



IMAGE: Shuji Sugihara, 2011

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Japanese Artists' Responses to the March 2011 Earthquake & Tsunamis

February 16 – March 25, 2012

Presented at Edison Place Gallery, 702 Eighth Street NW, Washington DC 20068

Developed in collaboration with Tokyo based arts collective Dan Dans, Transformer is honored to present *2:46 and thereafter* - a comprehensive exhibition featuring new work in a variety of mediums by 18 emerging Japanese artists created in response to the March 2011 earthquake and resulting tsunamis that hit the north-east coast of Japan, and their aftermath on and the country and Japanese people. Exhibiting artists include:

Takeshi Abe
Chiho Akama
Yasushi Ebihara
Yuya Fujita
Masaharu Futoyu
Kotaro Isobe

Mami Kosemura
Shinji Maeda
Kazumasa Noguchi
Mitsuki Noguchi
Tetsuya Noguchi
Mihoko Ogaki

Akiko Ozasa
Masaharu Sato
Shinichi Tsuchiya
Takayoshi Tsuchiya
Ryota Unno
Keiki Yamada

FRAMEWORK PANEL: Thursday, February 16, 2012; 4:30 - 6pm

OPENING RECEPTION: Thursday, February 16, 2012; 6 - 8pm

CLOSING RECEPTION with special performance by On Megumi Akiyoshi, Saturday, March 24, 2012; 6 - 8pm

EXHIBITION HOURS OF EDISON PLACE GALLERY: Tuesday - Friday 12 - 4 pm; Thursdays 12 - 7pm;

Saturday, March 10, 17 & 24th; 12 - 4pm; Sunday, March 25; 12 - 4pm

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