

# KAZUKI TAKIZAWA

## GLASS ARTIST

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### Education:

- 2012 **Richard Royal**, Changing the Subject, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2005-2009 **University of Hawaii at Manoa**  
Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Glass Art, **Graduated with High Honors**, Honolulu, HI
- 2008 **Cathy Chase and David Chatt**, Dip & Stitch, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2006 **Hank Murta Adams**, 'Aha Hana Lima Workshop, Hawaii Craftsmen, Honolulu, HI

### Selected Exhibitions:

- 2018 **Minimalists** (Solo Exhibition), Duncan McClellan Gallery, St. Petersburg, FL
- Inner Beings** (Solo Exhibition), The Works, Newark, OH
- 2017 **Catharsis Contained** (Solo Exhibition), Craft in America Center, Beverly Hills, CA
- Luminous Vessels** (Solo Exhibition), Westfield Valencia Town Center Art Space, CA
- Momentum**, The Arts Commission, Toledo, OH
- Workhouse Glass National 2017**, Vulcan Gallery, Lorton, VA
- 4<sup>th</sup> Clay & Glass Biennial**, Brea Gallery, Brea, CA
- Juncture**, STARworks Glass Lab, Star, NC
- 2016 **Workhouse Glass National 2016**, Vulcan Gallery, Lorton, VA
- Directions**, Kennedy Galleries, Columbus, OH
- Beverly Hills Art Show**, Beverly Hills, CA
- FireFest**, STARworks Glass Lab, Star, NC
- 2015 **Fragile: The Glass House**, Center for Visual Arts, Greensboro, NC
- AD HOC**, Parachute Market, Los Angeles, CA
- Crafting The Cocktail**, Craft in America Center, Los Angeles, CA
- STARworks Annual Gathering**, STARworks, Start, NC
- 2014 **Solo Window Show** - Freehand Gallery, Beverly Hills, CA
- 2013 **Raw Materials** – BIL 2013 Arts Exhibition, Long Beach, CA
- San Francisco Travel Association Biannual Exhibition**, San Francisco, CA
- 2012 **ArtSpan 2012 SF Open Studios Exhibition** – Public Glass, San Francisco, CA
- 2011 **Matchbox Plus VII** - Cedar Street Galleries, Honolulu, HI
- 2010 **Matchbox Plus VI** - Cedar Street Galleries, Honolulu, HI
- 2009 **Choice Art 2** -The Pegge Hopper Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- Hawaii Glass Artists 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition** -The Arts at Marks Garage, Honolulu, HI
- Visually Speaking: BFA Exhibition 2009** -University of Hawaii at Manoa, Main Gallery, HI
- 2008 **Glass Art Society International Student Exhibition** -Museum of Contemporary Craft, Portland, Oregon
- bodyWHERE** -University of Hawaii at Manoa, Commons Gallery, HI
- Flux** - University of Hawaii at Manoa, Commons Gallery, HI
- Awards and Scholarships Recipient's Exhibition** -University of Hawaii at Manoa, Commons Gallery, HI

- Hawaii Glass Artists 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition** -The Arts at Marks Garage, Honolulu, HI  
**Window Display at The Arts at Marks Garage** -The Arts at Marks Garage, Honolulu, HI
- 2007 **Hawaii Craftsmen Statewide Juried Annual Exhibition** -Honolulu Academy of Arts  
 Linekona Art Center, Honolulu, HI  
**Hawaii Craftsmen Annual Gallery Sale** – The Arts at Marks Garage, Honolulu, HI  
**The Contemporary Show** -Pauahi Tower Mezzanine Gallery, Honolulu, HI  
**Awards and Scholarships Recipient’s Exhibition** -University of Hawaii at Manoa,  
 Commons Gallery, HI  
**Matters Lost** -University of Hawaii at Manoa, Commons Gallery, HI  
**Alternation** -University of Hawaii at Manoa, Commons Gallery, HI
- 2006 **Sparkling, Hammering, Welding, Shouting and Silent; We Are Here** -University of  
 Hawaii at Manoa, HI

### Recent Press:

- 2018 **American Craft Magazine**, “The Business of Being an Artist”, published by American  
 Craft Council, Feb/March 2018  
**Voyage LA Magazine**, “Check out Kazuki Takizawa’s Artwork” published online on  
 May 7, 2018 by Voyage Media  
**GAS Member Monday**, published online by Glass Art Society on April 2, 2018
- 2017 **NBC Asian America**, “How Working With Glass Helped Artist Kazuki Takizawa Open  
 Up About Mental Health”, Oct 12 2017, written by Monica Luhar  
**New Glass Review 38**, published by Corning Museum of Glass  
**Urban Glass Hot Sheet**, “Kazuki Takizawa Takes On Weighty Topic in Upcoming  
 Solo Exhibition” Feb 23 2017, written by Hailey Clark  
**American Craft Magazine**, published by American Craft Council, June/July 2017  
**Bay Area Narrative Therapy Resources (Podcast)**, “Painted Brain – Let’s Bridge  
 Communities” created by SF BANTR, Nov. 25 2017  
**LA Art News**, published by NELAart, June 2017
- 2016 **California Institute for Behavioral Health Solution Website**, “A Glass Installation  
 Created to Increase Awareness on Suicide, written by CIBHS  
**Trojan Vision University of Southern California Student TV**, “Kazuki Takizawa  
 with Cole Sullivan” Ep. 65 (2/22/16)

### Awards and Recognitions:

- 2017 **Best in Show**, “Beverly Hills Art Show”, Beverly Hills, CA  
**First Place (Glass)**, “Beverly Hills Art Show”, Beverly Hills, CA  
**Honorable Mention**, “Momentum”, The Arts Commission, Toledo, OH  
**Best in Show (Glass)**, “Clay & Glass Biennial”, Brea Art Gallery, Brea, CA
- 2016 **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Award**, “Workhouse Glass National 2016”, Vulcan Gallery, Lorton, VA
- 2013 **Corning Inc. Foundation Award Nominee**, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2012 **Pilchuck Glass School Partial Scholarship**, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2009 **Richard H. and Mildred D. Kosaki Student Assistance Award**, University of Hawaii  
 at Manoa, HI
- 2008 **The Hubert and Marble Frings Scholarship**, University of Hawaii at Manoa, HI  
**Clay and Glass Arts Foundation Scholarship**, Portland, OR

- Geraldine P. Clark Memorial Fellowship**, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa, HI  
**Arts & Sciences Advisory Council Award**, University of Hawaii at Manoa, HI  
**Richard H. and Mildred D. Kosaki Student Assistance Award**, University of Hawaii at Manoa, HI  
**Associated Students of the University of Hawaii 2007-2008 Research Grant**, University of Hawaii at Manoa, HI  
2007 **Outstanding Student Award in Glass**, University of Hawaii at Manoa, HI  
**Dianne Sullivan Memorial Scholarship**, Honolulu, HI  
**Third Place Award**, “The Contemporary Show” (Juror: Charles E. Higa) Honolulu, HI  
**Juror’s Top Pick**, “The Contemporary Show” (Juror: Charles E. Higa) Honolulu, HI

### **Professional Experience:**

- 2018 **Artist in Residence**, The Works, Newark, OH  
2017 **Artist in Residence**, Salem State University, Salem, MA  
**Artist in Residence**, STARworks Glass Lab, Star, NC  
**National Suicide Prevention Lifeline Counselor**, Didi Hirsch Mental Health, CA  
2013-2016 **Glassblowing Assistant**, United Glass Blowing, Santa Ana, CA  
2013 **Artist Assistant**, Wendy Maruyama, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA  
**Glassblowing Assistant**, Jason McQuaid, Laguna Beach, CA  
2011-2012 **Gaffer**, Venice Glassworks, Oakland, CA  
2011-2012 **Glassblowing Assistant**, Cohn-Stone Studios, Richmond, CA  
2011 **Demonstration Assistant**, Edward Clark, Glass Art Society Conference, Pratt Fine Arts Center, Seattle, WA  
2010-2011 **Artist Assistant**, Mark Mitsuda, Punahou School, Honolulu, HI  
2006-2011 **Artist Assistant / Studio Technician**, Edward Clark, Taonga Glass, Kailua, HI

### **Teaching Experience:**

- 2018 **The Works**, Newark, OH  
2017 **First City Art Center**, Pensacola, FL  
2015 **Pilchuck Glass School**, Stanwood, WA  
**KT Glassworks**, Los Angeles, CA  
**Creative Industrial Glass Studio**, Los Angeles, CA  
2013-2014 **Revolution Glass Studio**, El Segundo, CA  
2014 **TA for Ryo Sekino**, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA  
2013 **TA for Joe Cariati**, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA  
2012 **TA for Osamu and Yumiko Noda**, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA  
2011-2012 **Public Glass**, San Francisco, CA  
2010-2011 **TA at Punahou School**, Honolulu, HI  
2007-2008 **TA at Island Glassworks**, Kailua, HI  
2007 **TA for Shunji Omura**, ‘Aha Hana Lima Workshop, Hawaii Craftsmen,

### **Glassblowing Demonstrations:**

- 2018 **Duncan McClellan Gallery**, St. Petersburg, FL  
**Bowling Green State University**, Bowling Green, OH

- The Works**, Newark, OH
- 2017 **Tokyo Glass Art Institute**, Tokyo, Japan
- Salem State University**, Salem, MA
- STARworks NC**, Star, NC
- 2015 **Columbus College of Art and Design**, Columbus, OH
- STARworks Glass Lab**, Star, NC
- Palomar College**, San Marcos, CA
- 2014 **Santa Monica College**, Santa Monica, CA
- 2013 **Public Glass**, San Francisco, CA
- Santa Monica College**, Los Angeles, CA
- 2012 **San Francisco State University**, San Francisco, CA

**Artist Lectures:**

- 2018 **Museum of Fine Arts**, St. Petersburg, FL
- Bowling Green State University**, Bowling Green, OH
- The Works**, Newark, OH
- 2017 **Tokyo Glass Art Institute**, Tokyo, Japan
- University of Southern California**, Los Angeles, CA
- Nibe Foundation**, Los Angeles, CA
- Santa Monica College**, Santa Monica, CA
- Salem State University**, Salem, MA
- Heart of Los Angeles**, Los Angeles, CA
- Craft in America Center**, Beverly Hills, CA
- Fairfax High School**, Los Angeles, CA
- Van Nuys High School**, Van Nuys, CA
- Sandhills Community College**, Pinehurst, NC
- STARworks Glass Lab**, Star, NC
- 2016 **University of Southern California**, Los Angeles, CA
- 2015 **Columbus College of Art and Design**, Columbus, OH
- STARworks Glass Lab**, Star, NC
- Palomar College**, San Marcos, CA
- 2014 **Santa Monica College**, Santa Monica, CA
- 2013 **Public Glass**, San Francisco, CA
- Santa Monica College**, Los Angeles, CA
- 2012 **San Francisco State University**, San Francisco, CA