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title: Around 42nd and 7th (2015 - 2016)

In New York, Times Square attracts so many different people from all over the place. This place gives me illusions or feelings that area has everything from everywhere.

Border between people either political or personal, across race, gender, distance, time we all passed through, things, sounds, smell, emotions and all kind of activities merging all together making one big stream on the street. Everybody has their own concept of values and just doing their own things. All those experiences for people who stood there could be one limited special moment or just a part of negligible mundane life. It makes me wonder, where are they going? Where are they coming from?

what reflects in their eyes? what do they have in their mind?

2009	Participated Koji Onaka photography workshop, Japan
2012	Photography book" Dew Dew, Dew Its" published in California, USA
2013	Kassel Fotobook Festival – Photo Book Award 2013: Germany – Nomination
2014	Shasin Book Award 2014: France – Winner
2015	Independent AIR Residency Program: Denmark
	Encontros da Imagem - Call for Books 2015: Braga, Portugal – Shortlist
	Life-Framer Edition II: England – Winner
2016	Alliance Française International Photography Competition: Spain — Finalist

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Photonic Moments Festival Evening Projections Contest: Ljubljana, Slovenia - Shortlist

Il Reportage Photojournalism Award: Italy – Shortlist

Voies Off Award: Arles, France – Shortlist

Encontros da Imagem: Discovery Award, Braga, Portugal – Finalist Landskrona Foto & Breadfield Dummy Book Award, Sweden – Finalist

Landskrona Foto & Breadfield Grant

Encontros da Imagem Call for Books, Braga, Portugal – Finalist

The Japan Foundation, New Delhi, India - Support and Grant

Life-Framer Edition III: England – Honorary Mention by Patrick di Nola

Exhibition: Group/Solo/Projection 2017 Breadfield, Malmo, Sweden

2016 The Forest, Begira Photo Festival: Durango, Spain

ShashinBook Award Japan Exhibition, Lumen Gallery: Kyoto, Japan

Discovery Award, Encontros Da Imagem Photography Festival Projection Night: Portugal

Indian Photography Festival, Hyderabad 2016: Hyderabad, India Popular Participation, GETXOPHOTO Festival de fotografía: Spain

Helsingborgs Dagblad's Photo Salon, Landskrona Foto Festival: Landskrona, Sweden

Voies Off Award, Fetival Voies Off Projection Night: Arles, France

Machiha Okina Toshokan, Nogata Tanio Art Muserum, Fukuoka, Japan

Alliance Française International Photography Competition, Photo Espana Festival: Madrid, Spain Photonic Moments, Month of Photography festival Evening Projection Contest: Ljubljana, Slovenia

Head On Photo Festival: Sydney, Australia

I Only Have Eyes for You, De Sign De: Osaka, Japan

Takarabune, in)(between gallery: Paris, France

2015 Shasin Book Award Japan Exhibition, Tokyo Arts Gallery: Tokyo, Japan

Power of Illusion, Encontros Da Imagem Photography Festival Projection Night: Braga, Portugal

RAIEC SATELLITE TOKYO Exhibition, 3331 Arts Chiyoda: Tokyo, Japan

Record Vol.14, In Between Gallery: Paris, France

2014 Tanto Tempo 7, Gallery Tanto Tempo: Kobe, Japan

Emerging slide, Rokko International Photography Festival: Kobe, Japan

Shasin Book Award 2014, Photo Festival Photo Off: Paris, France

Aperture Summer Open, Aperture Gallery: New York, USA

Buffalo, Gallery Bi-0: Osaka, Japan Buffalo, Gallery Kaido: Tokyo, Japan

2013

Dew Dew, Dew Its, Lake Street: New York, USA
Dew Dew, Dew Its, Polish National: New York, USA
Dew Dew, Dew Its, Stories: Los Angeles, California, USA

Dew Dew, Dew Its, SXSW Music Festival, The North Door: Texas, USA Developing Exhibition #4, Contemporary Art Space Osaka: Osaka, Japan

Dew Dew, Dew Its, Triple Rock Social Club: Minnesota, USA

Dew Dew, Dew Its, Gallery Kaido: Tokyo