

JI YEO

EDUCATION

- 2013 Master of Fine Arts in Photography, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI, US
President's and Dean's Scholarship and Henry Wolf Scholarship
- 2009 Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea
- 2008 Exchange Student in Photography, London College of Communication, London, UK
- 2006 General Studies in Photography, International Center of Photography, New York, US

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 Aug-Oct *Framing Beauty*, Grunwald Gallery of Art, Indiana University, Curated by Deborah Willis, Bloomington, IN
- 2016 May-Oct *Please Return To Busan Port*, Vestfossen Museum, Vestfossen, Norway
- 2015 Apr-May, Solo Show, *It will hurt a little*, Baxter St at CCNY gallery, New York, NY
- 2014 Nov, Solo Show, *Beauty Recovery Room*, Space1839, SoonCheon, Korea
- 2014 Aug-Oct, Solo Show, *Beauty Recovery Room*, Documentary Arts Asia, Chiang Mai, Thailand.
- 2014 Sep-Oct, Three people show, *Hello Stranger*, Space K, DaeGue, Korea
- 2014 May-Jul, *How One Thing Leads to Another*, Houston Center for Photography, Houston, TX
- 2014 Apr, *2014 Frames:Projecting International Photography*, The Glasgow International 2014 Festival for Contemporary Art, Glasgow's Centre for Contemporary Art (CAA), Scotland
- 2014 Feb-Mar, Two Person Show, *Pause and Pose*, Space 22 Gallery, Seoul, Korea
- 2014 Mar-May, *The Taylor Wessing Photographic Portrait Prize*, Scottish National Portrait Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland
- 2014 Apr *Body Modification*, Büro für Museumskonzepte und –beratung, Curated by Susanne Hawlik, Wels, Austria
- 2014 Mar *How One Thing Leads to Another*, Corden | Potts Gallery, Curated by Jessica Johnston, SF, CA
- 2013-4 Nov-Feb, *Taylor Wessing Awardee Group Show*, National Portrait Gallery, London, UK
- 2013 Nov, *Brighton Photo Biennial Open 13*, Phoenix Brighton Gallery, Brighton, UK
- 2013 Sep-Oct, *Mapping: borders, bodies, memories*, David Weinberg Photography, Chicago, US
- 2013 Sep-Nov, *I'll Be Your Mirror*, Rita K. Hillman Education Gallery, International Center of Photography, New York, NY
- 2013 Sep, *The Fence 2013, The Fence Slideshow: Adventures Across the Seven Seas*, Curated by MaryAnn Camilleri and Sam Barzilay, Brooklyn, NY, US
- 2013 *Rhode Island School of Design 2013 MFA Photography Show*, ClampArt Gallery, New York, US
- 2013 *New Contemporaries: Selected works from the class of 2013*, curated by Mark Moscone, Gelman Gallery, Providence
- 2013 *Shots and Work*, curated by Melissa Harris and Yolanda Cuomo, LOOK3 Festival of the Photograph, VA.
- 2013 *Body:Talk*, curated by Namwoo Bae and Ahrong Kim, Gelman Gallery, Providence, US
- 2013 *International SPE Combined Caucus Juried Show*, Group exhibition, Harrington College of Design, Chicago, US
- 2012 *Flux Capacity*, MFA Photography Biennial, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, US
- 2012 *Modern Culture and Media*, Granoff Center for the Creative Arts, Brown University, Providence, US
- 2011 *Triennial Exhibition*, Wood-Garry Gallery, Providence, US
- 2012 *Modern Lady*, SOLO exhibition, Gallery NUDA, DaeJoen, Korea
- 2011 *The Beauty*, SOLO exhibition, Gallery THE-K, Seoul, Korea
- 2009 *Unsettled*, Seoul, Women's Plaza, Seoul, Korea
- 2009 *Unsettled*, irrational number, Television 12, Seoul, Korea
- 2008 *Visual Communication Design Major Graduation*, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea
- 2006 *Narcissism*, Graduation show, International Center of photography, New York, NY, U.S

- COLLECTIONS 2013 Smithsonian Museum of American History
- 2013 Rhode Island School of Design Museum

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SELECTED PRESS/ PUBLICATION/ INTERVIEWS

2015

Washington Post, *Stunning photos show why S. Korea is the plastic surgery capital of the world*, Interview by Ana Swanson

Vice, *Photos from Inside Seoul's Plastic Surgery Clinics* Interview by Matthew Leifheit

NPR, HERE and NOW Radio Interview, *South Korean Photographer Shows Costs Of Plastic Surgery*, hosted by Robin Young

Refinery 29, *16 Photos That Reveal The Realities Of Korean Plastic Surgery*, Interview by Sara Coughlin

Metal Magazine, Issue 34, *Beautiful Obsessions*, Interview by Charlotte Micha Barban-Dangerfield

Eyesopen! Magazine, *Numero 2*, Featured Artist

Timeout Seoul, August 2015, Vol.3, *Ji Yeo's recovering beauties*, Interview by Michelle JY Park

Matte Magazine Featured Artist

2014

Wired Raw File Gallery, *Unsettling Images of Patients in Hiding After Plastic Surgery (NSFW)*, March 14th, Interview by Alan Devenish

The Guardian, *Ji Yeo: Dispatches from Cosmetic Surgery's Frontline*, March 18th, Interview by Kira Cochrane

BBC World Service Radio, *Weekend*, March 23rd, Live Interview and Panel Discussion with Dr Mary Beard and Inua Ellams

BBC Brazil, *Test with South Korean plastic exposes after pressure by 'Western' beauty*, April 03, Interview by Alexandra Nunes

ABC Radio Australia, *Overnights*, April 7th, Live Interview with Sally Knight

Feature Shoot, *Vulnerable Portraits of Korean Plastic Surgery patients (NSFW)*, Feb 18th by Julia Sabot

Beautiful/Decay, *Ji Yeo Questions Female Beauty With Photo Series Of Women With Eating Disorders And Hollywood Models (NSFW)*, Feb 20 by Victoria Casa-Data

2013-2010

Spiegel German, *Fotoserie über Schönheits-OPs: Was Frauen sich antun*, August 10, Interview by Kristin Haug

LA Times reframed, *In conversation with Ji Yeo*, Nov 22, Interview by Barbara Davidson

National Geographic Neoblog, *Musings: Ji Yeo's Beauty Recovery Room*, October 17, Interview by Janna Dotschkal

Esquire Russia, Featured Artist

Dazed and Digital, Featured Artist

Daily Mail UK Newspaper, *The painful price of perfection: How the bruises and scars of plastic surgery are no longer feared in South Korea where it has become the norm to be surgically enhanced*, Sep 19, Interview by Helen Pow

Epoca Globe Spain Newspaper, Sep Article

Crack Magazine, Issue 33

Blink Magazine, Issue 26

Bon Magazine International, Sep Issue

Marie Claire Brazil, May Article

Huffington Post, May Article

Metro Colombia Newspaper, May Article

Fast Co Design, Beauty Recovery Room series

Aint-Bad Magazine, Beauty Recovery Room series

Its Nice That, Beauty Recovery Room series

Beautiful/Decay, Beauty Recovery Room series

Visions Magazine, Fall 2012 Issue, US

Eloquence Magazine, April Issue, Korea

Foam Magazine A Book of Beds, Netherlands

Photographic Art Magazine, Korea VOL.262. FEBRUARY. 2011

Monthly Photo Magazine, Issue #517, Korea, Monthly photographer