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## **NORIKO MIYAWAKI**

## I LIKE YOU HIRAGAMA

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Black ink and gold leaf on Washi paper

29 x 20 in (74 x 51 cm)



## Artist description:

Noriko Miyawaki was born in 1977 in Takamatsu, on a small island in Japan surrounded by inland sea. Here, she started studying Calligraphy as early as 3 years old and later also learnt traditional Japanese Metal Craft.

In 2006 Miyawaki moved to New York, where she still lives and works, to re-study Calligraphy in which she is now certified with the Japanese organization Kyoiku-Shuji and now teaches Calligraphy herself. She uses this skill with her own art - incorporating her Western experiences with her Japanese cultural background, as well as her experiences as a trained hypnotist.