

GERALD CHUKWUMA

b. 1973 Nigeria Lives and
works in Lagos

EDUCATION

2003 First Class Honours in Painting at Nsukka Art School, University of Nigeria,
Nsukka, Nigeria

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 (Upcoming) *A Place Where Everything Becomes a Possibility*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Palm Beach, Florida, USA
- 2022 *Captured in Time*, Gallery 1957, Gallery II, Accra, Ghana
- 2021 *Eclipse of the Scrolls*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery (London Bridge), London
- 2020 *IKWOKIRIKWO: THE DANCE OF SPIRITS*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Berlin
- Negritude: The Igbo Has Landed*, Urevbu Contemporary, Memphis Tennessee
- 2019 *Wrinkles*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London
- 2017 *Standing Ovation*, Gallery 1957, Accra
- 2016 *People's Paradise*, Temple Muse, Lagos
- 2014 *Soaking up Beauty*, Constant Capital, Lagos
- 2013 *Highlife II*, Ethnocentrique, Lagos

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 The Armory Show, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, New York, USA
- 2023 *Coming home. Das Ende kolonialer Phantasmen*; Kunstverein Wolfsburg, Germany
- 1-54 NYC, with Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, New York City, USA
- The Winter Group Exhibition, Urevbu Contemporary, Memphis, USA
- Unlimited II, Gallery 1957, Accra, Ghana
- 2022 TAOH Project, Alliance Francaise, Lagos, Nigeria
- Forward to the Past: Rengaging Uli in New Experiments*, Brunei Gallery, SOAS, London UK
- 2021 Untitled Miami, Miami, USA

- Travels with Herodotus-A Journey through African Cultures*, Galleria Bianconi, Milano
- 2020 Enter Art Fair, with Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Copenhagen
 Untitled Art San Francisco, with Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, San Francisco
- 2019 1-54 London with Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London
Kubatana, Curated by Kristin Hjellegjerde, Vesfossen, Kunslaboratorium, Norway
A Journey into Contemporary African Art, Belvedere Art Space, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2018 Art X Lagos Art Fair, Lagos
 The Art Story, Cartoon art Gallery, Dubai, UAE
- 2016 Art X Lagos Art Fair, Lagos
- 2015 *Essentials*, Alexis Galleries, Lagos
The Contemporaries, The Wheatbeaker, Lagos
Today in History, Thought Pyramid Art Gallery, Abudja
- 2012 *Music Lesson*, Alexis Gallery, Lagos
- 2011 *Highlife I*, Ethnocentrique, Accra
- 2010 *Heden Daagse Afrikaanse Kunst*, Amsterdam Pachakucha: Inspire Japan, Terra Kulture, Lagos
- 2009 *Reclaiming Africa*, Geothe Institute, Lagos In Pursuit of Knowledge, Civic Centre, Lagos
Africa Now, The World Bank, USA
Moderne Afikansu Kunst, Danish Center for Culture and Development, Denmark
- 2008 *Mouling Matter*, Pan African University, Lagos The Unbreakable Nigerian Spirit, Galarie 23, Amsterdam
- 2006 *With a Human Face*, Pan African University, Lagos
- 2004 *Salt of the Earth*, PACA Biennale, Enugu
- 2003 *Awakened Instincts*, PACA Biennale, Nimbus Art Center, Lagos

COLLECTIONS

Almas Art Foundation UK
 The Bunker Artspace Museum, USA
 Easton Capital/ John Friedman Collection
 Hearst Corporation
 Museum Azman, Kuala Lumpur
 Pan African University Lagos
 Seth Dei Foundation, Accra
 The Hague, Netherland
 The World Bank Collection, Washington D.C.
 University of Nigeria Nsukka
 Yemisi Shyllon Museum of Art (YSMA)

The Africa Centre Collection, London, UK