

## Leiko IKEMURA



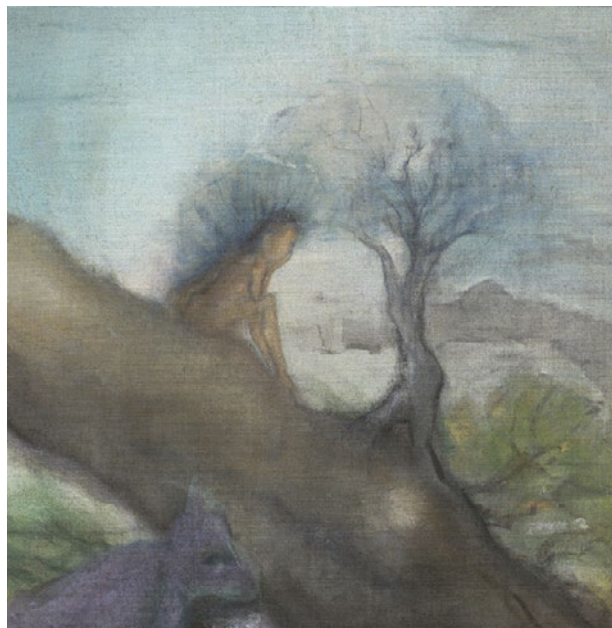
Leiko Ikemura received the Minister of Education Award this year thanks to her solo exhibition *Leiko Ikemura Our Planet - Earth & Stars* at the National Art Center, Tokyo in 2019. *Genesis I* is a large-scale painting which features a world full of collective bodies of “being,” what the artist has expressed since the 2000s. By making various images come into existence, she depicts a world’s condition prior to any well-established language, which is also represented in her sculptural work *Lake Face*.

[Leiko IKEMURA interview movie](#)

### *Genesis I*

2015 - 2017  
tempera paint on jute  
190 × 290cm

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Leiko IKEMURA, installation view of *After another world*, 2017, ShugoArts

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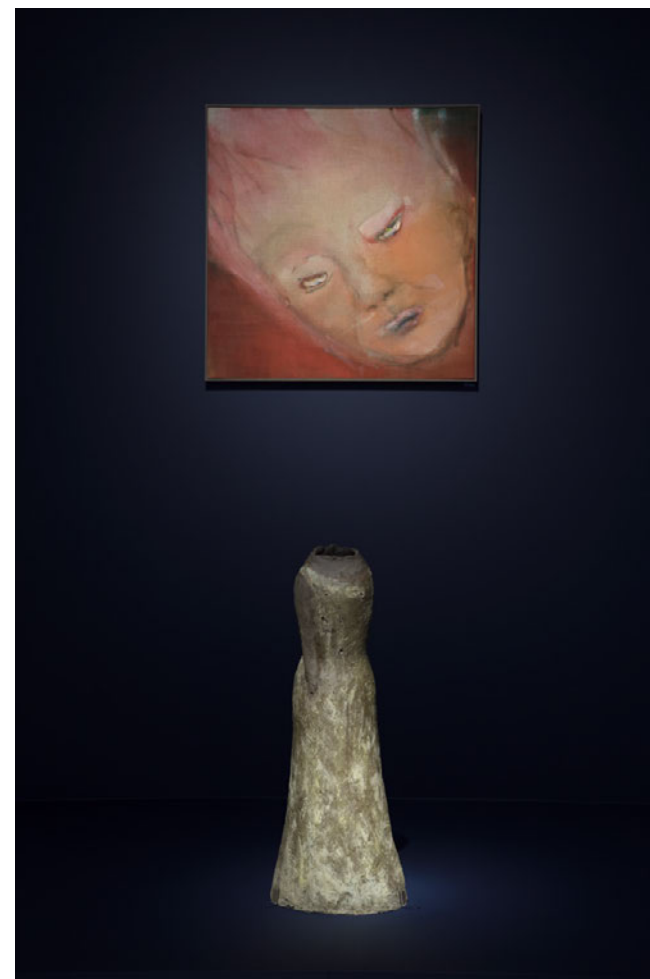
***Lake Face***

2017

terracotta

16.3 × 29.5 × 17.5cm

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Leiko IKEMURA, installation views of *Our Planet – Earth & Stars*, 2019, The National Art Center, Tokyo