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BIOGRAPHY

Guangzhen Zhou was born in Shanghai, China. He arrived in the U.S. in 1989, receiving his MA from University of Minnesota-Duluth and his MFA from San Jose University, California. Zhou has served as a guest professor of both Shanghai Institute of Visual Art and Sichuan Fine Arts Institute, and international advisor of China Celadon College - Lishui University. Since 1999, Zhou has participated in many international events. He was the curator of multiple exhibitions in conjunction with NCECA (2000 and 2009), Abu Dhabi (2013), IAC Dublin (2014), and International Ceramic Art Exchange Documentary and Artworks of IAC with NGO-UNESCO Beijing Forum (2015). He has also acted as a juror of several competitions worldwide. Additionally, he has presented lectures in many countries, including Japan, Korea, China, Turkey, Switzerland, and the US. Zhou is the author of several books and is currently working on a book project entitled *Iconic Ceramics from Around the World*.