ARTIST BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD

Artist name: CHIYO WATAKABE

City and country of birth: Hyogo, Japan

Citizenship: Japan

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Education:

Graduate, Bunka Fashion College, Tokyo Japan ,1979 Studied Japan, Tazuru Yakura flowral art school,1996-2001 Botanical art class with Yoshiko Kamei Ashiya and Kobe, Japan 2002-Studied Japan, Yoko Maruyama Table Creation, Kobe 2004-2005

Career:

Worked in the pattern making section at "World Co.,Ltd." 1979-1981 Freelance Flower artist

Professional memberships: The Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration

Artwork medium: acrylic watercolor on paper, graphite pencil

Group Exhibition(s):

- Kanden Gallery, Kobe,2000
- Itami Sky Park, Itami, Hyogo,2005
- The Phipps Conservatory and Botanical Gardens "Fuuryu" Exhibition, Pittsburgh, 2006
- Sogo department store "Botanical art exhibition of Yoshiko Kamei" Kobe, 2008
- Exhibition of The Japanese Association of Botanical Illustration, Tokyo and Hyogo
- Gallery La Porte, Ashiya, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2011, 2013
- Gallery Fuji in Ashiya, 2016
- Ashiya civic center, 2016, 2018