

ADACHI Tomomi

Born 1972 in Kanazawa, Japan

Lives and works in Kanazawa, Japan

Education and Residences

- 2012 Invited Composer of the DAAD Artists-in-Berlin Program, Berlin, Germany
2009 ACC Music Grant, New York, USA
1993 Graduated from Waseda University, Japan

Selected Performances

- 2025 *Kanazawa International Experimental Music Festival* (direction, performance), Kanazawa Citizen's Art Center, Kanazawa, Japan
2024 *Kanazawa International Experimental Music Festival* (direction, performance), Kanazawa Citizen's Art Center, Kanazawa, Japan
Voice, Biwa and Electronics, 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan
Lavish Joy, Live streaming & Super Dommune studio, Tokyo, Japan
Sound poetry, Site-specific, Pataecology, Interface: Lecture & Performance, Kanazawa Collage of Art, Kanazawa, Japan
What is the collective instrument? Audience participatory instrumental performance, Kanazawa Night Museum, Kanazawa, Japan
2023 *Musica nova Helsinki, Hietsu is Happening! & Tomomi Adachi*, Hietsun Paviljonki, Helsinki, Finland
The Painted Bird, Suginami Public Hall, Ogikubo, Tokyo
Mardi Spaghetti, Montreal, Canada
Body without Organs (with Organ)(Opera), Montréal, Canada
Image Forum Festival 2023 "Music as Film," Goethe Institut Tokyo, Japan
Noh-opera / Noh-tation. Decoding John Cage's Unrealized Project, Japan Society, New York
2022 *John Cage's "Europeras 3&4"(Japan Premiere)*, Aichi Triennale, Aichi Prefectural Art Theatre, Nagoya, Japan
Jukka Kääriäinen & Girilal Baars, Au Topsi Pohl, Berlin, Germany
La voce artificiale, Domus Ars - Centro di Cultura, Napoli, Italy
Eröffnung Kulturland Brandenburg, Beelitz, Germany

- 2021 *Opera "Romeo will Juliet,"* Kioi Hall, Tokyo, Japan
 Transmediale "out of doors," the House of World Cultures, Berlin, Germany
- 2020 *Xenakis "Persepolis"(Japan Premiere),* Concert Hall, Akiyoshidai International Art Village, Yamaguchi, Japan
- 2019 *Voices from AI in Experimental Improvisation,* ARS Electronica, Linz, Germany
 La Voix Libérée, Palais de Tokyo, Paris, France
- 2018 *EM4 Das Subharchord,* Akademie der Künste, Berlin, Germany
 MAVOTEK Part IV, Hamburger Bahnhof, Museum für Gegenwart, Berlin, Germany
- 2017 *Rainy days festival with Jennifer Walshe,* Philharmonie Luxembourg, Luxembourg
 Tempo Reale Festival, Limonaia di Villa Strozzi, Florence, Italy
 Louisiana Literature Festival, Louisiana Museum of Modern Art, Denmark
- 2016 *SOUND ART,* WDR Funkhaus, Cologne, Germany
 Wysing Polyphonic, Wysing Arts Centre, UK
- 2013 *Move on Asia: solo performance for exhibition opening,* ZKM | Media Museum, Karlsruhe, Germany
- 2012 Duo with Alessandro Bosetti at Miss Hecker, Berlin, Germany
 Solo and with Jaap Blonk, Leevi Lehto, Eiríkur Örn Nordahl, Cia Rinne in La-bas Biennale at Kiasma Theater, Helsinki, Finland
 Duo with Jennifer Walshe, Reihe M, Theater die wohngemeinschaft, Cologne, Germany
 Solo in Beam Festival, Brunel University, London, UK
 MAVOTEK Project for Japanese dada group in 1920s with Jennifer Walshe, Cia Rinne and Alessandro Bosetti at Villa Elisabeth, Berlin, Germany
 Solo at Ramus, Malmo, Sweden
 Direction and performance for TOKYO SOUND POETRY FESTIVAL, involves Leevi Lehto, Joerg Piringer and Maja Jantar at Asahi Artsquare, Tokyo, Japan
- 2011 *Music as Methodology: Performance and symposium,* Tokyo University of the Arts, Tokyo, Japan
- 2010 Solo and collaboration with Orin Buck (video), Light Dreams, Monkey Town, New York, USA
 Lecture and Workshop, London College of Communication, London
 Solo, presented by Lampo in Columbia College, Chicago, USA
 Solo with Kara Feely/Travis Just/Francesco Gagliardi at Ontological-Hysteric Theater, New York
 Solo, Whenevers Wherever Festival 2010 / Dance & Words, Asahi Art Square, Tokyo, Japan
 Solo poetry performance, Stockholm Poetry Festival, the Royal Dramatic Theatre, Stockholm, Sweden

- 2009 *The past, present and future of Sound Poetry: lecture and performance*, the National Museum of Art, Osaka, Japan
 Solo performance, Flanders Festival, Ghent, Court House Ghent, Belgium
 STEIM@40! presents: The Voice: solo and duo with Jaapn Blonk at STEIM, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2008 Solo performance with Sten Sandell and Paavo at Fylkingen, Stockholm, Sweden
 Solo performance in Muusajuhlat Literary Festival, Oulu, Finland
 7a*11d Performance Art Festival, XPACE, Toronto, Canada
- 2007 Experimental Intermedia Foundation, New York, USA
 Tonic, New York, USA
 Art of Begegnung II:public domain performance, Koeln, Essen and Duesseldorf, Germany
 John Cage's Europera 5, Suntory Summer Festival, Suntory hall, Tokyo
 Audiatur - Festival for New Poetry, BIT teatergarasjen, Bergen, Norway
 IETM Meeting, Flanders Festival, Vooruit, Gent, Belgium
 Melbourne International Arts Festival/Voice Prints, La Mama Theatre, Melbourne, Australia
- 2006 La Cave 12, Geneva, Switzerland
 STEIM with James Fei and Uli Boettcher, Amsterdam, Netherlands
 VOORKAMER, Lier, Belgium
 NIME06, Espace de Projection concert hall, IRCAM/Centre Pompidou, Paris, France
 Kagura (traditional ritual dance & music), Museum of Art, Kochi, Japan
- 2005 t-u-b-e soundgallery, Munich, Germany
 Sklenena louka, Brno, Czech
 Opening performance for photo exhibition by NAKAHIRA Takuma, TAKANASHI Yutaka & MORIYAMA Daido, Aomori, Hachinohe Art Museum, Aomori, Japan
- 2004 3 VOICES, BankArt 1929, Yokohama, Japan
 Openning performance, BankArt 1929, Yokohama, Japan
 computer music III, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
 Performance Art in NRW 2004, Maschinenhaus Essen, Germany
- 2003 *HOTEGPON for 8 CD players by Ghettoblaster*, Sweden
 Experimental poetry reading, Urawa Art Museum, Saitama, Japan
- 2001 *Adachi Tomomi Royal Chorus*, Yokohama Triennial, Yokohama, Japan
 Method Art Festival, Kitakyushu Art Museum, Kitakyushu, Japan

- 2000 *c.u.b.a-cultur*, Muenster and MeX, Dortmund, Germany
Fluxconcert, Mitaka Art Center, Mitaka, Japan
- 1999 *Music Factory vol.1-4*, Mitaka Art Center, Mitaka, Japan
- 1998 *Asian Performing Artists Forum In OKINAWA*, Okinawa Art University, Naha, Japan
- 1997 *Minna no uta, alternative symphony no.9*, the Museum of Modern Art Saitama, Urawa, Japan
- 1996 *Kurt Schwitters's Ursonate*, Theater Poo, Tokyo, Japan

Selected Solo exhibitions

- 2025 *Old Instruments From the Future, New Instruments From the Past (and Characters) ((by Artificial Intelligence))*, MISA SHIN GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
- 2024 *Old Instruments From the Future, New Instruments From the Past (and Characters) ((by Artificial Intelligence))*, Art Gummi Kanazawa, Japan
- 2006 *Time is Money!*, Uplink Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2005 *Three Duster Dancers*, Kuenstlerhaus Dortmund, Dortmund, Germany
Out Lounge, Tokyo, Japan
- 2003 *Out-lounge*, Tokyo, Japan

Selected Group Exhibitions/Festivals

- 2024 *SOFT CENTRE / SUPERMODEL*, Now or Never Festival, Melbourne, Australia
Ishida Takashi: Between Tableau and Window (the closing performance), Museum of Modern Art Kanagawa, Hayama, Kanagawa, Japan
Music Festival on the Jibeta, Komae, Tokyo, Japan
JOLT Showcase Yokohama 2024, BankART Station Yokohama, Japan
- 2023 *GO:40*, Künstlerhaus Dortmund, Dortmund, Germany
John Cage's Japan, Japan Society, New York
Methodicist Art: Rules, Interpretations, Body in Question, the Museum of Fine Arts, GIFU, Japan
Music Festival Frequenz, Kiel, Germany
- 2022 *Aichi Triennale*, Nagoya, Japan
- 2020 *John Heartfield - Fotografie plus Dynamit*, Akademie der Künste, Berlin, Germany
- 2019 *La Voix Libérée*, Palais de Tokyo, Paris, France
Ars Electronica, Linz, Austria
- 2018 *Leandro Erlich*, Mori Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 2017 *Flap-flop, Clap-clop: A Place Where Words Are Born*, Literature House Maebashi, Maebashi, Japan

- From Concrete to Liquid to Spoken Worlds to the Word*, Centre d'Art Contemporain Geneve, Switzerland
- Artificial Intelligence Art and Aesthetics*, OIST, Okinawa, Japan
- 2016 *Context Art Miami*, Miami, US
Rooms for Notes, Alte Schmiede, Vienna, Austria
- 2015 *Silence d'Or. Ilmar Laaban and experiments in sound and language*, Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia
The Voice Observatory, Errant Bodies, Berlin, Germany
- 2014 *Bernard Heidsieck*, La Plaque Tournante, Berlin, Germany
Räume für notizen / Rooms for notes, Galerie Wechselstrom, Vienna, Austria
ADACHI Tomomi X MATSUZAWA Yutaka Poetry Performance, MISA SHIN GALLERY, Tokyo, Japan
- 2013 *Hunter's Moon Score Trail 2013*, Carrick on Shannon, County Leitrim, Ireland
- 2010 *Speaking up -The spoken word in artistic practice*, with David Toop, Brandon LaBelle, Trevor Wishart at Tate Modern, London, UK
EDIT: Processing Improvisatory Writing Technologies, the Kelly Writers House, Philadelphia, USA
- 2008 *Repeating Wall(s): collaborative performance and installation with film maker/painter ISHIDA Takashi*, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan
NIIKUNI Seiichi by ADACHI Tomomi: opening performance for exhibition NIIKUNI Seiichi's [Concrete Poetry] Between Poetry and Art, the National Museum of Art, Osaka, Japan
- 2007 Roodkapje, Rotterdam, Netherlands
- 2005 *map of meanings II: Tomomi Adachi & Takashi Ishida*, MuseumQuartier quartier21; PLATTFORM – Raum fur Kunst , Vienna, Austria
Shoot – dance for screen, Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2004 *Images Contre Nature 2004*, Marseille, France
Lausanne Underground Film & Music Festival, Lausanne, Switzerland
Lumen und dezibel, Museum Kunst Palast, Dueseldorf, Germany
She_story_loop, Japanese Kulturinstitut, Cologne, Germany
- 2003 VACA, Galerie Rachel Haferkamp (Cologne), Stadtgalerie (Saarbruecken), MeX (Dortmund), Maschinenhaus (Essen), Cuba-culture (Muenster), Les Voutes(Paris)
- 2002 AJ Project, Redbrick warehouse, Yokohama, Japan
- 2001 Out of JAPAN, Bern, Switzerland and Gdansk, Poland
VACA, Vienna, Hamburg, Cologne and Paris
- 1995 *About sounds or ears vol.3 sound performance*, P3, Tokyo, Japan
- 1994 *Rolywholyover A Circus*, Art Tower Mito, Mito, Japan

Awards

- 2022 Saji Keizo Prize for the opera Romeo is Juliet

- 2021 Grand Prize for the opera Romeo is Juliet, Agency for Cultural Affairs National Arts Festival – Music Division (Kansai section), Japan
- 2019 Award of Distinction, Ars Electronica, Linz, Austria
- 2007 Europera 5 (Japan premiere), Suntory Summer Festival, Tokyo, Japan