# **Gimhongsok**

Born in 1964, Seoul, Korea Currently a professor of Stage Art in Sangmyung University, Cheonan, Korea

## **Education**

BFA in Sculpture, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, 1987 MFA, Kunstakademie Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf, Germany, 1996

### **Selected Solo Exhibitions**

| 2023 | Gimhongsok: Lots of People, Busan Museum of Art, Busan, Korea   |
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|      | Gimhongsok: A Suit With Underwar on The Outside And A Dress With The Skirt Worn As A Hat, Space ISU, Seoul, Korea |
| 2020 | Short People, Kukje Gallery, Seoul, Korea   |
| 2018 | Dwarf, Dust, Doubt, Tina Kim Gallery, New York, US  |
|      | EVERY, DAY, ACTS, LIKE, LIFE, Perrotin Gallery, Tokyo, Japan  |
| 2017 | Subsidiary Construction, Perrotin Gallery HK, Hong Kong   |
| 2016 | Xijing Is Not Xijing, Therefore Xijing Is Xijing, 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan        |
| 2015 | World of Xijing, National Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea                                     |
| 2014 | Blue Hours, Kukje Gallery, Seoul, Korea   |
| 2013 | Good Labor Bad Art, Plateau, Samsung Museum, Seoul, Korea   |
|      | The Xijing Men, H&R Block Artspace, Kansas City, US   |
| 2011 | Ordinary Strangers, Artsonje Center, Seoul, Korea   |
|      | Xijing, Fondazione Bevilacqua La Masa, Venice, Italy  |
| 2010 | Antithesis of Boundaries, Tina Kim Gallery, New York, US  |
| 2008 | In through the out door, Kukje Gallery, Seoul, Korea  |
| 2005 | Neighbor's wife, CAIS Gallery, Seoul, Korea   |
| 2004 | Cosmo Vitale, REDCAT Gallery, Los Angeles, US   |

Antarctica, Artsonje Center, Seoul, Korea

2001 Retro Bistro, Space LOOP, Seoul, Korea

2000 Heromaniac, Gallery Hyundai, Seoul, Korea

**Selected Group Exhibitions** 

2022 Hangang, 280, Yeouidong-ro, Yeongdeungpo-gu, Seoul, Korea

My Sleep, Culture Station Seoul 284, Korea

After Graybox: From Collecting to Exhibition, Museum of Contemporary Art Busan,

Korea

The Brilliant Days, Daewangam Park, Ulsan, Korea

2021 The Chronicle of Lost Time, Seoul National University Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea

2020 Artists in Their Times: Korean Modern and Contemporary Art, National Museum of

Modern and Contemporary Art, Gwacheon, Korea

2019 A Title Match: Gimhongsok vs. SEO Hyun-Suk—Incomplete Ruins, SeMA, Buk-Seoul

Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea

Animal Revolution: The Bremen Town Musicians in Art, Kitsch, and Society, Kunsthalle

Bremen, Bremen, Germany

Drawing-Korean Modern and Contemporary Drawings, Seoul Olympic Museum of

Art, Seoul, Korea

2018 The Street, Where the World is Made, MAXXI, Rome, Italy

Theater of the World: Art and China after 1989, SFMoMA, San Francisco, US

Theater of the World: Art and China after 1989, Guggenheim Bilbao, Bilbao, Spain

Harbour Arts Sculpture Park, Hong Kong Arts Centre (HKAC), Central and Western

District Promenade & Wan Chai, Hong Kong

Altering Home, 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan

Dismantling the Scaffold, Tai Kwun Contemporary, Hong Kong

*Irony & Idealism*, Kunsthalle Münster, Münster, Germany

2017 Culture City of East Asia 2017 Kyoto: Contemporary Art Exhibition, Nijo Castle

(Nijojo), Kyoto Art Center, Kyoto, Japan

The 1st Oku-Noto Triennale, Suzu City, Japan

Theater of the World, Guggenheim Museum, New York, US Irony & Idealism, Gyeonggi Museum of Modern Art, Ansan, Korea The Other Face of the Moon, Space 4, ACC Creation, Asia Culture Center, Gwangju, Korea 2016 Alice in Crisis, DIO HORIA Contemporary Art Platform, Mykonos, Greece The 3rd Nanjing International Arts Festival: HISTORICODE: Scarcity and Supply, Nanjing Bai Jia Lake Art Museum, Nanjing, China As the Moon Waxes and Wanes, MMCA Gwacheon, Korea 2015 Space Life, Ilmin Museum, Seoul, Korea Double Take, Nature Morte, New Delhi 2014 Zeitgeist Korea, National Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea Ebisu International Festival Art and Alternative Visions 2014: True Colors, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan Utopian days x Freedom, Total Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea K-P.O.P., Museum of Contemporary Art, Taipei (MOCATP), Taipei, Taiwan Yokohama Triennale 2014, Yokohama Museum of Art, Yokohama, Japan Koganecho Bazaar 2014: Fictive Communities Asia, Koganecho Bazaar, Yokohama, Japan Future Fictions, Z33 Kunstencentrum (Art Museum Z33), Hasselt, Belgium 2013 Better Than Universe, Daegu Art Factory, Daegu, Korea All You Need is LOVE, Mori Museum of Contemporary Art, Tokyo, Japan Festival Bo:m 2013, Arthouse MOMO, Seoul, Korea New START 2013, Museum of Art Seoul National University MoA, Seoul, Korea Korean Art: Era of Grand Navigation, Busan Museum of Art, Busan, Korea ZIZHIQU-Autonomous Regions, Times Museum, Guangzhou, China SITE: Places of Memories, Spaces with Potential, Hiroshima City Museum of Contemporary Art, Hiroshima, Japan 2012 Korea Artist Prize: 2012, National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea

ROUNDTABLE: The 9th Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju, Korea

The 7th Asia Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane, Australia

New & Now 2012 SeMA's New Acquisitions 2012, Seoul Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea

Lady Dior As Seen By, Wako Namiki Building, Ginza, Tokyo, Japan

Oriental Metaphor - The 6th Move on Asia, Alternative Space Loop, Seoul, Korea

2011 Abstract it!, National Museum of Art Deoksugung, Seoul, Korea

The Global Contemporary Art Worlds After 1989, ZKM, Museum of Contemporary Art, Karlsruhe, Germany COUNTDOWN, Former Seoul Station Art Complex Culture Station Seoul 284, Seoul, Korea

LOL: A Decade of Antic Art, Baltimore Art Museum of Art, Baltimore, US

2010 Tricksters Tricked, Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, Netherlands

Trust: Media City Seoul 2010, Seoul Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea

Memories of the Future, Leeum Samsung Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea

Oblique Strategies, Kukje Gallery, Seoul, Korea

Aichi Triennale 2010: Arts and Cities, Aichi Arts Center, Nagoya, Japan

Asian Arts Collection, Contemporary Art Museum, Kumamoto CAMK, Kumamoto, Japan

*Media Art from NMCA Collection*, National Museum of Contemporary Art, Korea, Seoul, Korea

Linguistic Morphology: Art in Context, The Sungkok Art Museum, Seoul, Korea

Day of Confidence, Alternative Space Pool, Seoul, Korea

2009 The 10th Lyon Biennale: *The spectacle of the Everyda*y, The Lyon Museum Contemporary Art, Lyon, France

The 4th Fukuoka Asian Art Triennale: *Live and Let Live-Creators of Tomorrow*, Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan

Your Bright Future: 12 Contemporary Artists from Korea, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, US

A New Common Sense of Space, Museo Nazionale della Scienza e della Tecnologia

Leonardo da Vinci, Milano, Italy

Your Bright Future: 12 Contemporary Artists from Korea, LACMA (Los Angeles County Museum of Art), Los Angeles, US

The First Stop on the Super Highway, Nam June Paik Art Center, Yongin, Korea

2008 Laughing in a Foreign Language, Hayward Gallery, London, UK

Too Early For Vacation, The Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick, Ireland

Brave New Worlds, Fundacion/Coleccion Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico

Peppermint Candy, Museo Nacional De Bellas Artes, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Somewhere in Time, Artsonje Center, Seoul, Korea

ART 38 Basel / Art Film, Stadtkino Basel, Basel, Switzerland

Charge Your Imagination, Gyunggido Museum of Art, Ansan, Korea

Soft Power, Hoam Art Gallery, Seoul, Korea

The 10th International Istanbul Biennial: Not Only Possible, But Also Necessary, Istanbul, Turkey

Peppermint Candy, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo, Santiago, Chile

Beautiful New World: Contemporary Culture from Japan, Long March Space, Beijing, China

Brave New Worlds, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, US

Tomorrow, Artsonje Center, Seoul, Korea

Activating Korea: Tides of Collective Action, Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, New Zealand

The 2nd APAP: Anyang Public Art Project 2007, Anyang, China

Beautiful New World: Contemporary Visual Culture of Japan, Guangdong Museum of Art, Guangzhou, China

2006 The 6th Seoul New Media Festival, Space LOOP, Seoul, Korea

*Alllook same: ArtChinaKoreaJapannex*t, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo, Turin, Italy

The 6th Gwangju Biennale: Fever Variations-Remapping Global Cities, Gwangju, Korea

Symptoms of Adolescence, Rodin Gallery, Seoul, Korea Move on Asia 2006, Space LOOP, Seoul, Korea 2005 Tirana Biennale: Sweet Taboos, National Gallery of Arts Tirana, Albania The 3rd Valencia Biennale: Thoughts of a fish in deep sea, Convento di Carmen, Valencia, Spain The 51st Venice Biennale, The Korean Pavilion, Venice, Italy Seoul: Until Now!, Charlottenborg Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen, Denmark 40x40 Project, Alternative Space Loop, Seoul, Korea 2004 Contemporary Senses-Zone of Urgency, Villa Zerbi, Reggio Calabria, Italy Stranger than Paradise, Total Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea 2003 The 50th Venice Biennale: *Dreams and Conflicts*, Arsenale, Venice, Italy Everyday-Contemporary Art from Asia, Kunstforeningen, Copenhagen, Denmark Echigo Tsumari Triennale, Niigata, Japan 2002 Under Construction, Tokyo Opera City Art Gallery, Tokyo, Japan Listening to New Voices, P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, New York, US The 4th Gwangju Biennale: Pause, Gwangju, Korea Fantasia-Under Construction, East Art Center, Beijing, China ASIANVIBE, Espai d'Art Contemporani de Castello, Spain 2001 Fantasia, Space imA, Seoul, Korea My home is yours / Your home is mine, Tokyo Opera City Art Gallery, Tokyo, Japan 2000 Double Space, Young-Un Museum of Contemporary Art, Gwangju, Korea My home is yours / Your home is mine, Rodin Gallery, Seoul, Korea New Ventures: Towards a New Millennium, National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea Taipei Biennial: The Sky is the Limit, Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Taipei, Taiwan

## **Selected Public Collections**

Le Consortium, Dijon, France
Los Angeles Museum of Contemporary Art (LACMA), Los Angeles, United States
Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, United States
ArtNow International, San Francisco, United States
21st Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan
Contemporary Art Museum, Kumamoto, Japan
National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa, Canada
Queensland Art Gallery | Gallery of Modern Art (QAGOMA), Brisbane, Australia
Posco Museum, Pohang, Korea
Artsonje Center, Seoul, Korea
National Museum of Contemporary Art, Korea
Samsung Museum of Art, Leeum, Korea
Seoul Museum of Art, Korea