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Goro Kakei

- 1930 Born in Otowa Cho, Shizuoka City, Japan
- 1953 BA, Tokyo National University of Fine Arts and Music, Department of Sculpture, Japan
- 1955 MA, Tokyo National University of Fine Arts and Music, Department of Sculpture, Japan
- 1962 Started teaching at Aoyama Gakuin Women's Junior College (until 1996)
- 1968 Started teaching at University of Veracruz, Mexico (until 1970)
- 2021 Passed away in Tokyo, Japan

Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 *Goro Kakei*, kaufmann repetto new york, New York, NY, USA
- 2023 *Goro Kakei*, Travesía Cuatro, Mexico City, Mexico
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Taka Ishii Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Lamentations, Tokyo Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 2022 *Goro Kakei Exhibition GORO and FUMI*, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Gallery A/N, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Art Work Exhibition, yaichi, Saitama, Japan
Memorial Goro Kakei, Printing Exhibition, Nagai Art Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Gallery wa2, Tokyo, Japan
- 2021 *Going Beyond Man I Metamorphism II*, Art Biotope Nasu, Tochigi, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Gallery wa2, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Art Work Exhibition, gallery&cafe yaichi, Saitama, Japan
Going Beyond Man I Metamorphism I, gallery Satsu, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei 90 years old exhibition, Gallery Nagai, Tokyo, Japan
- 2020 *Goro Kakei Art Works Exhibition*, NEUF, Shizuoka, Japan
- 2019 *Goro Kakei Art Works Exhibition*, yachi, Saitama, Japan
Goro Kakei at the Postalco Shop, Postalco, Tokyo, Japan

- Kokoro no Hida Goro Kakei Exhibition*, Gallery wa2, Tokyo, Japan
Kakei Goro Brooches, Walking Sculpture, TIGRE BROCANTE, Fukuoka, Japan
Goro Kakei a Song of Pleasure, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Accessory Exhibition, DRAGON BROCANTE, Kumamoto, Japan
- 2018 *2018 Goro Kakei Exhibition*, Gallery A/N, Tokyo, Japan
88th Birthday Commemorative Exhibition, Shiota Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Commemoration of 88th Birthday, Gallery Hamamura, Shizuoka, Japan
Goro Kakei Accessories Exhibition, IO Plus, Kyoto, Japan
Goro Kakei Accessories, Exhibition IO GRAPHIC SHOP and GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
- 2017 *Yorisoukatachi, yaichi*, Saitama, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition Drawings and Prints, Gallery Ueda, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition 2017, Gallery Hamamura, Shizuoka, Japan
World of Goro Kakei Exhibition: Sculptures and Planes, Shiota Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2016 *Goro Kakei Exhibition Harigane*, Gallery wa2, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Accessories Exhibition, IO GRAPHIC SHOP and GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
- 2015 *Ningen no Mondai*, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition 2015, Gallery Hamamura, Shizuoka, Japan
Goro Kakei Hana, Gallery A/N, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Accessories Exhibition, IO GRAPHIC SHOP and GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Ceramic Art Exhibition, Gallery wa2, Tokyo, Japan
- 2014 *Goro Kakei Picture Scrolls*, Aoyama Gakuin Women's Junior College Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Tokyo Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
GORO KAKEI EXHIBITION, Nakao Gallery, Kumamoto, Japan
- 2013 *Mr. Goro Kakei Accessories Exhibition*, IO GRAPHIC SHOP and GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
Gallery Ueda Goro Kakei Exhibition, Gallery UEDA, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Gallery Shimada, Hyogo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, gallery yaichi, Saitama, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition 2013, Gallery Hamamura, Shizuoka, Japan
- 2012 *Passion Goro Kakei Exhibition*, Gallery mu-an, Niigata, Japan
Goro Kakei Solo Exhibition, Gallery Vita, Tokyo, Japan

- Junichi Kurakake no Kuukan*, Plaza Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Art Works Exhibition, gallery yaichi, Saitama, Japan
- 2011 *paintings sculptures glass works*, gallery Yamane, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei, Gallery Ezaki, Shizuoka, Japan
Goro Kakei: Natsu no Mori, Okawa Museum of Art, Gunma, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition "Kokoro de mita chi ni te", The Japanese Folk Toy Museum, Okayama, Japan
Goro kakei Exhibition Haru no Uta, Gallery Acanthus, Osaka, Japan
Goro kakei 2011 EXODUS I Am Free, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
- 2010 *Sculptor Goro Kakei's Departure*, Komazawa Jutaku: Gallery Kunugi, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Exhibition, Gallery A/N, Tokyo, Japan
60 years anniversary of production and 80 years old memorial Goro Kakei Exhibiton, Matsuzakaya Shizuoka, Shizuoka, Japan
Goro Kakei 2010, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei Small Arts Exhibition, Artcafe Ku-kan, Shizuoka, Japan
PRINT AND SMALL SCLPTURES BY GORO KAKEI, POSTALCO SHOP, Tokyo, Japan
- 2009 *Around 80 years old*, Ginza Gekkoso, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei's Universe Exhibition, Shinano Drawing Museum, Nagano, Japan
Goro Kakei Printings Exhibition, gallery&cafe Mirume, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei's sculpture, Utsuwa na no hana, Kanagawa, Japan
Goro Kakei's sculpture, gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei's Small Art Exhibition, Gallery A/N, Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 *Memory in Bergium*, Fine Refine Ginza Matsuzakaya, Tokyo, Japan
Gem Art, Tokyo, Japan
Gallery art point, Tokyo, Japan
Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Goro Kakei new year handseI, Gem Art, Tokyo, Japan
- 2007 *Ibuki – Goro Kakei*, Gallery wa2, Tokyo, Japan
JR Nagoya Takashimaya, Aichi, Tokyo
Carbon + Collage + Drawing + Glass Paper + Oil, Gallery A/N, Tokyo, Japan
- 2006 Gem Art, Tokyo, Japan

- Goro Kakei's Animal Journal*, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Okayama Takashimaya, Okayama, Japan
Goro Kakei's Room, Gem Art, Tokyo, Japan
Where are you going?, Ginza Komatsu Art Space, Tokyo, Japan
- 2005 *NINGEN*, Osaka Takashimaya, Osaka, Japan
Sukito-ru Koe, Hillside Annex, Tokyo, Japan
Glasshouse, Hillside Annex, Tokyo, Japan
Solid and Flat, ART BOX GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
- 2004 Sapporo Mitsukoshi, Hokkaido, Japan
Gallery Olive Eye, Tokyo, Japan
- 2003 Yokohama Takashimaya, Kanagawa, Japan
Osaka Takashimaya, Osaka, Japan
Niigata Mitsukoshi, Niigata, Japan
- 2002 Nihonbashi Mitsukoshi Main Store, Tokyo, Japan
Kamegawa, Hiroshima, Japan
KID AILACK ART HALL, Tokyo, Japan
Chofu Culture Centre Tazukuri, Tokyo, Japan
- 2001 Gallery Yamane, Tokyo, Japan
Chofu Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1999 *Kita Ni, Higashi Ni*, Asakura Museum of Sculpture, Tokyo, Japan
Kita Ni, Higashi Ni, Asahikawa Museum of Sculpture in Honor of Teijiro Nakahara, Hokkaido,
Japan
- 1998 Aoki, Shizuoka, Tokyo
Gallery Baihodo, Hokkaido, Japan
Essence of Goro Kakei, Azabu Kasumicho Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1997 Gallery Nara, Gunma, Japan
Many different faces of Goro Kakei, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Accessories of sculptor Kakei Goro, Kogando, Tokyo, Japan
Gallry Sogen, Shizuoka, Japan

- Shape of Heart Goro Kakei printing*, Asahikawa Museum of Sculpture in Honor of Teijiro Nakahara, Hokkaido, Japan
- 1996 *Paradiso*, Azabu Kasumicho Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Atagoyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1995 Galleria Chimera, Tokyo, Japan
Azabu Kasumicho Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1994 Atagoyama Gallery, Tokyo
World of Goro Kakei – In the Beginning Was the Ward –, Ginza Church, Tokyo, Japan
- 1993 *Human*, Okawa Museum of Art, Gunma, Japan [Cat.]
JOINT WORK 1993, Atagoyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Yuurin-kan and Work of Goro Kakei Exhibition, Yuurin-kan, Gunma, Japan
Commemorating the Publication of the Goro Kakei Art Book, Modapolitica, Tokyo, Japan
- 1992 *Contemporary Artists Series '92: Goro Kakei*, Kanagawa Civic Hall, Kanagawa, Japan
The Great Debauchery, KID AILACK ART HALL, Tokyo, Japan
City and Sculpture: World of Goro Kakei, Seavans, Tokyo, Japan
Sculpture of the City and the Forest: Commemorative Exhibition for the Installation of "Doka", Fujisaki Civic Hall, Sendai, Japan
- 1991 *Commemorative Relocation Exhibition*, Gallery Sogen, Shizuoka, Tokyo
- 1990 *Now*, Hiro Art Gallery, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
- 1989 Chofu Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1987 Gallery Bowaian, Shizuoka, Japan
- 1986 *Goro Kakei Sculpture Exhibition*, Seibu Department Store Shizuoka Branch, Shizuoka, Japan
- 1985 Shinten Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Galerie 412, Tokyo, Japan
- 1977 Shizuoka Tanakaya Isetan Department Store, Shizuoka, Japan
- 1971 *Yuuari, Asaarki*, Wesley Hall, Aoyama Gakuin Religious Center, Tokyo, Japan

1969 University of Veracruz Art Museum, Veracruz, Mexico

Selected Group Exhibitions

2024 *Disorder, Transmission, Love in Silence*, OV Project, Brussels, Belgium

2023 *"The lens within your heart" from the TAKEUCHI COLLECTION*, What Museum, Tokyo, Japan

2021 *STORIES*, Shizuoka Prefectural Museum of Art Shizuoka, Japan

2013 *Hojo*, Space Aburi, Tokyo, Japan

2008 *Contemporary Japanese Sculptor Artist Exhibition*, Tokyo Metropolitan Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan

2007 *Gallery TOM 25th Anniversary*, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan

2006 *Christmas of Gem Art*, Gem Art, Tokyo, Japan
Wood, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan

2005 *Yoshitatsu Yanagihara and 5 Artists*, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan

2003 *Art de Zoo*, Akita Museum of Modern Art, Akita, Japan

2002 Gallery brocken, Tokyo, Japan

2001 *The 65th Shinseisaku Art Exhibition*, Tokyo Metropolitan Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan (his last participation)

1999 *The 12th Sozai no Yokan*, Masuda Studio, Tokyo, Japan

1996 *Art to Be Experienced '96 Survival Tool: think with Artist*, Sakura City Museum of Art, Chiba, Japan

1994 *Forum '94 Playing in Komatsu*, Ishikawa, Japan
Gallery Sogen, Shizuoka, Japan

- 1993 *SHIN HOSOKAWA SPRING&SUMMER COLLECTION 1994*, Laforet Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 1992 *MASK: Face and Expression*, See With Your Hands, Gallery TOM, Tokyo, Japan
Drawing Forum: Kyou no Sugao Ten, Yurakucho Art Forum, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
- 1991 *A Century of Japanese Modern Sculpture: From Photographic Expression to Three-Dimensional Form*, Ibaraki Prefectural Museum of Modern Art, Ibaraki, Japan, May. 15 – June. 16; Traveled to Tokushima Prefectural Museum of Modern Art, Tokushima, Japan, June. 22 – July. 21 [Cat.]
- 1990 *ZOKEI-SYUDAN UNOS5*, Gallery NW, Tokyo Japan; Shimane Art Museum, Shimane, Japan
- 1989 *Oguni KOIZUMIWA Sculpture Exhibition*, Oguni Town Hall, Kumamoto, Japan
- 1986 *The 2nd Tokyo Open-Air Contemporary Sculpture Exhibition*, Kinuta Park, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
History of Modern Sculpture, Iwaki City Art Museum, Fukushima, Japan [Cat.]
The 1st Annual Five Contemporary Sculptors, Galerie Tokoro, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
- 1985 *The 9th Nichido Exhibition of Sculpture*, Nichido Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1984 *Flow of Contemporary Japanese Art*, Otsu Seibu Hall, Shiga, Japan
Contemporary Humor, The Museum of Modern Art, Saitama, Japan
The Development of Contemporary Sculpture 1930-80, Gallery Seiho, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
- 1981 *The 9th Contemporary Japanese Sculpture Exhibition*, Ube City Open-Air Sculpture Museum, Yamaguchi, Japan
The 2nd Kotaro Takamura Grand Prize Exhibition, The Open-Air Museum of Sculpture, Kanagawa, Japan
Perspectives of Contemporary Japanese Art: Three-Dimensional Art Exhibition, The Museum of Modern Art, Toyama, Japan
The 5th Tamagawa Open-Air Sculpture and Textile Exhibition, Tamagawa Takashimaya S.C., Tokyo, Japan
- 1980 *International Sculpture Exhibition*, Parc Avenue Kawatoku, Iwate, Japan
- 1979 *The 3rd Nichido Exhibition of Sculpture*, Nichido Salon, Tokyo, Japan
- 1977 *The 7th Exhibition of Contemporary Japanese Culture*, Ube City Open-Air Sculpture Museum,

Yamaguchi, Japan

- 1976 *Exhibition of Sculptures of Heads*, The Open-Air Museum of Sculpture, Kanagawa, Japan [Cat.]
Tensekikai, Nihonbashi Takashimaya, Tokyo, Japan
- 1975 *The 2nd Grand Prize Exhibition*, The Open-Air Museum of Sculpture, Kanagawa, Japan [Cat.]
- 1974 *Christian Art Exhibition II*, Nichido Salon, Tokyo, Japan
- 1973 *The 1st Grand Prize Exhibition of The Open-Air Museum of Sculpture*, The Open-Air Museum of Sculpture, Kanagawa, Japan
The 1st Annual Contemporary Sculpture 20, Tokyo Central Museum of Art, Tokyo, Japan
Contemporary Japanese Art Exhibition: 20 Years of Contemporary Art, Tokyo Metropolitan Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 1972 *The 3rd Kobe Suma Detached Palace Park Contemporary Sculpture Exhibition*, Kobe, Japan [Cat.]
- 1971 *Contemporary Religious Art Exhibition*, Nichido Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1970 *The 2nd Kobe Suma Detached Palace Park Contemporary Sculpture Exhibition*, Suma Imperial Villa, Kobe, Japan
- 1969 *Japanese Art Exhibition*, Mexico Municipal Gallery, Mexico
Harappa Art Exhibition, Alto Tonga City Hall, Mexico
- 1967 *The 2nd Contemporary Japanese Sculpture Exhibition*, Ube City Open-Air Sculpture Museum, Yamaguchi, Japan
Showa Association Exhibition, Nichido Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
July Meeting, Ginza Tajima, Tokyo, Japan
Drawing Exhibition of Contemporary Sculpture, Akiyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1965 The 8th Sao Paulo Biennial, Sao Paulo Museum of Modern Art, Brazil
The 1st Annual Contemporary Japanese Sculpture Exhibition, Ube City Open-Air Sculpture Museum, Yamaguchi, Japan
The 1st Annual Contemporary Christian Art Exhibition of Japan, Waseda Hoshien, Tokyo, Japan

- 1963 *New Generation of Sculpture*, The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
The 5th International Exhibition of Figurative Art, Ueno Matsuzakaya, Tokyo, Japan [Cat.]
10 Sculptors Exhibition, Surugadai Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1962 *3 Sculptors - Hiroshi Kobatake, Goro Kakei, and Isamu Wakabayashi*, Ginza Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 1957 *The 21st Exhibition of Shinseisaku Kyokai*, Tokyo, Japan (participated every year until the 65th in 2001)

Awards

- 1992 The 23rd Teijiro Nakahara Sculpture Prize
- 1984 The 13th Open-door Sculpture Prize of Nagano City
- 1983 The 1st Jyunichi Asano Prize
- 1981 The 9th Exhibition of Contemporary Japanese Sculpture
 - The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo Award
 - The Museum of Modern Art, Kamakura & Hayama Award
 Excellence Award at the 2nd Exhibition of Kotaro Takamura Prize
- 1979 Academic Awards from Aoyama Gakuin University
- 1977 Kobe Suma Rikyu Park Award at the 7th Exhibition of Contemporary Japanese Sculpture
- 1976 Excellence Award at the 7th Teijiro Nakahara Sculpture Prize
- 1957 New Artist Award at the 21st Exhibition of the Shinseisaku Art Society
- 1947 Mayor's Award at the Shizuoka City Exhibition

Selected Public Collections

Asahikawa Museum of Sculpture in Honor of Teijiro Nakahara, Hokkaido, Japan
 Sapporo Art Museum, Hokkaido, Japan
 The Miyagi Museum of Art, Miyagi, Japan
 Tokyo Metropolitan Government, Tokyo, Japan
 Tokyo Metropolitan Art Space, Tokyo, Japan
 The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, Japan
 Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Company, Tokyo, Japan

The Hakone Open-Air Museum, Kanagawa, Japan

The Museum of Modern Art, Kanagawa, Japan

Gunma Museum of Art, Tatebayashi, Gunma, Japan

Okawa Museum of Art, Gunma, Japan

Tomioka Municipal Art Museum & Ichiro Fukuzawa Memorial Museum, Gunma, Japan

Shizuoka Prefectural Museum of Art, Shizuoka, Japan

Shizuoka City Museum of Art, Shizuoka, Japan

The Utsukushi-ga-hara Open-Air Museum, Nagano, Japan

Shinano Drawing Museum, Nagano, Japan

Okazaki World Children's Art Museum, Aichi, Japan