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## Education

Mass. College of Art, Boston Ma: Printmaking 1984-88 / Studio for Interrelated Media  
1990-92

## Select Exhibitions

### 2017

The Mastheads Commission downtown Pittsfield Ma

Quality Time Artscape Inc. Commission, Pittsfield Ma

### 2016

En Masse III Thompson Giroux Gallery Chatham NY

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### 2015

En Masse II Thompson Giroux Gallery Chatham NY

10x10 Berkshire Museum Pittsfield Ma

Fusionera Thompson Giroux Gallery Chatham NY

Taking Root Athens Cultural Center Athens NY

BerkshireNow Berkshire Museum Pittsfield Ma

### 2014

Mohawk Hudson Regional Albany Institute of History and Art Albany NY

Wax Nostalgic Hudson Art inc. Williamstown Ma (solo)

Small and Seductive Albany Institute of Art and History Albany NY

Homespun Albany Public Library, Pine Hills Branch Albany NY

Mohawk Hudson Regional Invitational Albany Center Gallery Albany NY

### 2013

Mohawk Hudson Regional The Hyde Collection Glens Falls NY

### 2012

Re-structuring Signs and Symbols Thompson Giroux Gallery Chatham NY

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Range 2 A.P.E. Gallery Ltd Northampton Ma

## 2011

99¢ & Up: Art Mall Gallery 51 North Adams Ma

Mohawk Hudson Regional Albany Institute of History & Art Albany NY

Pittsfield Contemporary 2011 (Word X Word) Lichtenstein Center for the Arts Pittsfield Ma

## 2010

99¢ & UP: art in the age of mechanical reproduction Gallery 51 North Adams Ma

Pittsfield Contemporary 2010 Lichtenstein Center for the Arts Pittsfield Ma

## 2009

Pittsfield Contemporary 2009 Lichtenstein Center for the Arts Pittsfield Ma

WIT Gallery Lenox Ma

## 2008

Living In The Ice Age Zeitgeist Pittsfield Pittsfield Ma (solo)

Cultural Corridor 3 Storefront Artists Project Pittsfield Ma

Mohawk Hudson Regional Albany Institute of History & Art Albany NY

The John Cage Overload (version 2.0) Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (solo - sound installation)

## 2007

Mohawk Hudson Regional Invitational Albany Center Gallery Albany NY

## 2006

Mohawk Hudson Regional SUNY Univ. Art Museum Albany, NY

## 2005

Berkshire Biennial Contemporary Artists Center North Adams Ma

Paper Show 2 Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (2D, installation)

Transform Lichtenstein Center for the Arts Pittsfield Ma

The John Cage Overload Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (solo -sound installation)

## 2004

Closer In Contemporary Artists Center North Adams Ma (installation)

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## 2003

Options R Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (2D, curator)

The Title Show Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (installation)

## 2002

Paper Show Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (2D, installation)

Nervemeter Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (solo - film, installation)

## 2001

Nicotine Works & Jujitsu Hideout Empty Set Project Space Pittsfield Ma (solo)

## 1996

Scheissehaus Kabaret Landsdowne Playhouse Boston Ma (performance, installation)

## 1994

Krazy Kat: a score for multiple trios of improvisors Boston ICA Theater Boston Ma (solo - producer, sound performance)

Scrimmage The Piano Store New York NY (film, sound performance)

Bread & Water Kabaret North Hall Theater Mass College of Art Boston Ma (performance)

Dead Winter Distortion Harvard Film Archive Cambridge Ma (sound performance)

## 1993

Optical Distortion Spectrum Coolidge Corner Theater Boston Ma (sound performance)

KIOSK North Hall Theater MCA Boston Ma (sound performance, film, installation)

## 1992

Speed Show ICA Boston ICA Theater Boston Ma (producer, performance)

Sick Cat at White Elephant White Elephant Gallery Boston Ma (performance)

Stealth Speed Show 5 Longwood Theater MCA Boston Ma (co-producer, performance)

Bass Und Treble Thompson Gallery MCA Boston Ma (sound performance, installation)

Overtones Longwood Theater MCA Boston Ma (sound performance)

## 1991

Van Gogh TV Boston ICA/Boston Computer Museum, Boston Ma (sound performance, live broadcast)

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Speed Show 4 Longwood Theater MCA, Boston Ma (producer, performance)

Music Without Pants Mobius Performance Gallery, Boston Ma (co-producer, performance)

Speed Show 2 Longwood Theater MCA, Boston Ma Speed Show 2 (performance)

Cross Section 1&2 Longwood Theater MCA, Boston Ma (producer, sound performance)

Speed Show Longwood Theater MCA, Boston Ma (producer, performance)

## 1990

The Dog's Folly School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston Ma (sound performance)

Hugo & Igo Longwood Theater MCA, Boston Ma (sound performance)

## 1989

Kanka Bros. Middle East Cafe, Cambridge Ma (performance)

Read the sky for signs of snow. Alchemy Gallery, Boston Ma

## 1988

The Big S.I.M. Show Longwood Theater MCA, Boston Ma (performance)

Forever Cerise Paine Gallery MCA, Boston Ma (installation)

Arteries-MCA All School Show Paine Gallery MCA, Boston Ma

## 1987

Seventh Heaven Tower Gallery MCA, Boston Ma

Hip Hop Hopper 3rd Floor Mens Room MCA, Boston Ma

Cracka Crackatorium MCA, Boston Ma (installation)

MCA All School Show Boston Center for the Arts, Boston Ma Cyclorama

## 1986

Steam Roller! Boston Transportation Center, Boston Ma

Magnificent Seven Tower Gallery MCA, Boston Ma

The Nicaragua Show North Hall Gallery MCA, Boston Ma