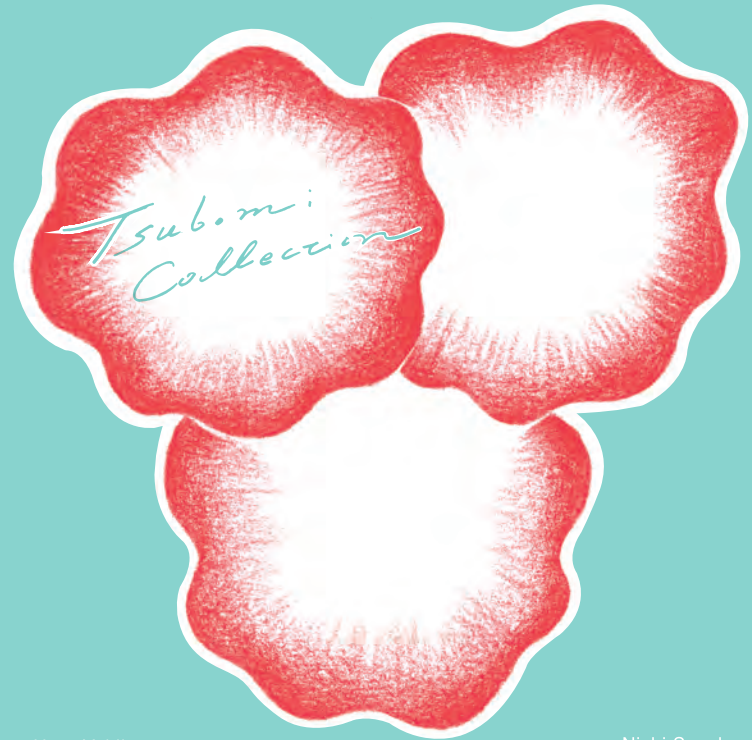


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About the Tsubomi Collection

During my 25-year tenure at Tokyo Zōkei University and Kuwasawa Design School, I've come across many talented students. Their ideas and artistic creations continue to represent Japan's trends and fashion of the day. This summer, we are delighted to offer several works by Tokyo Zōkei University graduate students and their instructors for purchase in the Asia Society Texas Center, Houston. The students' works were selected from the many graduation projects submitted this spring. A limited time offering made available only during my exhibition. We've named this project our "Tsubomi Collection" – Tsubomi meaning "flower bud" in Japanese. May the budding talent of these young artists bloom in your hands.

Ayomi Yoshida



Hata Yukiko

BA, Textile Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2014

Designed and produced textiles at Tayuh Textile Co. Ltd, northern Kyoto prefecture.

Since 2017, I've been working as an assistant at Tokyo Zokei University.



green



gray



pink

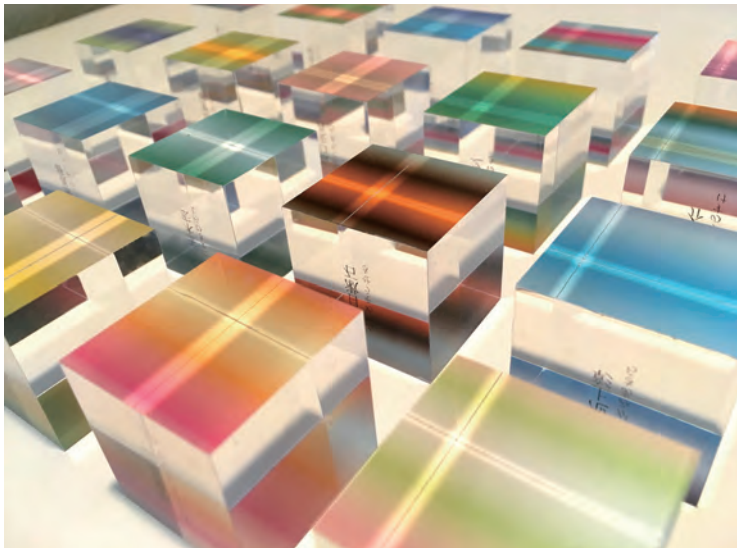


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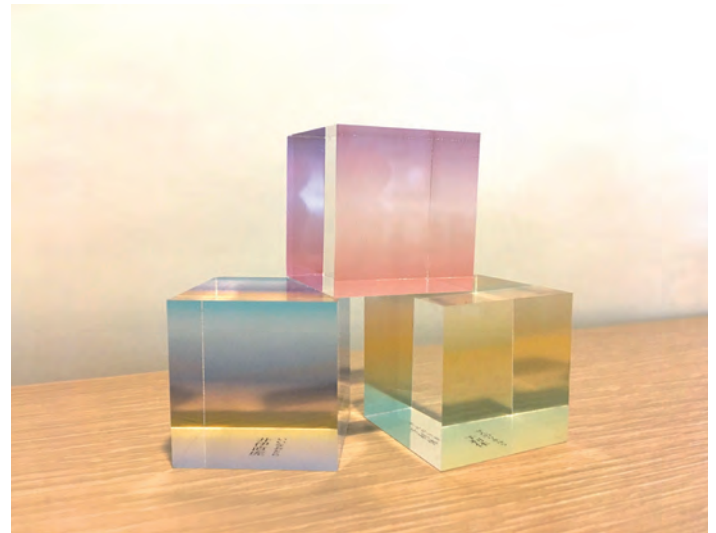
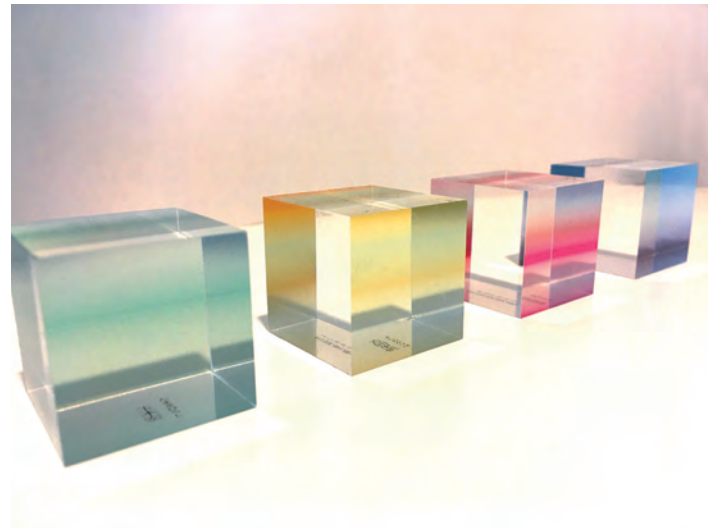
BA, Graphic Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2018

I am interested in design of product, color and graphics and participated in many internships. I particularly enjoy working with color combinations. For this project, I created three-dimensional objects that express famous Japanese names in color.

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personal cube -MOJIIRO-





Kawakami Mina

BA, Painting; Tokyo Zokei University, 2017

Forms that are unstable and prone to change captivate me. Especially water, so beautiful when spread by wind or gravity and sparkling in the light.

I paint and create resin and paper installations of such “forms without form”, hoping to recreate the thrill of being touched by such beauty.



Measure the depth of the puddle



Waterdrop play





Kudo Mai

BA, Textile Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2017
Student, Graduate School of Design, Tokyo Zokei University

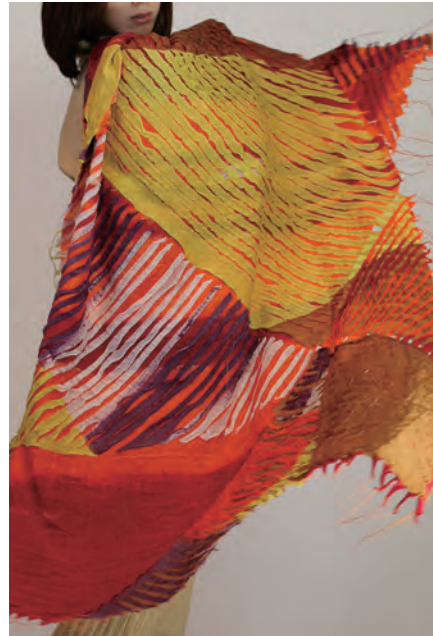
I apply silk screen prints onto textiles and create clothing from them, incorporating three-dimensionality to the texture and design through slash quilting and other techniques.
<https://mai-kudo.tumblr.com>



wall



wind



tropical night



strawberry tea



Nishi Sanako

BA, Textile Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2017

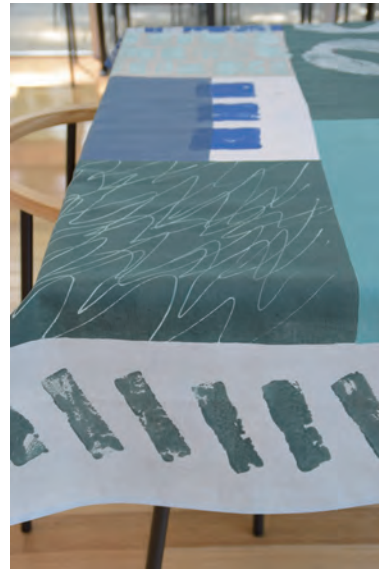
Student, Graduate School of Design, Tokyo Zokei University.

I express designs drawn from ceramic art in my textile work, combining a variety of dying techniques.

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Utsuwa no Hyōjō





Ono Shiori

BA, Textile Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2017

Student, Graduate School of Design, Tokyo Zokei University.

My “single cloth” outfits are born from my ongoing research of techniques and materials.

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skin





Tanaka Akane

MA Art Research; Graduate School of Art and Design,
Tokyo Zokei University 2016

Memory and archives inspire my work. I work in a variety of media such
as prints, three-dimensional art and instalations. I have been fortunate to
show my work in many solo and group exhibitions.

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Vase for roses/Vase for hydrangea/Water bird



House in the forest/Vase



Vase



Yamaura Nodoka

BA, Graphic Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2015

Observing how light moves us in many ways, I am interested in capturing light and space. My work includes light installations, product and publication designs, for both domestic and international audiences.
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Original works



Earrings



Accessories



Brooch



Yoshimoto Yumi

BA, Textile Design; Tokyo Zokei University, 2015

I create textiles that bring outdoor landscapes into living spaces, mainly in the medium of printed textiles. I also partner with companies and design and produce various textile products.

For more information, see <http://yumi-yoshimoto.com/>



"a window journal"scarf



"a window journal"scarf



scrap patch BAG

Tokyo Zokei University

Tokyo Zōkei University was founded in 1966 by Yoko Kuwasawa, a design journalist and educator also known for starting Japan's first vocational design school, Kuwasawa Design School (est. 1954), "Zōkei" means to create a shape. In naming Tokyo Zōkei University, Kuwasawa envisioned an educational institution that would offer a broad approach to the distinction of arts and design and a solid grounding in liberal arts. Through its innovative interdisciplinary approach, the university has produced many of Japan's foremost names in fine arts and photography, industrial and textile design, graphic and media arts, architecture and beyond.

