



KIM YEON

Kim Yeon's sculptures encourage moments of meditation and contemplation from the viewer. Sections of streams and rivers are captured in a state of stasis, tranquility and calm. Yeon's vibrantly coloured autumnal leaves are suspended within the soft, liquid appearance of resin accentuating their fragility.

Shimmering in the light, her stainless steel sculptures explore further aspects of nature, focusing on oceans and the skies above them. The contrast of brushed and highly polished surfaces, playfully acknowledge the solid and yet seemingly liquid nature of the same cold, hard material. The reflected light appears to dance in the sculpture's surroundings, casting mysterious patterns and shadows which bring yet another magical element to the work.

Kim Yeon lives and works in South Korea.

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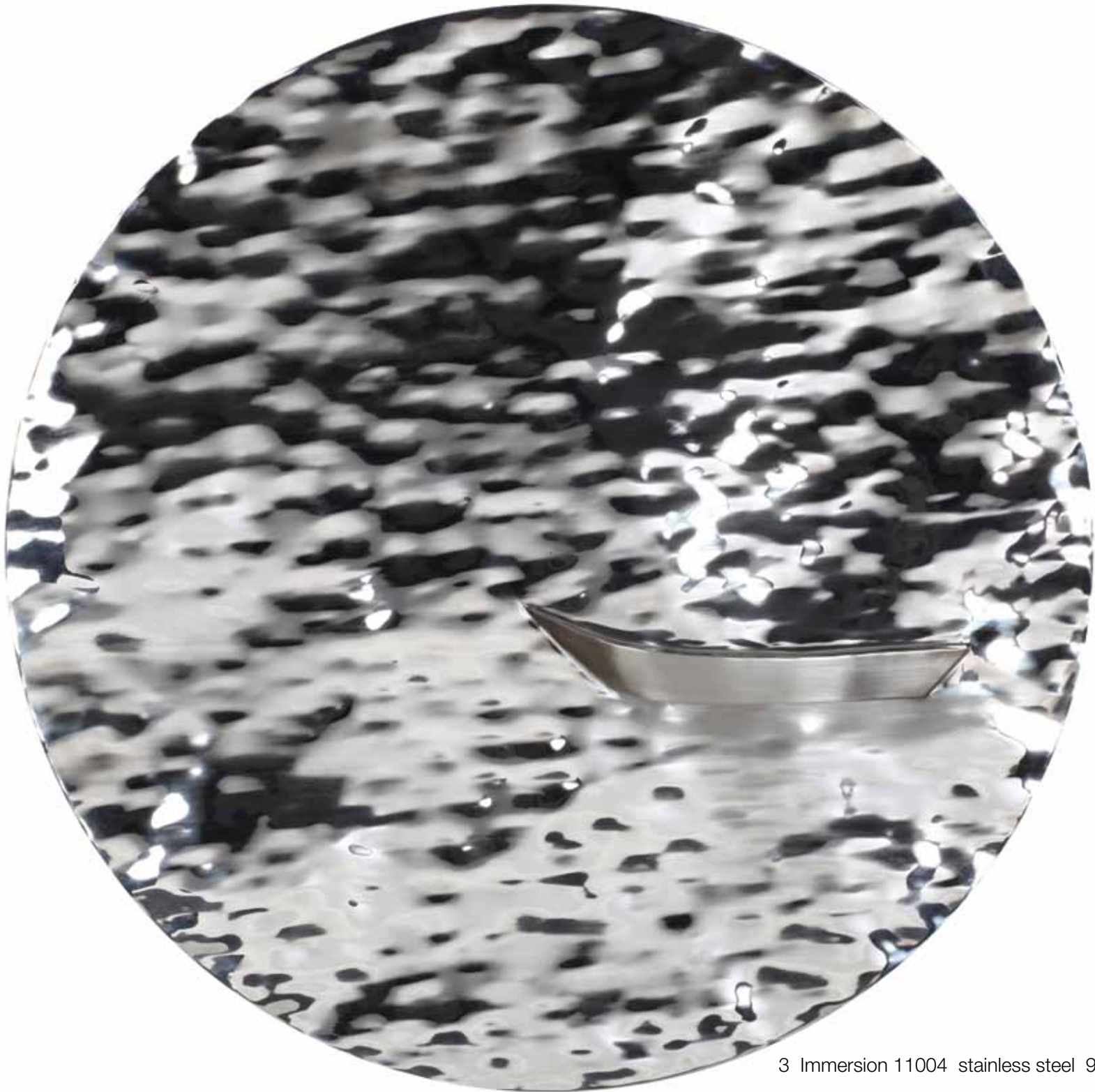


1 Autumn Leaves 11006 clear resin & autumn leaves 24 x 120 x 5 cm



2 Autumn Leaves 11005 clear resin & autumn leaves 37 x 37 x 8 cm





3 Immersion 11004 stainless steel 90 x 90 x 8 cm



4 Immersion 11002
stainless steel
160 x 80 x 24 cm 30 x 120 x 120 cm





5 Immersion 11003 stainless steel 46 x 90 x 12 cm



6 Voyage to the Light VII stainless steel 80 x 80 x 10 cm



7 Cubic Sky 11003
stainless steel 43 x 40 x 40 cm



8 Voyage to the Light 11008
stainless steel 5 x 32 x 80 cm



9 Blue 11001 stainless steel 40 x 160 x 17 cm

KIM YEON

1968 Born, South Korea

EDUCATION

1987-1991 B.F.A. E-wha Womans University, Sculpture, Seoul

1991-1995 M.F.A. E-wha Womans University, Sculpture, Seoul

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2010 Kim Yeon, A glance at the waterside (Albemarle Gallery, London)

2009 Kim yeon, Unfolding Water (Gallery SP, Seoul)

2007 Kim Yeon, Walking in the Light (Parc des expositions Metz, France)

2006 Kim Yeon, Voyage to Light (Moran Gallery, Seoul)

1999 Kim Yeon, A glance at the waterside (Dukwon Gallery, Seoul)

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

International Sculpture Festa 2011 (Hangaram Art Museum, Seoul Art Center, Seoul)

Shine artists (Albemarle Gallery, London)

Meditation of technology, Alchemy of iron (Pohang Museum of Steel Art, Pohang)

Asia Top Gallery Hotel Art Fair (Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong)

Metal spirit (Gallery Grimson, Seoul)

Korea Modern Fine Art Invitation Exhibition (National Museum of Art, Abu Dhabi)

ART Singapore (Suntec Convention Hall, Singapore)

Design & Art Fair 2011 (Design Art Museum, Seoul Art Center, Seoul)

Aesthetics of Material (Gallery 4 wall's, Seoul)

CHINA KOREA Modern Art Fair (798 Art center, Beijing)

Autumnal tints, Kimyeon Invitation Exhibition (COEX Gallery H, Seoul)

Nous avons dit OUI (Gallery Daniel Besseiche, Paris)

Korea Aesthetics (Albemarle Gallery, London)

Tokyo & Seoul (Gallery Enchoudo, Tokyo)

Korea International Art Fair (COEX, Seoul)

Ausstellung moderner koreanischer Kunst in Deutschland (Frauen Museum, Bonn)

Korea Gallery Art Fair / BEXCO, Busan

Un autre paysage (Figure Gallery, Paris)

Ticktac, Korea Sculpture Exhibition (Gallery godo, Seoul)

Albemarle Summer Show (Albemarle Gallery, London)

Yeosu EXPO International Art Festival (Yeosu Art Park, Korea)

Changchun International Sculpture Conference (Changchun World Sculpture Park, China)

Meets the fine arts and the ocean (National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul)

Contemporary Art Exhibition of Korea (Square Gallery of Contemporary Art, Nanjing)

LIQUID LIGHT (Sesameart Gallery, London)

Invitational Exhibition of Beijing Olympic Commemoration (DA SHANZI Art Center, Beijing)

Art en Capital, Comparaisons 2007 (Grand Palais, Paris)

Seoul Art Fair (Hangaram Art Museum, Seoul Art Center, Seoul)

Invitational Exhibition Modern Korean Sculpture (River Park in Chuncheon MBC)

International 2006 in New York (Hun Gallery, New York)

DMZ Art Festival (Seokjangri Art Museum, Yeoncheon, Korea)

Agio International Sculpture Symposium (Zimbabwe National Gallery, S.Africa)

Korea Art Festival (Sejong Art and culture Center Gallery, Seoul)

Spring Message from Seoul (Yingko Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan)

Freeman Foundation Asian Award (Vermont Studio Center, USA)

International Sculpture Festival (Hangaram Art Museum, Seoul Art Center, Seoul)

Lighting Sculpture Exhibition (National Theater, Seoul)

International Group show (Global Culture Center, Osaka, Japan)

Asia Contemporary Sculpture Exhibition (Kaoshum Art Museum, Taiwan)

Special Exhibition in Kwang-Ju Biennale (City of Kwang-Ju, Korea)

COLLECTIONS

National Museum of Contemporary Art (Korea)

The PLAZA Hotel (Seoul)

W-Seoul Walkerhill Hotel (Seoul)

Netherlands Embassy in Japan (Tokyo)

Embassy of Canada in Korea (Seoul)

Embassy of Korea in Zimbabwe (S.Africa)

Nowon-gu Wisteria Park (Seoul)

Sookmyung Women's University Museum (Seoul)

Ewha Womans University Natural History Museum (Seoul)

Gimcheon Jikjisa Art Park (Korea)

Geoje Neungpo Yangjiam Art Park (Korea)

Salgoji Sculpturepark (Seoul)

CAREER

1997-1998 Lecturer at Sangji University, Korea

1999-2002 Lecturer at Ewha Womans University, Korea

1999-2011 Lecturer at Suwon University, Korea

2001-2003 Lecturer at Hanbit school for the blind, Korea

2003-2007 Lecturer at Dankook University, Korea

2004-2011 Lecturer at Kookmin University, Korea

2005-2011 Lecturer at Mokwon University, Korea

2005-2011 Lecturer at Seoul National School for the Blind, Korea

2011-2011 Lecturer at Kyonggi University, Korea

PRESENT

Lecturer at Mokwon University, Suwon University, Kookmin University,

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