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Strich & Faden, Heimat, Volkskunst und Travestie

Kinya Hanada / Mumbleboy

Personal

Kinya Hanada a.k.a. Mumbleboy is probably most well known for what some people call 'old school' Flash animation and making handmade plush dolls before there were such things as designer toys. Kinya started out as an art student in painting and moved to New York with the ambition of becoming a fine artist, but somehow became more known as a graphic designer (although he never thought of himself as one). Kinya spent the next decade making work mostly with the personal computer, things like music video for Beck, Shugo Tokumaru, Solex, Frou Frou, Anjali, Bettie Serveert, Jason Forrest, O.Lamm, Momus, Fan3 as well as work in the public realm like the the interactive piece "Mumble Hop" which was first installed at the Museum of the Moving Image and the animation for the Holiday Light Show at the Grand Central which was projected on the ceiling of the main hall at Grand Central station in New York City. Kinya has now focused his attention back to his roots to make artwork by hand in the new home city of Portland.

Education

MFA in Painting from RISD (Rhode Island School of Design) 1994

Solo Exhibitions

2008

- "Super Heroes Return" as Mumbreeze, Littlecakes Gallery, New York City, USA
- "Paper Machete Squad", with E*Rock, Portland, Oregon, USA
- "Super Heroes", with E*rock, hpgrp Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

2003

- "Mac, Paper, Scissors" at Nuit d'encre gallery, Paris

2001

- Art show with Chris Bettig at Rome 455AD gallery, San Diego, CA, USA

Group Exhibitions

2008

- "Strich & Faden", Kunstraum Richard Sorge, Berlin
- "Sticky & Sweet", Little Cakes Gallery, New York, USA

2006

- Giant Balloon Parade "Sky Walkers", Miami, USA

2004

- Group show "Ooh! Ah! Shangri-La" San Diego, CA, USA
- "Aqui Uzumaki" with Friends with You and Julian Gatto at Hanna Gallery, Tokyo,

2003

- "Apotheke-Mitte", Berlin. Curated by Tulip Art Projects & Tine Lippert
- Group Exhibition for the release of book Pictoplasma 2, Berlin
- Group show "Technological City" at Nuit d'encre gallery with Craig Robinson, Torisu Koshiro, Oishi Akinori and Yoshihito Ando

2002

- "Holiday Light Show" at Grand Central station, NYC,
- Interactive Installation "Mumblehop" by Mumbleboy, Karl Ackermann and E*Rock is shown at Museum of Moving Image, NYC, USA

Comissions

- Music video "Aerialist" for O.Lamm, December 2006
- Music video "Ghettochip Malfunction" for Beck, February 2005
- Music video "Karte" for Shugo Tokumaru, August 2005
- Animation on CD " US Poplife Vol. 16 Extension of Electro" on Contact Records, January 2003
- Music animation for Bettie Serveert, January 2003
- Music video fro Anjali, December 2003
- Music animation for the band Frou Frou, May 2002
- animation for artist Anna Fidler, June 2002
- Animation for the band Push Kings, September 2001
- Animation for the band IQU, September 2001
- Animation series "The Boy" debuts a Submarine Channel (Amsterdam), December 2001
- Animation "Kogals" commissioned for BIG magazine, January 2000
- Music animation for the band All Girl Summer Fun Band, February 2000
- Mumbleboy animation featured in MTV's Real World New Orleans, February 2000
- Animation for MTV's Video Music Awards featuring Moby, September 2000
- Mumbleboy's "safe sex" animation is featured at the Red Hot Organization's website, May 1999
- animation commissioned by ZVEX (guitar effects pedal manufacturer), August 1999
- First music animation for the band "The Sensualists", November 1999
- Music animation for MC Paul Barmann, November 1999
- Hotwired Animation Express publishes Mumbleboy animation, October 1998

VJ

- VJ gig at Animal Lounge, Super Deluxe, Tokyo, May 2004
- VJ gig at Transmediale festival in Berlin, February 2004
- VJ gig at Repellent Festival with Jason Forrest, Williamburg, March 2004
- VJ gig at Animal Lounge, Super Deluxe, Tokyo, May 2004
- VJ gig at WFMU record fair, May 2003
- Mini-Europe tour with E*Rock as a VJ in Germany and the Netherlands, September 2003
- First of many monthly VJ gigs at NYC dance party "Odoru", NYC, October 2001
- VJ gig with Inkblot at a show with John Sheffield and Takagi Masakatsu, October 2001

Online

www.mumbleboy.com
www.mumbreeze.com