# ALMINE RECH

## **Keita Morimoto**

### Biography

Born 1990 Osaka, Japan Lives and works in Tokyo, Japan

#### Education

2012

Bachelor of Fine Arts, OCAD University, Toronto

#### Solo Exhibitions

2025

Almine Rech Tribeca, New York, NY, US 'what has escaped us', 2lst Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan

2024

'Illuminated Solitude', TSUTAYA GINZA SIX & KOTARO NUKAGA, Tokyo, Japan 'Fading Moments', Long Story Short, Paris, France 'WORK IN PROGRESS', anonymous collection, Tokyo, Japan

2023

'as we didn't know it', Night Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, US 'A Little Closer', KOTARO NUKAGA, Tokyo, Japan

2022

'In Between Shadows', ATM Gallery, New York, NY, US 'Contrasting Memories', Nicholas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2021

'After Dark', KOTARO NUKAGA, Tokyo, Japan

2020

'Garden of Light', Nicholas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2018

'Light Passage', Nicholas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2016

'Strange Guild', Nicholas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2014

'Oasis', Galerie Youn, Montreal, Canada

'The Nightwatchers', Museum of Contemporary Art, Toronto, Canada

2013

'Into The Wild', Gladstone House, Toronto, Canada

#### **Group Exhibitions**

2024

Group Exhibition, Adler Beatty, New York, NY, US

'36 Paintings', Harper's, East Hampton, NY, US

'Golden Memories: OKETA COLLECTION', Spiral Garden, Tokyo, Japan

2023

'Quiet Storm', Long Story Short, Paris, France

'Focal Point 2', Long Story Short, New York, NY, US

'Stories After Extinction', MtK Contemporary, Kyoto, Japan

'Dieci', Palazzo Coardi di Carpeneto, Artuner, Turin, Italy

'Descendants', K11 MUSEA, Hong Kong

'Midnight Hour', The Hole, New York, NY, US

2022

'Crossing', KOTARO NUKAGA, Tokyo, Japan

'Under Current', Powerlong Museum, Shanghai, China

'Seasons In The City', Palazzo Capris, Artuner, Turin, Italy

'What It Could Be', Theaster Gates Stony Island Arts Bank, Chicago, IL, US

'Escape From New York', Another Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, US

'Romancing Relevance', Woaw Gallery, Hong Kong

2018

'These things I have seen', Art Gallery of Peterborough, UK

2016

'RBC Annual Painting Exhibition', The Power Plant Contemporary Art Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2015

'Invisible College', Fort Wayne Museum of Art, IN, US

2014

'Superhuman', Plus Gallery, Denver, CO, US

#### Museum Collections

Shiga Museum of Art, Shiga, Japan High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA, US Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo, Turin, Italy Institute of Contemporary Art, Miami, FL, US Arts Maebashi, Gunma, Japan Ueshima Museum Collection, Japan Urban Nation Museum, Berlin, Germany

#### **Public Collections**

Oketa Collection, Tokyo, Japan Loyalty One, Toronto, Canada Bell Trinity Square Public Installation, Toronto, Canada Bora Collection, Istanbul, Turkey Stikeman Elliott, Toronto, Canada INFOR Financial, Toronto, Canada

#### Lectures

2022

Artist Lecture, OCAD University, Toronto, Canada Artist Talk, Nicholas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2018

Artist Talk, TIFF Bell Lightbox, Toronto, Canada Artist Lecture, Sheridan College, WY, US Artist Talk, Art Gallery of Peterborough, UK

#### Residencies/Awards

2019

Vermont Studio Center Residency Program - Full Fellowship Recipient, Johnson, VT, US Toronto Arts Council Visual Artists Grant, Canada

2017

The Kingston Prize - Finalist, Canada

2016

RBC Canadian Painting Competition - Finalist, Toronto, Canada

2012

Creative Quarterly 28 Award, New York, NY, US Donna MacLean Award, Toronto, Canada Patricia Joy Alpert Memorial Award, Toronto, Canada The Other Competition, First Place, Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto, Canada