



YOUNG COLLECTORS X MARKANTO

26.03. - 30.06.2022



RIEKO TAMURA (b.1977) is YOUNG COLLECTORS Artist of the Year 2022.

The Japanese photographer is a rare find working in analogue techniques of photography. „Most of my photographs are taken in the soft light of dawn or dusk, using a silver film camera. It is a technique I have been exploring for 20 years, since the start of my career. I take the images in black and white film, with a long exposure, and then develop them, printed on baryta paper, using silver pigments. Because I concentrate at the level of fine grain detail, controlling every part of the photographic process from the outdoors to the dark room, it is as if I am "drawing" these photographs in black and white, or "painting" a universe that I can see.“

TIMELESS combines works from her KYOTO and YUKI (Snow) series, respectively taken in the elegant City of Kyoto, Japans historical and cultural capital and in Hokkaido, the far north of Japan with vast snowy landscapes.

ISAMU NOGUCHI (1904 -1988)

Isamu Noguchi is best known for his iconic designs like the Noguchi Coffee table and his worldwide success the Akari Light series. What is less known is that the American artist with Japanese roots was one of the ground breakers for stretching the boundaries of sculpture, and art in general into fields as design, theatre, landscape and urban design. His interdisciplinary practice was truly avant garde and is currently honored by a large retrospective conceived by The Barbican Center, London and Museum Ludwig, Cologne. In partnership with Markanto TIMELESS presents iconic designs by Isamu Noguchi as the Akari Light Sculpture series and rare vintage pieces like the Cyclone table group, an original from the American pavilion of the World Expo 1958 in Brussels.

MARKANTO

Our host and partner for TIMELESS and this year's presentation of our YOUNG COLLECTORS Artist of the Year 2022 Markanto Depot is an internationally acclaimed specialist in design.

Founded in 1999 by design connoisseur and specialist Sven Vorderstrasse as a platform for vintage design pieces it soon grew into pioneering portal for design classics, being the first German online merchant for such prestigious brands as Vitra, Knoll International and Zanotta. The internet shop [markanto.de](https://www.markanto.de) was rated among the 15 best international online shops by ELLE Decoration. In 2021 Markanto Depot, where TIMELESS will take place, was named one of the best specialist retailers by the magazine SCHÖNER WOHNEN.



RIEKO TAMURA, Nanzenji #2, Kyoto 2020
Gelatin silver print, 45 x 45 cm (framed)
Edition 3/3 (last available)
1.800 Euro



ISAMU NOGUCHI
Akari 25N Bodenleuchte
2020 Vitra Design Museum
Washi Papier und Bambus Streifen
Höher 117 cm, Durchmesser 83 cm
1.599 Euro
(available through our partner Markanto)



RIEKO TAMURA, Kamogawa, Kyoto 2020
Gelatin silver print, 45 x 45 cm (framed)
Edition 3/3 (last available)
1.800 Euro



ISAMU NOGUCHI
Akari Light Sculptures (Vitra)
Akari 45a und Akari 1a Tischleuchte (unten)
Washi Papier mit Bambusstreifen
Durchmesser 45 cm bzw. Durchmesser 25 cm / Höhe 43 cm
319 Euro & 289 Euro
(available through our partner Markanto)



RIEKO TAMURA, Arashiyama, Kyoto 2020
Gelatin silver print, 45 x 45 cm (framed)
Edition 3/3 (last available)
1.800 Euro



ISAMU NOGUCHI
Children's Furniture Group
Expo 1959 US Pavillon (Original)
Cyclone Table + two Rocking Chairs produced by Knoll
39.500 Euro
(available through our partner Markanto)



RIEKO TAMURA, Biei #4, 2019
Gelatin silver print , 45 x 45 cm (framed), Edition 1/3
1.800 Euro



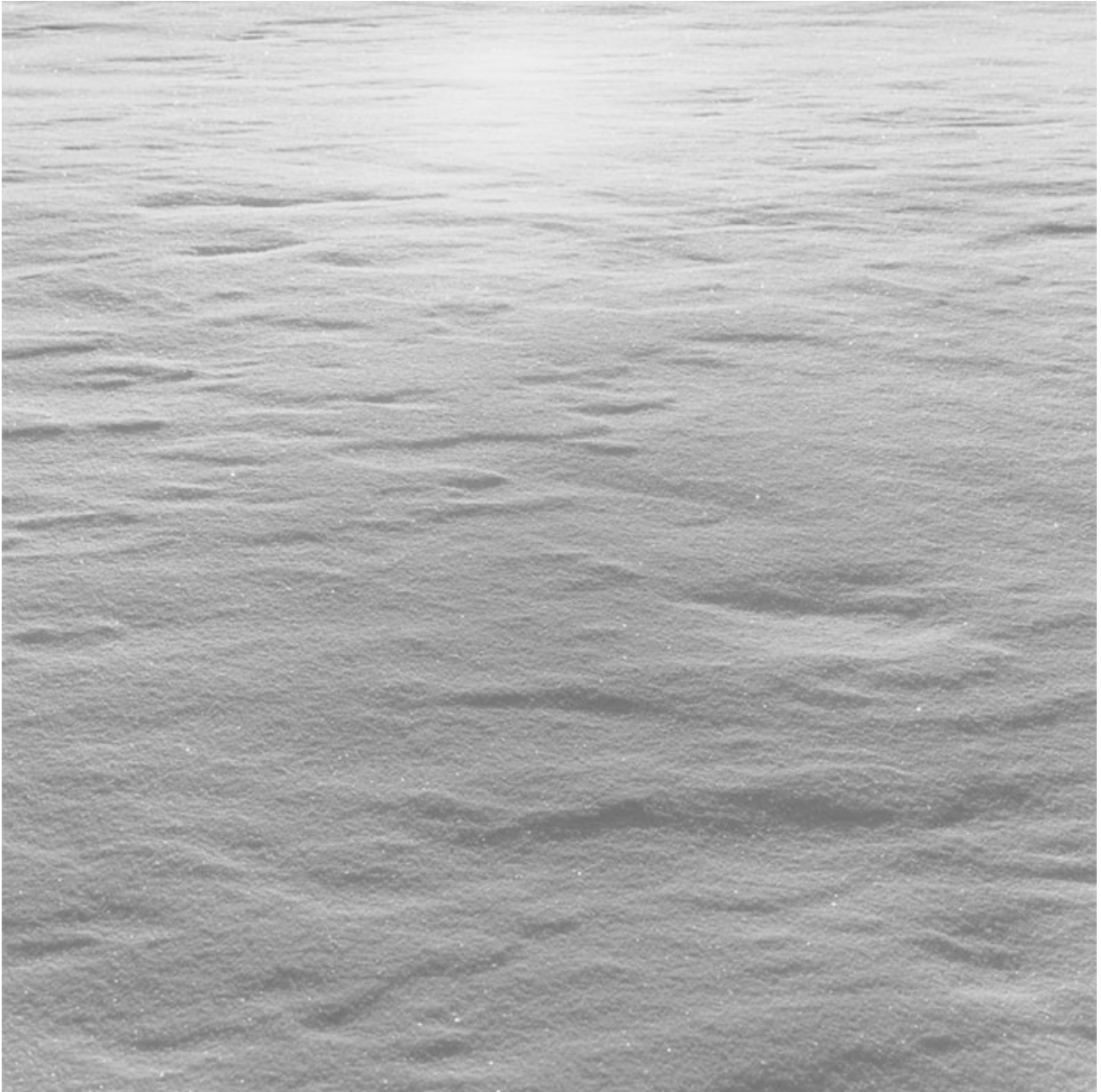
ISAMU NOGUCHI
Noguchi Coffee Table (Vitra)
Ausführung Esche schwarz, Glasplatte 19 mm
128 x 93 x 40 cm
2.250 Euro
(available through our partner Markanto)



RIEKO TAMURA, Biei #9, 2020
Gelatin silver print, 45 x 45 cm (framed), Edition 3/3 (last available)
1.800 Euro



ISAMU NOGUCHI
Vitra Freeform Sofa,
Entwurf 1946, Sofa and Ottomane, wood and textile
Sofa 300 x 130 x 72 cm, Ottoman 120 x 71 x 32 cm
8.360 Euro
(available through our partner Markanto)



RIEKO TAMURA, Poropinai #1, 2020
Gelatin silver print, 45 x 45 cm (framed), Edition 1/3
1.800 Euro



TIMELESS

Rieko Tamura in dialogue with Isamu Noguchi
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