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Lee Bae
Brushstroke Sculpture A-25, 2024
Bronze
185 x 160 x 150 cm
Edition 1 of 3

































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Nam June Paik

b. 1932 - 2006

Nam June Paik, a pioneering media artist from South Korea, was born in Seoul in 1932 and passed away in the United States in 2006. His remains are interred in Seoul, New York, and Germany. Some of his major works include Moon is the Oldest TV (1965), TV Garden (1974), and Good Morning Mr. Orwell (1984). Despite suffering a stroke in 1996, which left him physically disabled, he continued to create and exhibit his work.

In 2000, a major retrospective titled The World of Nam June Paik was held at the Guggenheim Museum in New York, Rodin Gallery in Seoul, and the Ho-Am Art Museum. Paik received numerous prestigious awards, including the Golden Lion at the Venice Biennale (1993), the Kyoto Prize in Japan (1998), the Goethe Medal in Germany (1998), and the Order of Cultural Merit (Geumgwan) from South Korea (2000). In August 1997, Capital, a German economics magazine, ranked him 8th among the world's top 100 artists. In 2006, Time magazine named him one of the Asian Heroes.

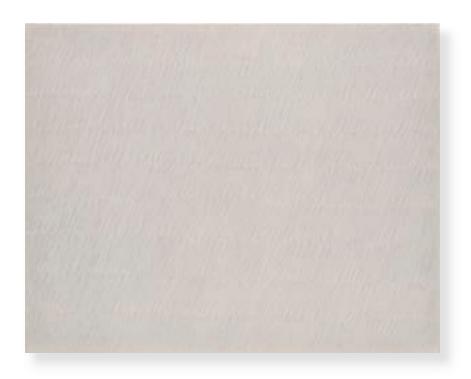


Life is Drama, 1990
Wooden Television Cabinet, Television Aerials, Metal, Oil Paint, Laquer, Wood, DVD Player, Two DVDs 26m 36s loop
188 x 119 x 65 cm
USD \$450,000

Park Seo-Bo

b. 1931 - 2023

Park Seo-Bo was a seminal figure in Korean contemporary art. He was one of the founding members of the Dansaekhwa movement, which emerged in the early 1970s post-war Korea and has since gained international recognition. In the late 1960s, Park began the 'Ecriture' series by repeating pencil lines over wet monochromatic painted surfaces. Later, he expanded the language through the introduction of hanji (traditional Korean paper) and color. The work is brought into being through the process of repetitive actions of pasting, scraping, scratching, and rubbing. It delicately balances drawing and painting in a quest for emptiness through reduction. Park's work has been exhibited internationally, including: Museum of Fine Art, Boston; the Venice Biennale; Samsung Museum of Art, Seoul; Singapore Art Museum; Kunsthalle Wien, Vienna; Tate Liverpool, UK; Brooklyn Museum, New York; and Expo 67, Montreal. Park's work is included in the collections of the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York; M+, Hong Kong; Guggenheim Abu Dhabi, UAE; The National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul; and the K20, Kunstsammlung Nordrhein-Westfalen, Düsseldorf.

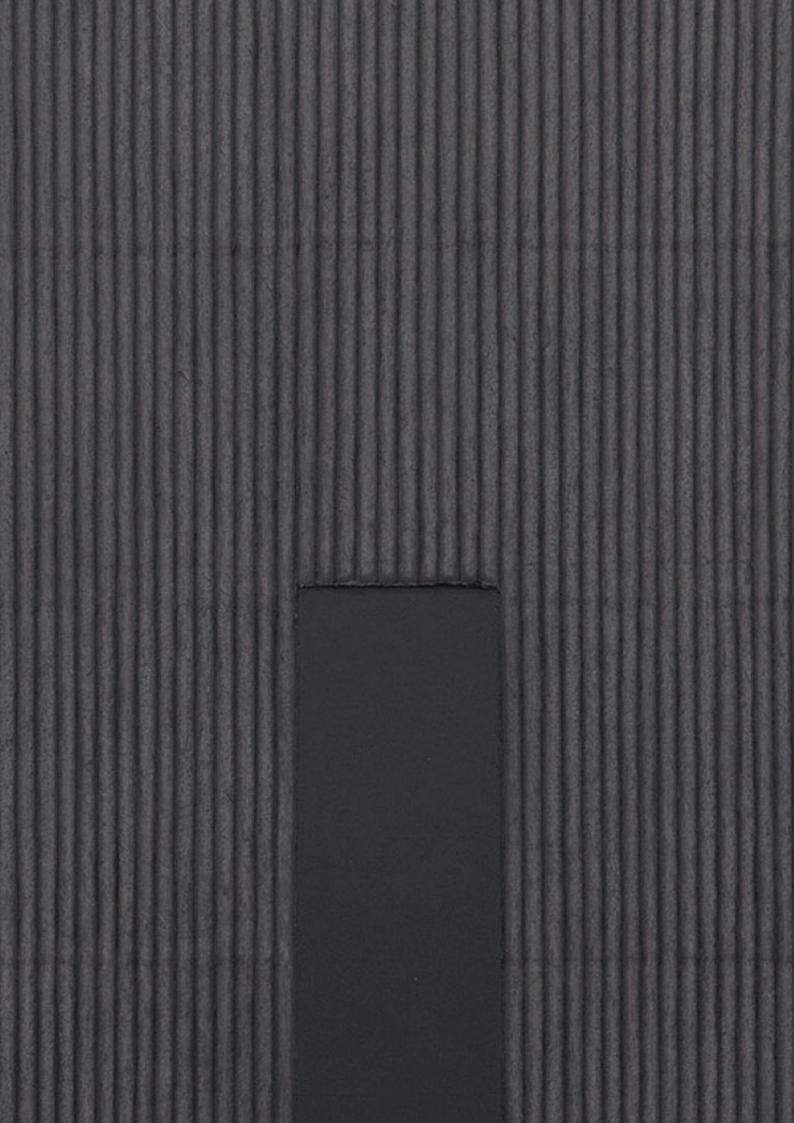


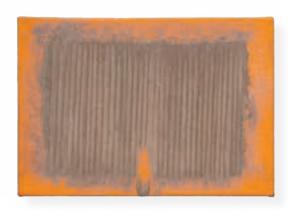
Park Seo-Bo Ecriture No. 6-74, 1974 Pencil and Oil on Canvas 130 x 162 cm Price on Request





Park Seo-Bo
Ecriture No. 000105, 2000
Black Ink, White Clam and Oyster Shell and Glue with Korean hanji Paper on Canvas
130 x 97 cm
USD \$470,000





Park Seo-Bo Ecriture No. 911104, 1991 Acrylic with Korean hanji Paper on Canvas 18 x 26 cm USD \$80,000



Claude Viallat

b. 1936

Claude Viallat was born in 1936 in Nîmes and he still lives and works there. He attended the École des Beaux-Arts in Montpellier from 1955 to 1959, and later studied in Raymond Le-Gault's studio at the Beaux-Arts in Paris in 1962-63. Viallat is recognized as one of the founding members and key figures of the Support/Surface movement in France, along with a group of artists that included Daniel Dezeuze. Experimenting with the physical and structural aspects of painting, Viallat began working on industrial tarpaulins without stretchers, covering them with the same endlessly-repeated abstract shape. By reproducing the shape using a stencil, in a variety of colors and on different surfaces such as upholstery fabrics, rugs, and recycled materials, Viallat eradicated the notion of a "subject" and explored the meaning of the creative gesture and the status of the work of art. In 1982, Viallat held a retrospective exhibition at the Pompidou Center and represented France at the Venice Biennale in 1988. In addition to his artistic career, he has also worked as a teacher in various art schools including Nice, Limoges, Marseille, Nimes (where he was a director for many years), and Paris at the École Nationale Supérieure des Beaux-Arts de Paris. His works can be found in many public collections, including at the Musée National d'Art Moderne - Centre Georges Pompidou in Paris, MOMA in New York, Musée des Beaux-Arts in Montréal, and National Museum of Art in Osaka.



Claude Viallat 1978/018, 1978 Acrylic on Black Canvas 212 x 122 cm EUR €80,000



Claude Viallat 1981/024, 1981 Acrylic on Orange Tent Fragment in 3 Parts 170 x 240 cm EUR €80,000



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Lee Bae Issu du feu Au-1, 1998 Charcoal on Canvas 152 x 102 cm USD \$157,000









Lee Bae Nid d'oiseau 7, 1999 Charcoal D.30 cm USD \$25,000

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Lee Bae Nid d'oiseau 10, 1999 Charcoal D.30 cm USD \$25,000



Kwon Dae Sup

b. 1952

Kwon Dae Sup's white porcelain (baekja) faithfully reproduces the moon jars (dalhangari) that were produced during the late Joseon Dynasty, spanning the latter half of the 17th century and well into the 18th century. The rotund jar stands just above 40cm, its creamy white, rich. The porcelain clay is made of the finest sediments, high-quality kaolin impurities completely removed. From the choice of raw clay to the techniques of achieving kiln temperature, Kwon has inherited the essence, form, and techniques of the Joseon Dynasty's royal pottery. However, this is not to suggest that he replicates rediscovered techniques. Instead, he anchors the Moon Jars firmly in traditional culture while embracing modernity in his own unique manner. Kwon's moon jar hemispheres are slightly deformed-yet-balanced. The unassumingly naivety of the misaligned hemisphere offers a certain solace, a stability. The texture of the surface is also varied. Kwon is wary of his work being tagged as moon jars (dalhangari). The moon jars of the Joseon era were clearly not the same as his creations, and an attachment to the full moon may only limit interpretation and imagination.

Kwon was born in Seoul in 1952 and graduated from Hongik University's Department of Art in 1978. After seeing white porcelain in Insadong, he studied pottery at Nabeshima in Kyushu for five years starting in 1979. In 1995, he held the first domestic exhibition at the Deokwon Art Museum. After that, he held solo exhibitions at the Seomi & Tuus Gallery (2009-2014), the Axel Vervoordt Gallery (2015, 2018 Belgium), and the Park Ryu Sook Gallery (2019, 2020). In 2009, he participated in Design Miami and Triennale di Milano (2013). He held group exhibitions at the Seoul Museum of Art, Mountain Art Foundation (2014), and the Paris Ornamental Museum (2015), and various exhibitions at the Bavarian National Museum (Monaco 2016), Art Geneva (Swiss 2016), and Ginza Six Gallery (Japan 2017). He was named the best artist of the Korea Art Critics Association in 1998. His work is included in the collections of the Leeum Samsung Museum, the Korean Folk Museum, the Guimet Museum (France), the Russia National Museum, St. Petersburg, (Russia), and the Chicago Institute of Art (USA).



Moon Jar, 1998 White Porcelain 52 x 52 x 58 cm USD \$60,000



Kwon Dae Sup Narrow-Neck bottle, 1996 White Porcelain 23 x 23 x 43 cm USD \$12,000



Kwon Dae Sup Ink Stone, 1994 White Porcelain 11.3 x 3.7 x 3.5 cm USD \$2,000



Kwon Dae Sup Knee Inkstone Water Dropper, 1994 White Porcelain $10 \times 11 \times 10 \text{ cm}$ USD \$2,000



Kwon Dae Sup Incense Flower, 1994 White Porcelain 4 x 3.5 x 6.5 cm USD \$2,500

Kim Chong Hak

b. 1937

Kim Chong Hak, often referred to as Flower's Painter, is celebrated for his abstract art that emphasizes the inherent beauty of nature. His creative process involves internalizing the joy found in nature and reimagining it onto canvas. In the 1980s, Kim immersed himself in the Seoraksan Mountain, both in theme and living, inspired by its distinct seasonal traits, with a different name for each season. He still speaks fondly of his time in the mountains and his artistic expression of the seasons' colors. His work has been featured in major international exhibitions and projects, including: theBusan Museum of Art, Busan; Vitality at Galerie Perrotin, Paris; Musée Guimet, Paris; SeMA Nam Seoul Living Art Museum, Seoul; Whanki Museum, Seoul; Ewha Museum, Seoul; Kumho Museum, Seoul.Kim Chong Hak's work is in the permanent collections of many museums including theNational Museum of Korea; National Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Korea; Leeum, Samsung Museum of Art, Korea; Seoul Museum of Art, Korea; and Busan Museum of Art, Busan, Korea.Currently, the Kim Chong Hak Museum is in plans to be built in Busan, whereas the Architect Kengo Kuma participates as a designer.

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Kim Chong Hak
Untitled, 2012
Acrylic on Wooden Tray
Painting 32.4 x 50.2 cm, Tray 42 x 58 cm
USD \$38,000





Kim Chong Hak
Untitled, 1998
Acrylic on Wooden Tray
Painting 29.5 x 28.5 cm, Tray 42.5 x 41.5 cm
USD \$27,000



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Kim Chong Hak
Untitled, 1996
Acrylic on Wooden Tray
Painting 33.2 x 23.5 cm, Tray 39.7 x 40 x 9 cm
USD \$22,000

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