

NORITAKA MINAMI

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EDUCATION

- 2011** University of California, Irvine
MFA Studio Art, Emphasis in Visual Studies Graduate Program
- 2004** University of California, Berkeley
BA Art Practice, Minor in Asian American Studies

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2023** *1972/Nakagin Capsule Tower*, SARUP Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- 2022** *1972/Accumulations*, MAS Context, Chicago, IL
- 2021** *SGN*, FLXST Contemporary, Chicago, IL
- 2018** *California City, California*, Kana Kawanishi Photography, Tokyo, Japan
Noritaka Minami: California City, California, SFO Museum, San Francisco, CA
California City, California, 3001/STATION, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
- 2015** *Noritaka Minami: 1972*, Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, MA
- 2013** *Future Anterior*, UC Merced Art Gallery, University of California, Merced, CA
- 2012** *1972*, Perloff Gallery, UCLA Department of Architecture and Urban Design, Los Angeles, CA

SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2026** *La Nuit Pour Matière*, Le Festival Georges, Rennes, France
- 2025** *The Many Lives of the Nakagin Capsule Tower*, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
- 2024** *John Andrews: Architect of Uncommon Sense*, University of Sydney Architecture, Design and Planning, Australia
John Andrews: Architect of Uncommon Sense, University of Melbourne School of Design, Australia
- 2022** *John Andrews: Architect of Uncommon Sense*, Harvard Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA
- 2021** *Fotografia Europea*, Fondazione Palazzo Magnani, Reggio Emilia, Italy
Cities, Circling in Time, Cable, Shenzhen, China
- 2020** *Material Intentions*, FLXST Contemporary, Chicago, IL
Home Stories: 100 Years, 20 Visionary Interiors, Vitra Design Museum, Weil am Rhein, Germany
- 2019** *Delirious Cities*, Aperture Foundation, New York, NY
Need/Want, 72 Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Where We Live, Perspective Gallery, Evanston, IL
- 2018** *Generation*, Worth Ryder Gallery, University of California, Berkeley, CA
- 2017** *Cupboard Love*, Gewerbemuseum, Winterthur, Switzerland
On Freedom, Aperture Foundation, New York, NY
Best of DAM Architectural Book Award, Deutsches Architekturmuseum, Frankfurt, Germany
Syngenta Photography Award, Somerset House, London, UK
Photo Basel, Basel, Switzerland
- 2016** *The Bright Invisible*, Pingyao International Photography Festival, Pingyao, China
Fertile Solitude, Mills Gallery, Boston Center for the Arts, Boston, MA
On the Shelf, Filter Space, Chicago, IL
The Photobook Exhibition, Athens Photo Festival, Benaki Museum, Athens, Greece

- 2015** *Urbanism*, Kana Kawanishi Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
Made in Woodstock IV, Center for Photography, Woodstock, NY
Music in the Woods, Woodstock Artists Association and Museum, Woodstock, NY
- 2014** *The Fence*, Photoville, Brooklyn, NY
Massachusetts, Gallery 263, Cambridge, MA
- 2013** *New England Photography Biennial*, Danforth Art Museum, Framingham, MA
Like a Rowboat, Aviary, Boston, MA
Fanatic, PØST, Los Angeles, CA
- 2012** *Movement in Many Parts*, Asian Resource Center Gallery, Oakland, CA
- 2011** *MFA Thesis Exhibition*, University Art Gallery, University of California, Irvine, CA
Nothing Comes from Nothing, Las Cienegas Projects, Los Angeles, CA
The Art of Photography, Lyceum Theatre Gallery, San Diego, CA
One Size Fits All, Kearney Street Workshop, San Francisco, CA
- 2010** *Greater Los Angeles MFA*, University Art Gallery, California State University, Long Beach, CA
Ground Control, University Art Gallery, University of California, Irvine, CA
- 2009** *Wight Biennial*, New Wight Gallery, University of California, Los Angeles, CA
- 2008** *APAture*, Kearney Street Workshop, San Francisco, CA
Insider/Outsider, Root Division, San Francisco, CA

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA
The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA
Terasaki Center for Japanese Studies, Los Angeles, CA
Center for Photography, Woodstock, NY
MAS Context, Chicago, IL
LATITUDE, Chicago, IL
Museum of Architecture, Wrocław, Poland

SELECT PUBLICATIONS

Kotsioris, Evangelos. *Kisho Kurokawa: Nakagin Capsule Tower*. New York: The Museum of Modern Art, 2025.

Minami, Noritaka. "Coda." In *John Andrews: Architect of Uncommon Sense*, edited by Paul Walker, 396 – 491. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2023.

Minami, Noritaka. *1972 – Nakagin Capsule Tower*. Heidelberg, Germany: Kehrer Verlag, 2015.

SELECT AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2025** Research Grant, Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts, Chicago, IL
Summer Research Stipend, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
- 2024** Bates Smart National Award for Architecture in Media, Victorian Architecture Awards, Australian Institute of Architects
Research Support Grant, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
- 2022** Research Support Grant, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
- 2020** Artist Fellowship in Photography, Illinois Arts Council Agency, Chicago, IL
Summer Research Stipend, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
Faculty Research Leave, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
- 2019** Winning Selection, Tokyo International Photography Competition, Tokyo, Japan
Nomination, Vontobel Contemporary Photography Prize, Zurich, Switzerland
Shortlist, IMA Next Photography Competition, Tokyo, Japan
Editors' Pick, 2019 Reclaim Award, Cologne, Germany
Research Support Grant, Loyola University, Chicago, IL

- 2018** Research Grant, Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts, Chicago, IL
Individual Artist Awards Top Honor, Santo Foundation, St. Louis, MO
Special Mention, Urbanautica Institute Awards, Asolo, Italy
Shortlist, Hariban Award, Benrido Collotype Atelier, Kyoto, Japan
Longlist Selection, Aesthetica Art Prize, Aesthetica Magazine, York, United Kingdom
- 2017** Artist-in-Residence Program, LATITUDE, Chicago, IL
Shortlist, Hariban Award, Benrido Collotype Atelier, Kyoto, Japan
Finalist, Dotphotozine Award for Excellence in Photography, California State University, San Bernardino
Summer Research Stipend, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
- 2016** The Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant, New York, NY
Midwest Photographers Project, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
- 2015** Architectural Book Award, Deutsches Architekturmuseum, Frankfurt, Germany
Publication Grant, Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts, Chicago, IL
Exhibition Support, Pollock-Krasner Foundation, New York, NY
Flash Forward Honorable Mention, Magenta Foundation, Toronto, Canada
- 2014** Artist-in-Residence Program, Center for Photography at Woodstock, NY
Finalist, APA/Lucie Foundation Scholarship, Lucie Foundation, Los Angeles, CA
Finalist, Center for Documentary Studies Essay Prize in Photography, Duke University, Durham, NC
Finalist, JGS Quarterly Contest, Forward Thinking Museum, New York, NY
- 2013** Ryan R. Gibbs Award for Photography, *New Delta Review*, Louisiana State University Baton Rouge, LA
- 2012** Artist-in-Residence Program, Kala Art Institute, Berkeley, CA
- 2011** Durfee Foundation/Center for Cultural Innovation ARC Grant, Los Angeles, CA
- 2010** Graduate Merit Fellowship, University of California, Irvine
Medici Scholar Award, University of California, Irvine
Center for Asian Studies Research Grant, University of California, Irvine
Graduate Student Research Award, University of California, Irvine
- 2009** Graduate Merit Fellowship, University of California, Irvine
Graduate Student Research Award, University of California, Irvine
- 2008** Graduate Merit Fellowship, University of California, Irvine
Graduate Student Research Award, University of California, Irvine
- 2000** Stuckey Memorial Scholarship, University of California, Berkeley
P.S. & C.C. Camp Scholarship, University of California, Berkeley

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2023 – present** Director of Fine Arts, Department of Fine and Performing Arts, Loyola University Chicago
- 2021 – present** Associate Professor, Department of Fine and Performing Arts, Loyola University Chicago
- 2015 - 2021** Assistant Professor, Department of Fine and Performing Arts, Loyola University Chicago
- 2015** Visiting Faculty, Department of Art, Wellesley College
- 2014 – 2015** Visiting Faculty, Photography Area, School of the Museum of Fine Arts at Tufts University
- 2013 – 2015** Teaching Assistant, Department of Visual and Environmental Studies, Harvard University
- 2012 – 2014** Visiting Faculty, Department of Art Practice, University of California, Berkeley
- 2011** Visiting Faculty, Department of Art, University of California, Irvine