

Kyungho Jeon

Mr.Kyungho Jeon is the World's First Visually Disabled Marimba Player and Percussionist. For him, disability is not an overcoming matter but the driving force.

His performance has been taking center stage worldwide. He successfully represented performances in Paris, Mumbai, Espoo, Hong Kong, New York, etc.

For now, he represented three recital repertoires since 2016-"Dreaming Percussion", "Sound becomes Lights", and "White Christmas". "Dreaming Percussion" shows a wild range of musical style- baroque to contemporary and "Sound becomes Lights" is included some Jazz pieces. Latest program-"White Christmas" is (as you can see at the title) filled up with classic carols and winter- imaged classical music.

All of these concerts were supported by Arts Council Korea, and Seoul Foundation for Arts and Culture.

In 2018, he participated in "Vibration for Visualized Sound". This project was developing a device for helping visual impaired musicians to recognize orchestra conducting. Many companies from S.Korea and the UK were involved such as Dominant Agency(organizer), Human Instruments(developer), British Paraorchestra(musicians and supporter), Korea Disability Arts Center(supporter).

He graduated Hanbit School(school for the visually impaired) majored in Music. Currently, he is a student enrolled at Korea National University of Arts, Department of Music, Majoring in Musical Instruments.

Performance

2018.12.14,15) Marimba Recital – White Christmas, S.Korea

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2018.11.09) Vibration for Visualized Sound, the UK

2017. 09.27) Marimba Recital – Sound becomes Lights, S.Korea

* supported by Arts Council Korea

2017. 08.19) ACCAC kickoff Recital, Finland

* supported by Korea Disability Arts and Culture Center-IEUM

2016. 08.20) First Recital – Dreaming Percussion, S.Korea

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2015. 05.10) Opening performance at International Blind Sports Federation World Games, S.Korea

2013. 10.29) Launching Event of PyeongChang 2018 Paralympic Winter Games Emblem, S.Korea

2012. 05.23) Opening performance at UNESCO International Arts Education Week, France

Poster



Photo



Media

Alice Gomez : Rain Dance	https://youtu.be/lovyfl8PTwQ
Takatsugu Muramatsu : Land	https://youtu.be/qvhZoyGoxuA
Camille Saint-Seans : Le Carnival Animal The swan	https://youtu.be/kXTHt-GGkS0
Rimsky Korsakov : Flight of Bumblebee	
V. Monti : Czardas (~1:40)	https://youtu.be/cO3uaiJVppU
KBS NEWS Interview	http://news.kbs.co.kr/news/view.do?ncd=3331371&ref=A

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