

Moe's Meat Market, a gallery

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Kate Keller Kobayashi: Flowers 1 – 31 December 2016



The exhibition, *Kate Keller Kobayashi: Flowers*, is scheduled from 1-31 December 2016 at Moe's Meat Market, a gallery, 237 Elizabeth Street, NYC. The show consists of nine (9) digital images of flowers that capture the startling beauty of the different phases of each bloom's life. From the exuberant blossoms of *Pinks* to the decaying blooms of *White Tulips*, Kobayashi's bouquets hold an intense resonance through the detailing of the flower's structure.

Kate Keller Kobayashi was Head of the Fine Arts Photography and Photo Imaging Studio for twenty-nine years at MoMA - The Museum of Modern Art, NYC. She was involved with projects that included the film documentation of the dismantling of Picasso's painting *Guernica*, 8 September 1981, before its installation in Spain; and the Museum's transition from analog photography to digital imaging. She was a consultant on the initial restoration and printing of Jean Cocteau's original negatives in Billy Klüver's publication, *A Day with Picasso, Twenty-four Photographs by Jean Cocteau*, 1997, published by The MIT Press, Cambridge, MA and London, England. She co-authored "Preparing Your Portfolio," a chapter in Lee Evan Caplin's book, *The Business of Art*, 1982, published by Prentiss-Hall, Inc., Englewood Cliffs, NJ. Her photographs were featured in the exhibition, CHANEL's *Hawaii's Modern Masters*, Honolulu, HI, 2014. Since 2000, she has been a principal of *Moe's Meat Market, a gallery*, NYC.

Kate Keller Kobayashi was born in Toledo, OH. She received a B.A. from Ohio University, Athens, OH, with a major in photography studying under the tutelage of Clarence H. White Jr. and Arnold Gassan. A long-time resident of NYC, she resides in both New York City and Honolulu. Moe's Meat Market, a gallery, is a contemporary gallery located in Nolita (North of Little Italy). Hours: Wednesdays and Saturdays, 12:30-6PM, or by appointment: 516 359 3332, gallery: 212 343 2785, www.phyllisstigliano.com.

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