 Interior Space designed & Mural, *Toyota Ishikawa, Kanazawa East, Nonoichi, Kanazawa Motomachi*
- 2010 Garden Design, *Isaji House, Nagoya*
- 2009 Producer, *Asia Pacific Environmental Development Forum Official Dinner, Kagaya, Nanao, Ishikawa, Japan*
- 2006 Interior Space and furniture [GARDE] designed, *Salone Internazionale del Mobile, Milan, Italy*
- 2003 Sun Glass Design, *OHI TOSHIO BRAND, 15 countries*
- 2001 Restaurant-Interior Space designed, *Kagaya Ginza, Tokyo*

COLLECTIONS:

USA

- County Museum, The Huntington Library, Los Angeles, California
- Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit, Michigan

Fuller Museum, Brockton, Massachusetts
Everson Museum of Art, Syracuse, New York
Honolulu Academy of Art, Hawaii
David Rockefeller Office, New York
Mondale Office, Minnesota
City of Boston, Massachusetts
City of Portsmouth, New Hampshire

BRAZIL

Japan Culture Association(San Paulo)
Japan Welfare Association(San Paulo)
Felipe Massa Museum (F1 Driver, San Paulo)

EUROPE

Ariana Museum, Switzerland
Musee de Sevre, France
Sirukunst Museum, Gent, Belgium
Nancy City Hall, Nancy, France

ASIA

Jingdezhen Ceramics Museum, China
Shanghai Art Collection Museum
Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Taiwan
Visual Art Center, Seoul, Korea
Peninsular Hotel, Hong Kong, China

JAPAN

Japan Foundation/Grand Shrine at Ise the Inner Kagura Hall, Mie
Urasenke Chado Center, Kyoto
21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Ishikawa
Kanazawa Nakamura Memorial Museum, Ishikawa
Kanazawa Utatsuyama Craft Workshop Center
Sogetsu Hall, Tokyo
Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., Osaka
THE HOKKOKU SHIMBUN, Kanazawa
Kanazawa Gakuin University, Ishikawa
Ishikawa Prefectural Izumigaoka High School
Hokuriku Broadcasting, MRO, Kanazawa Ishikawa
Hokkoku Bank(Kanazawa, Ishikawa
Kanazawa Nikko Hotel, Ishikawa
Shimizu General Construction Co.
Mitani Sangyo Co.,Ltd., Kanazawa
Kanazawa East police station
Hotel Nikko Kanazawa