Usui, Hiroshige

b. Tokyo, Japan

RESIDENCE: Japan

EDUCATION: Studied botanical illustration, 1985

CAREER: Freelance botanical illustrator Instructor, Sapporo Botanical Illustration Lover's Society, 1992-

MEMBERSHIP: Sapporo Botanical Illustration Lover's Society, 1985-Hokkaido Association of Botanical Illustration, 1991-Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration, 1992-

MEDIA: Watercolor, pencil

GROUP EXHIBITION(S):

"Sapporo Botanical Illustration Exhibition," Sapporo City Hall Gallery, Sapporo, Hokkaido, 1986-

"Hokkaido Botanical Illustration Exhibition," Sapporo Tokeidai Gallery, Sapporo, Hokkaido, 1990-

4th and 6th Exhibition of Botanical Illustration of Japan, Botanic Garden of the National Museum of Science, Tsukuba, Ibaragi, 1988, 1990

Saito Gallery, Sapporo, Hokkaido, 1994 (three-person exhibition)

"Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration Exhibition," Kawamura Memorial Art Gallery, Chiba Prefecture, 1996; Shoundo Art Gallery, Kawaguchi Prefecture, 1997

ONE-PERSON EXHIBITION(S): Sapporo Tokeidai Gallery, Sapporo, Hokkaido, 1990, 1991, 1997 Naganuma Town Library, Hokkaido, 1994 Shibetsu City Museum, Hokkaido, 1994, 1996

Two-PERSON EXHIBITION(S): "Hiroshige and Fumi Pair Exhibition," Sapporo Kadel 2.7 Hall, Sapporo, Hokkaido, 1994

HONOR(S)/AWARD(S):

Award of Excellence, 4th, 6th Exhibition of Botanical Illustration of Japan, Botanic Garden of the National Museum of Science, Tsukuba, Ibaragi, 1987, 1989

COLLECTIONS: The National Museum of Science, Ueno, Tokyo

WORK REPRODUCED IN: Hiroshige private collection of botanical illustration, 1991. My botanical illustrations. 1991. Tokyo. Miyabea, illustrated flora of Hokkaido. 1994. Sapporo. Postcards for Sapporo Botanical Illustration Lover's Society, 1996. Postcards for Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration, 1997.

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Helenium hybrid Watercolor 55 x 41.5 cm. Lent by the artist