



## Soonran Youn

1967 Born in Korea

### -Education

2000 M.F.A., Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

1994 M.F.A., Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea

1989 B.F.A., Ewha Womans University, Seoul Korea

### -Award

2002 **Lillian Elliott Award**, for excellence in fiber art

### -Solo Exhibition

2013 **108: Soonran Youn**, Gallery Epoque, Seoul, Korea

2012 **Becket Artist Invitation: Soonran Youn**, Becket, Seoul, Korea

2011 **Soonran Youn**, Yarns Unlimited, Bloomington, Indiana

2010 **Dot Ornament: Soonran Youn**, Gallery Yedang, Seoul, Korea

2009 **Head Shots: Soonran Youn**, Gallery Becket, Seoul, Korea

2002 **Soonran Youn**, Stix Friedman Gallery, St. Louis, Missouri

### -Group Exhibition

2013 **Six Ways of Seeing**, Parkeulbok Embroidery Museum, Seoul, Korea

**Fashion Fluxus**, KEPCO Art Center Gallery, Seoul, Korea

2012 **Successive Work of 7 Artists**, Parkeulbok Embroidery Museum, Seoul, Korea

**Sceneries We Embroidered**, Parkeulbok Embroidery Museum, Seoul, Korea

2011 **Materiality: Material + Reality**, Parkeulbok Embroidery Museum, Seoul, Korea

**Fiber Craft by 33 Artists**, Topohaus Art Center, Seoul, Korea

2010 **Surrounded: Large and Small Work by Lillian Elliott Awardees**, Tugboat Gallery,  
Lincoln, Nebraska

**Pojaki 11,278 Miles**, Parkeulbok Embroidery Museum, Seoul, Korea

2009 **Digital ArTexModa**, Kyoungbook University Museum of Art, Daegu, Korea

**The Seoul Art Exhibition 2009**, Seoul Museum of Art, Seoul, Korea

**Korean-American Connections**, U.S. Ambassador Residence, Seoul, Korea

2008 **Delta; the Junction of Different Eyes**, International Textile Art Exhibition, Daegu Culture  
& Arts Center, Daegu, Korea

**Contemporary Korean Fiber Art**, Asian Art Museum, San Francisco, California

**SOFA New York 2008**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, 7<sup>th</sup> Regiment Armory,  
New York, New York

**The 6<sup>th</sup> Fiber Biennial**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

**Materiality & Meaning**, The University of Arts, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

2007 **Shy Boy, She Devil, and Isis: The Art of Conceptual Craft**, Selections from the Wornick  
Collection, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

**Sangmyung University Faculty Show**, Soheong University, Soheong, China

**Echoes of Resonance**, International Textile Art Exhibition, Daegu Culture & Arts Center,  
Daegu, Korea

- Finding Lost Values**, Chungju International Craft Biennale, Chungju, Korea
- 2006 **SOFA Chicago 2006**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois  
**The 5<sup>th</sup> Fiber Biennial**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
**The 9<sup>th</sup> International Shoebox Sculpture Exhibition**, University of Hawaii Art Gallery,  
Honolulu, Hawaii
- Pojagi & Beyond**, Seo-Ho Art Gallery, Keong-Ki, Korea
- 2005 **Forms of Fiber**, Ross Art Museum, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio  
**Uncommon Threads**, Prima Gallery, Bloomington, Indiana  
**Estimated Time of Arrival / Emerging Textile Artists**, www.fiberscene.com
- 2004 **Surfacing**, Neo Art Gallery, Denver, Colorado  
**Asian Fusion**, Thirteen Moons Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico  
**SOFA New York 2004**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, 7<sup>th</sup> Regiment Armory,  
New York, New York  
**The 4<sup>th</sup> Fiber Biennial**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 2003 **SOFA Chicago 2003**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois  
**Teapot Redefined**, SOFA Chicago 2003, Mobilia Gallery, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois  
**SOFA New York 2003**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, 7<sup>th</sup> Regiment Armory,  
New York, New York
- 2002 **Arline Fisch: Textile Technique in Metal**, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, Massachusetts  
**SOFA Chicago 2002**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois  
**SOFA New York 2002**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, 7<sup>th</sup> Regiment Armory,  
New York, New York  
**Fiber Survey 2002**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
**Bridges: Work by Contemporary Korean & Japanese Woman Artists**,  
National Japanese American Historical Society, San Francisco, California  
**Disco Erudio**, SOFA Gallery, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana
- 2001 **SOFA Chicago 2001**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois  
**Woven Constructions: Innovations in Textile Art IV**, A Symposium & Exhibitions,  
Craft Alliance, St. Louis, Missouri  
**SOFA New York 2001**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, 7<sup>th</sup> Regiment Armory,  
New York, New York  
**Disco Erudio**, Gallery Northwest, Gary, Indiana  
**All Media Group Show**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 2000 **Go Figure**, Lew Allene Contemporary Art Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico  
**Head Shots**, Connell Gallery, Atlanta, Georgia  
**SOFA Chicago 2000**, Snyderman/Works Galleries, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois
- 1999 **Holiday Show**, The Gallery, Bloomington, Indiana  
**Material Matter**, John Waldron Art Center, Bloomington, Indiana  
**Basket & Beyond: Innovations in Textile Art III**, A Symposium & Exhibitions,  
Craft Alliance, St. Louis, Missouri  
**Indiana Now**, The Greater Lafayette Museum of Art, Lafayette, Indiana  
**MFA Show**, SOFA Gallery, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana
- 1998 **Fiber Art-Now and Then**, Ewha Fiber Art Alumni Exhibition, Seoul City Art Museum,  
Seoul, Korea
- 1997 **Fiber Celebration '97**, One West Art Center, Fort Collins, Colorado  
**In the Spirit of the Day of the Dead**, Bellevue Gallery, Bloomington, Indiana
- 1994 **MFA Show**, Ewha Art Gallery, Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea  
**February**, Fiber Art Group Show, Paik-ak Art Gallery, Seoul, Korea
- 1991 **Four Person Show**, Chum-Nam Art Museum, Seoul, Korea
- 1989 **Seoul Art Festival '89**, Dong-A Art Gallery, Seoul, Korea
- 1988 **Seoul Art Festival '88**, The Design Center, Seoul, Korea

**-Article/ Featured Book & Catalog**

' The Fine Art of Crochet: Innovative Works of 20 Contemporary Artists' , Gwen B. Kinsler, Author House, 2013

" An Interview with Soonran Youn" , Gwen B. Kinsler, Crochet, March 2008

" Soonran Youn" Delta; The Junction of Different Eyes, Exhibition Catalog, 2008  
Echoes of Resonance, exhibition catalog, 2007

" Soonran Youn" Finding Lost Values, exhibition catalog, 2007

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"Awar ding T al ent " , Pat Hickman, American Craft, April/May 2005

"Soonran Youn: Humanit y i n Scul ptur e" , Cover story, Gail Gayer Hale, Fiberarts, Nov/Dec 2004

"Emer gi ng: Soonra n Youn" Pat Hickman, Surface Design, Fall 2003

"Li ll ian El li ott Awar d Wi nner s" , Pat Hickman, Textile Society of America Newsletter, Vol. 15, No.1, Winter 2003

"A Spect rum of Voi ces , A Common Vi si on" , Betty Kano, Nikki Heritage, NJAHS Vol. IX, November 2002

"Dis co Erudi o" , Gallery Northwest, Gary, Indiana, 2001

"Texti le T echni que in Met al" , Arline M. Fisch, Lark Book, Asheville, North Carolina, 2001

"It ' s How Muc h?" , Rob Pulleyn, Fiberarts, July/Aug 2000

"SOFA Chi ca go 2000" , Snyderman/Works Galleries, Expression of Culture Inc., Chicago, Illinois, 2000

"Soonran Youn" , Nouvel Object V, Design House, Seoul, Korea 2000 (Korean/English)

"Basket & Beyond" , Show Review, Sculpture, November, 1999

"Bas ket & Beyond" , Show Review, Fiberarts, November, 1999

"Fi ber Art is gai ning ac ce ptanc e a mong t r adi ti onal ar ts" , Lydia B. Finkelstein, Sunday Herald Times, July 1, 1999

"M FA, BFA exhi bit ions br ight en s pri ng" , Lydia B. Finkelstein, Sunday Herald Times, April 11 1999

"K or ean Ar ti st among Wa ldr on Exhi bi ti ons" , Show Review, Independent, Indiana, June 1999

**-Public Collection**

Denver Art Museum, Denver, Colorado