

# BRIAN BLOCK

Born Milton, MA. Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

## EDUCATION :

Whitney Museum of American Art, Independent Study Program. 2015-16  
Independent Study, Hunter College, New York 2013-14  
MFA School of Visual Arts, New York 1995  
BA University of Massachusetts at Amherst 1989

## EXHIBITIONS:

- 2017 Muse in the Mews, Salomon Contemporary, New York, NY
- 2016 Whitney Independent Study Program Studio Exhibition  
Lake Life, Salomon Contemporary, New York, NY
- 2014 Odd Volumes: Book Art from the Chasanoff Collection, Yale University Art Gallery  
Surfaces et Mesures, La Tannerie, Begard, France  
A Talk by Rene Glete on the Unpublished Late Work Notes of F. Curtis Wott, CR10, Linlithgow, NY
- 2009 Exhibition, 211 Elizabeth Street, NY
- 2008 Summer Residency Program, Cooper Union, NY
- 2006 NADA Art Fair, Participant Inc., Miami  
Waiting for a Clean Shot, Participant Inc., New York (2 person with Noah Khoshbin)  
Boilermaker, Stellan Holm Gallery, New York
- 2000 Women, Egizio's Project, NY
- 2000 Gary Baldwin, Brian Block, Steven Sollins, Front Room, Brooklyn, NY
- 1999 Forever is a Hell of a Long Time, Bronwyn Keenan Gallery, NY
- 1999 Paint A Rumor, Maria Cilena Gallery, Milan, Italy
- 1999 The Other Side of New York, Maze Gallery, Torino, Italy

1997 Fan-Dom, White Columns, NY

1996 Scherzo, Art in General, NY

#### COLLABORATIONS with A Front Group:

2003 A FRONT GROUP, Starbucks: The Great Tape Over, Front Room, Brooklyn, NY

2002 A FRONT GROUP, Ponsef: Coming Soon. Brooklyn, NY

2001 A FRONT GROUP, Ponsef: Nature Purified, Monk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

#### RESIDENCIES:

2010 Cuts and Burns Artist video editing residency, Outpost Artists Resources, NY

2008 The Cooper Union, Summer Residency Program

2004 The American Academy in Rome, Visiting Artist

2000 Watermill Center, Watermill, NY

#### VIDEO SCREENINGS:

2007 "Pattern", V22 Gallery, London

"Get Ready For Action", V22 Gallery, London

Split International Film Festival, Croatia (Special Award) (Catalogue)

Deviant Art Festival, Gothenburg Kunsthallen, Sweden

Stuttgarter Winterfilm 20, Stuttgart

Blue Room, Open Video Projects, Rome

2006 IMPAKT video festival, Utrecht, Netherlands

SELECT 5 Media Festival, Chicago

Projection Gallery, Liverpool Biennial, Liverpool

ScopeHamptons, Southampton, NY

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Interview with Alyona Coureau, Spaces Objects Art, June 2016

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Baker, R.C., "Ugly Americana", *The Village Voice*, August 3, 2006

Kalm, James, "Ponsef," *NY ARTS Reviews*, Vol. 7 no.2, February 2002

Ferrette, Candice, "Working With Robert Wilson," *The East Hampton Star*, August 3, 2000

Cotter, Holland, "Forever is a Hell of a Long Time," *New York Times*, July 12, 1999

Smith, Roberta, "Fan-Dom," *New York Times*, November 14, 1997