MINORU NIIZUMA

Born 1930, Tokyo, Japan Died 1998, New York, NY

Education:

1955 National Tokyo University of the Arts

Teaching:

1964-1970 Instructor, Brooklyn Museum Art School, New York 1972-1984 Adjunct Professor, Columbia University School of the Arts, New York 1983-1998 Director, Stone Institute of New York

Selected Solo & Two-Person Exhibitions:

1993 Galeria Valentim De Carvalho, Lisbon, Portugal Centre Cultural São Loureço, Almancil, Portugal

1992 Park Ryu Sook Art Gallery, Seoul

1989 Mekler Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

Galerie Nichido, Tokyo, Japan

Fandation Veranneman, Belgium

1988-89 The Blue Hill Cultural Center, New York, NY

1988 Galeria Quadrom, Lisbon, Portugal

1986 Art Point Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

Centro Cultural S. Lourenco, Almansil, Portugal

Mekler Gallery, Los Angeles

Gulbenkian Museum, Lisbon, Portugal

1985 Galleria Glide, Guimaraes, Portugal

1984 Vorpal Gallery, San Francisco, CA

Designer's Emporium, Honolulu, Hawaii

1983 Mekler Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

1982 Elaine Benson Gallery, Bridgehampton, NY

Rosenberg Fine Arts Gallery, Toronto, CA

1979 Gimpel and Weitzenhoffer Gallery, New York, NY

Contemporary Sculpture Center, Tokyo, Japan

Contemporary Sculpture Center, Osaka, Japan

1977 Umeda Museum of Modern Art, Osaka, Japan

Gimpel and Weitzenhoffer Gallery, New York, NY

Guild Hall Museum, East Hampton, NY

1976 Center for International Arts, New York, NY

Seibu Museum of Art, Tokyo, Japan

1974 Gimpel and Weitzenhoffer Gallery, New York, NY

1973 Gimpel and Weitzenhoffer Gallery, New York, NY

Gimpel, Hanover and Andre Emmerich Galerie, Zurich, Switzerland

1972 Gimpel and Weitzenhoffer Gallery, New York, NY

1971 Rockefeller University, New York, NY

1968 Howard Wise Gallery, New York, NY

1967 Flair Gallery, Cincinnati, Ohio

1966 Howard Wise Gallery, New York, NY

Selected Group Exhibitions

1997 Asian Traditions - Modern Expressions, Zimmerli Museum, New Brunswick, NJ 1993 5th International Biennial of Sculpture, Caldas de Rainha, Portugal

1992 Kuros Gallery, New York, NY/ Kuros Open Air Museum, CT

1991 Kua Chun Museum, Kua Chun, Korea

1989 Japanese Sculpture, Fukushima Prefectural Museum of Art, Japan

1987-88 The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum of Art, New York, NY

1983-84 The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum of Art, New York, NY

The Neuberger Museum, Purchase, NY

1982 World Stone Sculpture, Kunsthaus Zug, Switzerland

1981 The 2nd Henry Moore Grand Prize Exhibition, Hakone Open-Air Museum, Japan

1980 Paintings and Sculptures by Candidates for Art Awards, American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, New York, NY

1977 The Grand Prize of the Hakone Open-Air Museum. The Third Exhibition, Hakone Open Air Museum, Japan

1975 13th Biennial, Open-Air Museum of Sculpture, Middelheim, Antwerp, Belgium

1973-74 Japanese Artists in the American, The National Museum of Modern Art, Kyoto and Tokyo, Japan

1973 The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY

1969 Second Flint Invitational, Flint Institute of Arts in the De Waters Art Center, Flint, MI

1968 "Annual Exhibition of Contemporary American Sculpture, Watercolors

and Drawings, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

American Painting and Sculpture, Herron Museum of Art, Indianapolis, IN

1967 Pittsburgh International Exhibition of Contemporary Painting and Sculpture Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, PA

1966 Annual Exhibition of Contemporary American Sculpture, Watercolors

and Drawings, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

1965-1966 The New Japanese Painting and Sculpture

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA

Denver Art Museum, Denver, CO

The Columbus Gallery of Fine Arts, Columbus, OH

The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore MD

Milwaukee Art Center, Milwaukee, WI

1965 Japanese Artists Abroad: Europe and America, The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, Japan

Institutional Collections

Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY

City of Dublin, Ireland

City of Evora, Portugal

City of Tokyo, Japan

Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, IA

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA

Fort Worth Museum, Fort Worth, TX

The Gulbenkian Museum, Lisbon, Portugal

The Hakone Museum of Modern Art, Kobe, Japan

Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, DC

Hyogo Museum of Modern Art, Kobe, Hyogo

Iwatemachi Sculpture Garden, Iwate Japan

Kasama Nichido Museum of Art, Ibaragi, Japan

Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

Museum of Modern Art, Toyama, Japan

The National Museum of Art, Osaka
The National Museum of Contemporary Art, Korea
The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
The National Museum of Modern Art, Kyoto
New York University, NY
Oklahoma Museum, Oklahoma Museum, OK
Seibu Museum of Art, Tokyo
The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY

Private Collections

The Chase Manhattan Bank Headquarters, New York, NY Citibank Headquarters, New York, NY General Mills Corporation, Minneapolis, MN IBM Zurich, Switzerland Sanwa Bank, New York, NY Suntory Headquarters, Osaka, JP