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Mike Kelley (\*1954) is an artist and writer based in Los Angeles. He is the curator of the exhibition *The Uncanny* (1993/2004), and his writings, edited by John C. Welchman, were published in two volumes by MIT Press in 2004.

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