

高松宮殿下記念世界文化賞

PRÆMIUM IMPERIALE

IN HONOR OF PRINCE TAKAMATSU

Congratulations to the 2024 recipients



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Sophie Calle
France
Painting



Doris Salcedo
Colombia
Sculpture



Shigeru Ban
Japan
Architecture



Maria João Pires
Portugal/Switzerland
Music



Ang Lee
Republic of China, Taiwan
Theatre/Film

THE INTERNATIONAL PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN THE ARTS

The Praemium Imperiale was established by the Japan Art Association in 1988 in memory of His Imperial Highness Prince Takamatsu to celebrate the human spirit as expressed through the genius of the world's artists. Five awards of 15 million yen each (approximately \$103,000) are given in the categories of painting, sculpture, architecture, music and theatre/film fields not covered by the Nobel Prize. Each year, an organization that nurtures young talent is also presented with a 5 million-yen grant (approximately \$34,000), the Grant for Young Artists. Six nominating committees, each chaired by an international advisor, survey individual artists and institutions throughout the world without reference to nationality. The advisors then make recommendations to the Japan Art Association's selection committee, which chooses the Praemium Imperiale Laureate in each field. The awards ceremony is held annually in Tokyo. The ceremony was not held in 2020 and 2021 due to the coronavirus pandemic but resumed in 2022. This year, the awards will be presented to the laureates by His Imperial Highness Prince Hitachi at a ceremony in Tokyo on November 19.



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Grant for Young Artists

PRÆMIUM IMPERIALE LAUREATES

Year	Painting	Sculpture	Architecture	Music	Theatre/Film	Grant for Young Artists (first awarded in 1997)
1989	Willem de Kooning/ David Hockney	Umberto Boccioni	Leoh Ming Pei	Pierre Boulez	Marcel Carné	
1990	Antoni Tàpies	Arnaldo Pomodoro	James Stirling	Leonard Bernstein	Federico Fellini	
1991	Balthus	Eduardo Chillida	Gae Aulenti	György Ligeti	Ingmar Bergman	
1992	Pierre Soulages	Anthony Caro	Frank Gehry	Alfred Schnittke	Akira Kurosawa	
1993	Jasper Johns	Max Bill	Kenzo Tange	Mstislav Rostropovich	Maurice Béjart	
1994	Zao Wou-Ki	Richard Serra	Charles Correa	Henri Dutilleul	John Gielgud	
1995	Matta	Christo & Jeanne-Claude	Renzo Piano	Andrew Lloyd Webber	Nakamura Utaemon	
1996	Cy Twombly	César	Tadao Ando	Luciano Berio	Andrzej Wajda	
1997	Gerhard Richter	George Segal	Richard Meier	Ravi Shankar	Peter Brook	Hanoi National Conservatory of Music, Vietnam
1998	Robert Rauschenberg	Dani Karavan	Alvaro Siza	Sofia Gubaidulina	Richard Attenborough	The Polish National Film, Television and Theater School in Lodz
1999	Anselm Kiefer	Louise Bourgeois	Fumihiko Maki	Oscar Peterson	Pina Bausch	Instituto Superior de Arte, Cuba
2000	Ellsworth Kelly	Niki de Saint Phalle	Richard Rogers	Hans Werner Henze	Stephen Sondheim	Ulster Youth Orchestra, Northern Ireland
2001	Lee Ufan	Marta Pan	Jean Nouvel	Arnold Schoenberg	Arthur Miller	Résidence du Festival, France
2002	Sigmar Polke	Giuliano Vangi	Norman Foster	Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau	Jean-Luc Godard	European Union Youth Orchestra
2003	Bridget Riley	Mario Merz	Rem Koolhaas	Claudio Abbado	Ken Loach	De Sono Associazione per la Musica, Italy
2004	Georg Baselitz	Bruce Nauman	Oscar Niemeyer	Krzysztof Penderecki	Abbas Kiarostami	The Young Sound Forum of Central Europe
2005	Robert Ryman	Issey Miyake	Yoshio Taniguchi	Martha Argerich	Merce Cunningham	Kusatsu International Summer Music Academy, Japan
2006	Yayoi Kusama	Christian Boltanski	Frei Otto	Steve Reich	Maya Plisetskaya	The State Foundation for the National System of Youth and Children's Orchestras of Venezuela (FESNOJIV)
2007	Daniel Buren	Tony Cragg	Jacques Herzog/ Pierre de Meuron	Daniel Barenboim	Ellen Stewart	West-Eastern Divan Orchestra
2008	Richard Hamilton	Ilya & Emilia Kabakov	Peter Zumthor	Zubin Mehta	Sakata Tojuro	Italian Youth Orchestra
2009	Hiroshi Sugimoto	Richard Long	Zaha Hadid	Alfred Brendel	Tom Stoppard	Kremerata Baltica (Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia)
2010	Enrico Castellani	Rebecca Horn	Toyo Ito	Maurizio Pollini	Sophia Loren	Asian Youth Orchestra
2011	Bill Viola	Anish Kapoor	Ricardo Legorreta	Seiji Ozawa	Judi Dench	Southbank Sinfonia and Royal Court Young Writers' Programme, UK
2012	Cai Guo-Qiang	Cecco Bonanotte	Henning Larsen	Philip Glass	Yoko Morishita	Sphinx Organization, USA
2013	Michelangelo Pistoletto	Antony Gormley	David Chipperfield	Plácido Domingo	Francis Ford Coppola	JuniOrchestra of Accademia Nazionale di Santa Cecilia, Italy
2014	Martial Raysse	Giuseppe Penone	Steven Holl	Arvo Pärt	Athol Fugard	The Zinsou Foundation, Benin
2015	Tadanori Yokoo	Wolfgang Laib	Dominique Perrault	Mitsuko Uchida	Sylvie Guillem	Yangon Film School, Myanmar
2016	Cindy Sherman	Annette Messager	Paulo Mendes da Rocha	Gidon Kremer	Martin Scorsese	Five Arts Centre, Malaysia
2017	Shirin Neshat	El Anatsui	Rafael Moneo	Youssef N'Dour	Mikhail Baryshnikov	Zoukak Theatre Company and Cultural Association, Lebanon
2018	Pierre Alechinsky	Fujiko Nakaya	Christian de Portzamparc	Riccardo Muti	Catherine Deneuve	Shakespeare Schools Foundation, UK
2019	William Kentridge	Mona Hatoum	Tod Williams & Billie Tsien	Anne-Sophie Mutter	Bando Tamasaburo	Démos (Philharmonie de Paris), France
2020	No recipients selected due to the coronavirus pandemic					
2021	Sebastião Salgado	James Turrell	Glenn Murcutt	Yo-Yo Ma	No Recipient Selected	The Advanced Training School of the Central Institute for Restoration, Italy
2022	Giulio Paolini	Ai Weiwei	Kazuyo Sejima & Ryue Nishizawa / SANAA	Krzysztof Zimerman	Wim Wenders	Kronberg Academy Foundation, Germany
2023	Vija Celmins	Olafur Eliasson	Diébédo Francis Kéré	Wynton Marsalis	Robert Wilson	Harlem School of the Arts, USA and Rural Studio, USA

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