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is a visual artist who organizes *CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS, a platform for collaboration. The project is mobile, continuously relocating its office into different institutions, organizing curatorial projects, exhibitions, publications and web projects at <http://artonline.jp/> *CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS has been hosting the Kitakyushu Biennial in collaboration with the Art Institute of Kitakyushu since 2007. Takuji Kogo has produced a large body of work both as a solo artist and in collaborations under the *CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS. Takuji Kogo lives in Fukuoka, Japan.

SELECTED CURATORIAL PROJECTS AND SOLO EXHIBITIONS

A *Candy Factory Project
Boogie Woogie Wonderland
Kalmar konstmuseum 2015

KIMI KIM JALAN JALAN
Takuji Kogo + Young Hae Chang Heavy Industries
The Private Museum 2015

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL THE FIFTH 2015
Gallery Soap Kitakyushu 2015

A *Candy Factory Projects
Plastic Chairs
Jönköping County Museum Sweden 2015

Takuji Kogo / John Miller
OPEN TO ALL AGES & ETHNICITIES
The Neuer Berliner Kunstverein Germany 2015

A *Candy Factory Project
American Sitcom
Takuji Kogo + Mike Bode
Pitzer Galleries California USA 2014

A Little About Me: Four works by Robot (John Miller and Takuji Kogo)
New Museum NY 2013

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL World Tour 2013
Kitakyushu Biennial World Tour 2013 in Berlin 9 AUG ZKU – Zentrum für Kunst und Urbanistik Germany

Kitakyushu Biennial World Tour 2013 in Busan TOTATOGA Archive Center 'Space DOT') South Korea

Kitakyushu Biennial 2013 Kitakyushu Japan
Gallery Soap 28 SEPT - 8 DEC 2013

Kitakyushu Biennial World Tour 2013 in Singapore The Private Museum
22 OCT - 8 DEC.2013

TAKUJI KOGO / NON_SITES at Linnman Gallery
Sweden Jönköping 7th October 2012

*CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS / KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL in BERLIN (2012)
Zentrum für Kunst und Urbanistik Berlin Germany
September 2012

*CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS / KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL in SINGAPORE (2012)
The Private Museum Singapore
Curatorial Project / Artist / Curator
29 Mar ~ 03 Jun 2012

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL 2011
移民 / IMIN

Migrants, Immigrants, Emigrants, Refugees, Exiles, Expatriates and Others.
Yahata Kitakyushu Japan October 1 - November 27 2011

A Candy Factory Project / Blueberry Land (2011)
featuring : Mike Bode + Takuji Kogo
at wip:konsthall Stockholm, Sweden

Facehug / Music from *Candy Factory Projects
TAKUJI KOGO (2010)
at Künstlerhaus Stuttgart Germany

Non_sites / Music from *Candy Factory Projects
TAKUJI KOGO (2010)
at Sandy Brown Berlin Germany

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL '09
移民 / IMIN

Migrants, Immigrants, Emigrants, Refugees, Exiles, Expatriates and Others.
Moji-ko Kitakyushu Japan October 10 - November 15 2009

TAKUJI KOGO at The MoMa (2007)
MediaScope at The Museum of Modern Art NY Screening event, U.S.A

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL '07
CUTE OR CREEPY?
Moji-ko Kitakyushu Japan Sept. 28 - Oct. 31 2007

A CANDY FACTORY PROJECT / Hyper Links for dead link (2006)
Guest curator for the Hiroshima City museum for contemporary art

A *CANDY FACTORY PROJECT / SONGS (2005)
Akiyoshidai International Art Village Yamaguchi Japan

TAKUJI KOGO

A CANDY FACTORY PROJECT / JAPAN (2005)
The Rooseum Centre for contemporary art Sweden

SCREAM Stockholm Sweden (2004)
Co-curated with Ola Pehrson,
FÄRGFABRIKEN Centre for Contemporary Art and Architecture.

CAMPAIGN & PRODUCTS
KITAKYUSHU MUNICIPAL MUSEUM OF ARTS JAPAN (2004)
with Keiichi Miyagawa

A *CANDY FACTORY PROJECT
BOOGIE-WOOGIE WONDERLAND
Guest curator for the Akiyoshidai International Art Village (2003)
Yamaguchi JAPAN

*CANDY FACTORY Gallery space Yokohama Japan. (1998 ~ 2001)
Director

artonline.jp (2006 ~)
<http://artonline.jp/>

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Kyiv Biennial 2015

ART IN POP
Centre National d'Art Contemporain (Le Magasin)
Grenoble France 2014

Walk-ins Welcome
Gallery Marlborough Broome Street NY 2014

Mother/Land
Kurumaya Museum of Art Tochigi Japan
2014

Bad Conscience Organized by John Miller
January 16 – February 22, 2014 Metro pictures NY

West Space Journal Issue 2, 2014
<http://westspacejournal.org.au/>

John Miller / Suburban Past Time / Metro Pictures NY (Collaboration) (2012)
U.S.A

CHANNEL TV HALLE FÜR KUNST Lüneburg eV (2011) Germany

On the Metaphor of Growth / Frankfurter Kunstverein (2011) Germany

Tunneling / Famous Accountants (2010) NY U.S.A

Galerie Barbara Weiss Berlin Germany (2010) As Robot (with John Miller)

The Ebisu International Festival /Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography (2009)

The First Stop on the Super Highway / The Nam June Paik Art Center Korea (2009)

Regroup show / Miguel Abreu Gallery NY U.S.A (2007)

Break 2.4 Festival Ljubljana Slovenia (2007)

Visual 07 festival SPAIN (2007)

Dating Show at 3rd Ward NY U.S.A (2007)

MAAP BRISBANE Australia (2006)

Donde y Durante / La Noche en Blanco Madrid Spain (2006)

Absolutely Private / in collaboration with Second Planet / Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography (2006)

Time Shares Rhizome / the New Museum of Contemporary Art NY U.S.A (2006)

Zero One San Jose San Jose Museum for Art U.S.A (2006)

Media Madrid Spain (2006)

Screening / Jeffery Charles Gallery London The United Kingdom (2006)

Gwangju Biennial 2006 (with Sean Snyder)

Pace Digital Gallery New York U.S.A (2005)

TRANSFORMER / Akiyoshidai International Art Village Japan (2005)

MAAP in Singapore, Singapore Art Museum (2004)

Media City Seoul / Seoul City Museum of Art Korea (2004)

Do a book / Plum Blossom Gallery NY U.S.A (2004)

Global Consulting NY (2004) with John Miller U.S.A

TRANSLOCATIONS / Walker Art Centre Minneapolis U.S.A (2003)

Net Noise C-theory multimedia (2003) MIT online project

MAAP Beijing China Millenium Monument Beijing (2002)

Gloss Centre for Contemporary Photography Melbourne Australia (2002)

Non-broadcasting time Middle School Diaries / The centre for arts and culture Aichi JAPAN(2002)

Re:map Laforet Museum Kokura (2002)

Art In the home Edinburgh New Media Scotland (2002)

Korean web art festival Seoul (2001)

Yokohama triennial Japan (2001)

The Center for contemporary art Catania Italy (2001)

J-way / Lydmar Hotel Sweden (2000)

Les rencontres internationales de la photographie d'Arles, Antic theatre, Arles, France (2000)

PUBLICATIONS

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL 移民2011

Published by The Art Institute Kitakyushu (2011)

KITAKYUSHU BIENNIAL '07

Published by The Art Institute Kitakyushu (2007)

Scream

Published by Fargfabriken Stockholm (2004)

A *CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS / Campaign & Products

Keiichi Miyagawa + Takuji Kogo

Kitakyushu municipal museum for art Japan(2004)

BOOGIE-WOOGIE WONDERLAND / *CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS

Published by AIAV Japan (2003)

Lost In Space / TAKUJI KOGO + Mike Bode

Published by AIAV Japan (2002)

Wake Up Time /John Miller + Takuji Kogo

Aachen: Neuer Aachener Kunstverein Germany (2000)

Audio Albums

Mp3 download

Takuji Kogo / Music from *Candy Factory

Published by Facehug Germany (2010)

In Person / Robot (John Miller + Takuji Kogo)

North Drive Press NY U.S.A (2006)

*CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS

ART METROPOLE Toronto Canada (2004)

Holiday / *CANDY FACTORY PROJECTS

SOAP LAND RECORDS JAPAN (2003)

Selected Public Collections

Non_sites

(5 computer projections)

Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography Japan

Non_sites

The private museum Singapore

Non_sites

Spira Performing Arts Center Sweden

How To Reach Lampedusa (Takuji Kogo + Federico Baronello)

Lenbachhaus Kunstbau - Munchen (Germany)

Sit.com / Candy Factory

C-theory Multimedia net noise collection

Cornell University U.S.A

Non-broadcasting Time

In Person / Robot (John Miller + Takuji Kogo)

Walker Art Center U.S.A

Halbeath

The National Review of Live Art video archive, University of Bristol The United Kingdom

Grants, awards and fellowships:

Kitakyushu Biennial 2013

POLA ART FOUNDATION

Fukutake Foundation for the Promotion of Regional Culture

Deutsche Börse Residency Program

Frankfurter Kunstverein

15th October - 25th November 2012

Arts Network Asia Award 2012

Takuji Kogo & Charles Lim

Kitakyushu Biennial '11

Presented by Art Institute Kitakyushu

Kitakyushu Arts and cultural Grant

Asahi Beer Arts Foundation

Fukutake Foundation for the Promotion of Regional Culture

A *Candy Factory Project / Blueberry Land / AIR

wip:konsthall Stockholm, Sweden

Collaborative research project Nara Japan

Mike Bode + Takuji Kogo

Swedish Scholarship Foundation for Studies of Japanese Society 2010

Homi / Toyota , Mike Bode + Takuji Kogo

Travel Grant IASPIS Sweden 2009

Helge Ax:son Johnsons Stiftelse 2009

Mike Bode + Takuji Kogo

Kitakyushu Biennial '09 Exhibition supported by IASPIS

Takuji Kogo
Arts Network Asia Travel Grant 2008

Kitakyushu Biennale '09 / Art Institute Kitakyushu
Kitakyushu Arts and cultural Grant
Asahi Beer Arts Foundation
Fukutake Foundation for the Promotion of Regional Culture

Kitakyushu Biennial '07 / Art Institute Kitakyushu.
Japan Arts Council, The Japan Foundation, The Nomura Cultural Foundation

Akiyoshidai International Art Village / Artist in residence program + Publication -
TRANS 2002

BOOGIE WOOGIE WONDERLAND " EXHIBITION and Publication, web projects " At
EX-YAMAGUCHI PREFECTURAL AUTHORITIES
As the guest curator of Akiyoshidai International Art Village 2003
Sponsored by the Japan foundation for regional activities

*Candy factory projects @ Art Metropole 2004
/ Artist in residence program + Publication
Art Metropole Toronto CANADA
Supported with The assistance of Japan-Canada fund, the Canada Council for the
Arts.

Scream 2004
Exhibition + Workshop / Fargfabriken Stockholm Sweden.
Supported by IASPIS

Rooseum centre for contemporary art, Malmö, Sweden 2005
Artist in residence program + Exhibition
A *CANDY FACTORY PROJECT " JAPAN "
Supported by the JAPAN foundation