MOMOKA GOMI textile artist / hand weaver

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Personal Profile

Momoka is a textile artist based in Nottingham, specialising in hand woven fabric. Through her training in Japan to become a Kimono Dressr at the age of 17, she learnt the value of textile. She works on a 16 shafts dobby loom, weaving art-let pieces and heirloom quality garments. Her interest in memory; how it is recollected in our brainm delicately decay over time took her to explore creating distressed feature on hand woven fabric surface.

Education

2015: MA in Textile Design and Innovation Nottingahm Trent University

2014: BA(Hons) in Traditional Craft Design Musashino Art University

2008: Master of Kimono Dresser Kichijo Joshi High School

Achievements

2019: Hothouse 2019

Craft council presented business course

2017: Design Nation

2015: Paul Smith Scholarship

Full tuition fee and living cost for MA

Experience

2018 - Present: Weave Studio Nottingham Co-founder of Weave Studio

2015: Art Director

at Stationery Island Ltd

Residency

2017 - Present : Resident Artist in Primary, Nottingham

2016: Art Residency in Guiyang, China 2 weeks of exhanging weaving skills and knolwge with local artisans.

Key Exhibitions / Talks

2022: Atelier Open

Atelier Beside The Sea (14-July -3 September)

New Designer / One Year In

Business Design Centre (29 June - 2 Junly)

The Future of Craft

Bargehouse OXO Tower Wharf (II May - 15 May)

Design Nation 'OUR JOURNEY'

The HUB (29 January - 24 April 2022)

2020: Homes&Gardens

The Craft Movement

2019: Channel4

Kirstie's Handmade Christmas 2019 epsode 4