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EDUCATION

Graphic Design, Jyoshi Art University, Suginami-ku, Tokyo, 1969–1973

CAREER

Advertising designer, 1973

Freelance illustrator, 1985-

Author and illustrator of children's picture books under the name Tsugie Okamoto, 1994–1998

Botanical artist, 2005-

Professional Memberships

Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration

ARTWORK MEDIA

Acrylic paint by airbrush, gouache, gesso

One-Person Exhibitions

Suguri Makino Exhibition, Maronie Gallery, Kyoto, 2006,

Suguri Makino Post Card Original Picture Exhibition, Gallery SHU, Kyoto, 2010

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Ueno Royal Art Museum, Tokyo, 1995–1999

Exhibition of Botanical Art: The Characteristic Plants of Japan, Higashiyama Zoo & Botanical Garden, Nagoya, 2010; Ibaraki Nature Museum, Bando, 2013

The Japanese Peculiar Botanical Illustrations Exhibition, National Museum of Nature and Science, Tsukuba Botanical Garden, Tsukuba, 2011

13th, 14th, 16th, 17th and 18th Traveling Exhibition of the Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration, 2011, 2012, 2014–2016 [Exhibition catalogue]

In Search of the Unknown Flower Exhibition, Makino Memorial Garden & Museum, Tokyo, 2014

Honors/Awards

Selected Prize Winner, Ueno Royal Art Museum, Tokyo, 1995–1999 Work Reproduced In

Illustrations for Osaka-shi and Zoujirushi Pavilions, International Exposition of Flower, Osaka, 1990

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Authored three children's picture books under the name Tsugie Okamoto, Tokyo, Shogakukan Publishers, 1994, 1997, 1998

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Aotsudurafuji, Cocculus trilobus [Cocculus orbiculatus (Linnaeus) de Candolle, Menispermaceae] 2005

Acrylic paint by airbrush, gouache, on illustration board 51.5 × 36 cm

Hunt Institute collection, gift from the artist

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