

Kan YASUDA CV

1945 Born in Bibai, Hokkaido, Japan.

Lives and works in Pietrasanta, Northern Italy.

Solo Exhibitions

2025	<i>OLTRE LA FORMA</i> , Pietrasanta
2023-2025	<i>FORMA SUONO ANIMA</i> , Viareggio
2022	<i>Touching the Time</i> , Arte Piazza Bibai, Hokkaido, Japan
2017	<i>Kan Yasuda's Bronze Exhibition—Connecting time and time</i> , Arte Piazza Bibai, Hokkaido, Japan <i>Between Sky and Water</i> , Aman Venice, Venice
2016	<i>Touching the Time</i> , Pisa <i>Touching the Time</i> , Christie's, New York
2014	<i>Kan Yasuda</i> , Eykyn Maclean, New York
2012	<i>Touching</i> , Arte Piazza Bibai, Hokkaido, Japan <i>Touching</i> , Gallery TOM, Tokyo
2011-2012	<i>The Contemporary Myth</i> , Ginza, Taormina,
2011	<i>Touching the City</i> , Sapporo, Japan <i>Touching the City</i> , Torino
2007-2008	<i>Touching the Time</i> , Roma
2005	<i>Amare la vita e' costruire la pace</i> , Assisi
2004-2005	<i>Sculpt the Opera, Madam Butterfly</i> , Pisa Airport, Pisa
2003	<i>Kan Yasuda materia eterea</i> , Villa La Versiliana, Pietrasanta, Italy <i>Sculptures of Kan Yasuda: Tie to the Sky, Link with the Earth</i> , Hokkaido Museum of Modern Art, Arte Piazza Bibai, Hokkaido, Japan
2001-2002	<i>Sculptures at the Teien</i> , Tokyo Metropolitan Teien Art Museum, Tokyo
2000	<i>Firenze, Sculptures in the City</i> , Firenze
1999	<i>Open-Air</i> , Torre del Lago Puccini
1997	<i>Open-Air</i> , Pietrasanta
1995	<i>Open-Air</i> , Pietrasanta The Economist Plaza, London Berkeley Square Gallery, London
1994-1995	<i>Marble and Bronze</i> , Yorkshire Sculpture Park, West Bretton
1991	<i>Sculpture Path</i> , Milano
1987	Tokeidai Gallery, Sapporo, Japan

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1985	Gallery Ueda Warehouse, Tokyo
1984	Galleria Retina, Sapporo, Japan
1978	Marui Imai Gallery, Sapporo, Japan
1976	Daido Gallery, Sapporo, Japan
1975	Time's Gallery, Rome
1973	Gallery 88, Rome

Group Exhibitions

2024	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz
2021	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz <i>Three-person exhibition</i> , Gallery Shirokane, Tokyo
2020	<i>Sculptors gathering in the Jingu Forest</i> , Meiji Shrine, Tokyo
2019	<i>A Birthday – Yunoki Samiro and his companies</i> , Galerie Etienne de Causans, Paris
2018	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz <i>Kan Yasuda' - A Grateful Glance Exhibition – with Samiro Yunoki</i> , Gallery TOM, Tokyo
2017	<i>Kan Yasuda- A Grateful Glance Exhibition</i> , Arte Piazza Bibai, Hokkaido, Japan
2015	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Musée Tomo, Bad Ragaz
2012- 2013	<i>Sculpture Promenade 2012</i> , Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge
2012	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz
2009	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz
2006	<i>Springs of Life</i> , San Giuliano Terme, Italy <i>Marble of Work</i> , Seravezza <i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz <i>Homage to the Earth: Busan Biennale</i> , Busan <i>Sculpture en Plein Air</i> , Limone Piemonte and Cortile d'Onore della Palazzina di Caccia di Stupinigi, Turin, Italy
2005	<i>Nostalgia of Future</i> , Chiesa di Sant'Angelo, Pietrasanta, Italy <i>Vetro e Scultura, 20 artisti interpretano Venini</i> , Chiesa di Sant'Agostino, Pietrasanta
2002	<i>Pietrasanta, Sculptor and Sculpture</i> , Pietrasanta
2001	<i>Vibration: United Senses</i> , Utsunomiya Museum of Art, Utsunomiya, Japan
2000	<i>Bad Ragartz</i> , Bad Ragaz
1999	<i>Les Champs de la Sculpture 2</i> , Paris <i>CUMA 4000 Sculpture and Architecture of Nineties</i> , Cuma, Italy <i>Illumination</i> , Firenze, Padua, Turin and Palermo
1998	<i>Open-Air Exhibition</i> , Pisa <i>Omaggio a Nivola</i> , Nuoro, Italy
1997	<i>The Fertile Stone Three Sculptors in Zola Predosa</i> , Zola Predosa, Italy
1996	<i>G'96 International Open-Air Sculpture Exhibition</i> , Lake Maggiore
1995	<i>Time Machine: ancient Egypt and contemporary art</i> , Egyptian Museum Turin, Turin
1993	<i>The Appearance of Void</i> , Pietrasanta
1991	<i>Art and Architecture: Proposals for the Urban Environment</i> , La Triennale di Milano, Milano
1990	<i>Sculpture Path for the World Cup '90</i> , Milano <i>Sculptors</i> , Bernay

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1989	<i>Sculpting between Carrara and Pietrasanta</i> , Marina di Carrara <i>Idioms of Contemporary Sculpture</i> , Verona
1988	<i>Sculptures from Carrara, Massa and Pietrasanta</i> , Yorkshire Sculpture Park, West Bretton
1986	<i>Massa International Sculpture, Malaspina Castle</i> , Massa <i>Japanese Artists in Italy</i> , Firenze and Parma, Italy
1985	<i>Sculpture in Transit</i> , Montignoso, Italy
1984	<i>International Open-Air Sculpture Exhibition</i> , Les-Gets, France
1983	<i>Sculpture Yesterday and Today</i> , Pietrasanta <i>Art in Hokkaido</i> , Arbata
1980	<i>Japanese Contemporary Artists</i> , La Triennale di Milano, Milano
1979	<i>14 Japanese Artists in Italy</i> , Rome
1977	<i>Sculptors and Artisans in a Historical Center</i> , Pietrasanta <i>The Fifth Quadrennial</i> , Rome
1975	<i>The Second Biennial Dantesca</i> , Ravenna, Italy

Awards

2025	Isamu Noguchi Award Honorary Citizenship of Pietrasanta
2020	Architectural Institute of Japan Culture Award
2015	Lifetime Achievement Award of Hokkaido, Japan
2013	Hokkaido Culture Award, Japan
2010	Award of Commiccioner for Cultural Affairs, Japan Giacomo Puccini Award, Puccini Foundation, Italy Hokkaido Shinbun Cultural Award, Japan
2009	Japan Awards, Italia Japan Foundation
2006	Order of the Star of the Italian Solidarity (The honor of the Italian Republic)
2003	Special Award of Tuscany, Italy
2002	Award for Poem of Alpi Apuane, Italy The 15th Murano Togo Award for the Arte Piazza Bibai project, Japan The 9th Inoue Yasushi Cultural Award, Japan
2001	Special Award of Puccini Foundation, Italy
1995	Award of Pietrasanta of the World, Italy
1994	International Award for Sculpture, Italy
1992	The 42nd Minister of Education and Culture Award for New Artist, Japan

Public Collections

Australia

Aurora Place, Sydney

Italy

Boboli Gardens, Uffizi Galleries, Firenze
Don Luigi Giussani Park, Miano
Torre del Lago Puccini, Viareggio

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Trajan Market, Imperial Forum Museum, Roma

Pietrasanta Station, Pietrasanta

Japan

Kan Yasuda Sculpture Museum – Arte Piazza Bibai, Hokkaido

Sapporo Dome, Hokkaido

Sapporo Art Park, Hokkaido

Hokkaido Governor's Official Residence, Sapporo, Hokkaido

Hokkaido Museum of Modern Art, Sapporo, Hokkaido

Sapporo Concert Hall KITARA, Hokkaido

Sapporo Station, Hokkaido

Sapporo Soseigawa Park, Hokkaido

Hakodate Goryoukaku Hospital, Hokkaido

Asahikawa Station, Hokkaido

Kitahiroshima Ryokuyo Park, Hokkaido

Iwamizawa Higashiyama Park, Hokkaido

Iwamizawa City Hall, Hokkaido

Northern Horse Park, Tomakomai, Hokkaido

Garo Family Park, Bibai, Hokkaido

Bibai Station, Hokkaido

Naie City Park, Hokkaido

Arai Memorial Museum of Art, Iwanai, Hokkaido

Higashikawa Elementary School, Hokkaido

Higashikawa Bunka Gallery, Hokkaido

Higashikawa Sattelite Office, Hokkaido

Higashikawa KITORON, Hokkaido

Lake Toya, Hokkaido

Aiina Center, Iwate

Sakata City Museum of Art, Yamagata

Hitachi City Public Plaza, Ibaraki

Kawaguchi City West Public Hall, Saitama

Teganuma Hydro Plaza, Chiba

Chiba Prefectural Museum of Art, Chiba

Tokyo Metropolitan Teien Museum, Tokyo

Tokyo Shigoto Center, Tokyo

Tornare Nihonbashi Hamacho, Tokyo

Mitsubishi Corporation Headquarters, Tokyo

Ishibashi Foundation Art Research Center, Tokyo

Tokyo Midtown, Tokyo

Tokyo Midtown Hibiya, Tokyo

Tokyo Internatinal Forum, Tokyo

Shibuya Cultural Center OOWADA, Tokyo

JINDAIJI Temple, Tokyo

Tama Center, Tokyo

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CHOENJI Temple, Kanagawa
Nisseki Yokohama Building, Kanagawa
Yokohama International Swimming Pool, Kanagawa
Yokohama Museum of Art, Kanagawa
Niigata Toki Messe, Niigata
Takaoka OTOGI NO MORI Park, Toyama
Sezon Museum of Contemporary Art, Nagano
Nakatsugawashi Tsukechi Community Center, Gifu
Okazaki Central Park, Aichi
Okazaki Mindscape Museum, Aichi
Hyogo Performing Arts Center, Hyogo
Benesse Art Site Naoshima, Kagawa
Miyazaki Prefectural Art Museum, Miyazaki

South Korea

APEC Naru Park, Busan

Spain

Garachico, Tenerife

U.K.

Bridgewater Hall, Manchester
Yorkshire Sculpture Park

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Citygarden, St.Louis