

Asian Art Museum Book Publications (Alphabetical)

The Art of Japan: Masterworks in the Asian Art Museum of San Francisco, 1991

Yoshiko Kakudo; with essay by Clarence F. Shangraw
256 pages, 155 color and 1 b/w images, 9 x 12 in.
Includes index and bibliography
ISBN 0-8118-0055-5 (hardcover) / 0-8118-0040-7 (paperback)

The Art of Korea: Highlights from the Collection of San Francisco's Asian Art Museum, 2006

Kumja Paik Kim
316 pages, 135 color images, 9 x 12.25 in.
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The Art of Traditional Chinese Flower Arranging, 1988

Huang Yung-Chuan
208 pages, 109 color and 11 b/w images, 8.75 x 11.25 in.
Includes appendices of techniques of traditional Chinese flower arranging; and important flowers of the four seasons and their accompaniments
ISBN 0-939117-02-9 (hardcover) / 0-939117-01-0 (paperback)

The Asian Art Museum of San Francisco: Chong-Moon Lee Center for Asian Art and Culture, 2004

Thomas Christensen
64 pages, 44 color and 9 b/w images, 6.5 x 4.25 in.
ISBN 1-85759-356-1 (paperback)

Asian Art Museum: Selected Works, 1994

Curatorial Staff of the Asian Art Museum
208 pages, 218 color images, 6 x 10 in.
ISBN 978-0-295-97414-X (hardcover) / 978-0-295-97414-9 (paperback)

At Home & Abroad: Twenty Contemporary Filipino Artists, 1998

Essays by Dana Friis-Hansen, Alice G. Guillermo, and Jeff Baysa; with entries by Patrick Flores
140 pages, 80 color and 3 b/w images, 8.5 x 11.5 in.
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Bali: Art, Ritual, Performance, 2010

Natasha Reichle, ed.; with essays by Francine Brinkgreve, Garrett Kam, Natasha Reichle, and David J. Stuart-Fox; and entries by Francine Brinkgreve, Natasha Reichle, and David J. Stuart-Fox
376 pages, 304 color and 9 b/w images, 9.5 x 12 in.
Includes index, bibliography, and glossary
ISBN 978-0-939117-55-0 (hardcover) / 978-0-939117-56-7 (paperback)

Beauty, Wealth, and Power: Jewels and Ornaments of Asia, 1992

Introduction by Clarence F. Shangraw; with contributions by Diana Turner Fish, Terese Tse Bartholomew, Nancy Hock, Patricia Berger, Kumja Paik Kim, and Yoshiko Kakudo
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Between the Thunder and the Rain: Chinese Paintings from the Opium War through the Cultural Revolution, 1840–1979, 2000

Essays by Julia F. Andrews, Claudia Brown, David E. Fraser, and Kuiyi Shen; with entries by Melissa Abbe, Melissa Walt Thompson, and Pauline Yao

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Bridge to Understanding: The Art and Architecture of San Francisco's Asian Art Museum—Chong-Moon Lee Center for Asian Art and Culture, 2003

Thomas Christensen; with object commentaries by Terese Bartholomew, Tushara Bindu Gude, He Li, Kumja Paik Kim, Michael Knight, Forrest McGill, Yoko Woodson, and Pauline Yao

224 pages, 180 color and 32 b/w images, 9 x 11.75 in.

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So Kam Ng

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He Li

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Pedro Moura Carvalho, ed.; with texts by Liu Jianhua, Tiffany Wai-Ying Beres, and Karin G. Oen
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Michael Knight, ed.; with entries by members of Nexus
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Max Yeh, Wen-hsin Yeh, Kuyi Shen, and Jason C. Kuo; with entries by Michael Knight and He Li
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B. N. Goswamy

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