

AESOP RHIM

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Education:

1967-70 MA, Institute of Design, IIT, Chicago
1964-65 Otis Art Institute, Los Angeles
1966-67 Chicago Fine Art Academy
1954-59 BFA, Fine Art College, Seoul National University, Seoul

Solo Exhibitions:

2006 "Art for Peace" The Peace Museum, Chicago
2005 "Peace and Art" The Peace Museum, Chicago
2002 "Prayer for Peace" James Thompson Center
2002 "Prayer for Peace" Richard J. Daley Center
1995 "Chicago" DePaul University Gallery
1991 "Chicago, beautiful" Richard Daley Center
1978 "Chicago and Architecture" Illinois Center Gallery
1976 "Chicago I Love" CNA Gallery, Chicago
1971 "Chicago on Relief" Jacques Baruch Gallery, Chicago
1970 "Chicago on Relief" Skokie Public Library, Skokie

Awards:

1995 "Aesop Rhim Day" Proclaimed by Mayor of Chicago
1966 First Prize, Chicago Artist Guild's Annual Art Exhibition
1961 First Prize, Annual Industrial Art Exhibition of Korea
1960 Special Award, Korea National Art Exhibition

Reviews:

Chicago Sun Times:

"The Artist who has taken the historical step by abstracting from reality is a Korean, called Aesop".

Chicago Tribune:

"They are a strange blend of naive illusionism and formal abstraction".