POPE.L

Born: 1955, Newark, NJ Lives and works in Chicago, IL

EDUCATION

1983-1985	Mabou Mines Re.Cher.Chez. Theater Intensive, New York, NY
1979-1981	Mason Gross School, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, M.F.A.
1977-1978	Whitney Museum Independent Studio Program, New York, NY
1975-1978	Montclair State College, Montclair, NJ, B.A.
1973-1975	Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY

SELECTED SOLO AND TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2019	Instigation, Aspiration, Perspiration, Museum of Modern Art, Whitney Museum of American Art, Public Art Fund, New York, NY
	No thing: Pope.L, Adam Pendleton, Galerie Eva Presenhuber, Zurich, Switzerland
2018	One thing after another (part two), Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY
	One thing after another, La Panacée, Montpellier, France
2017	Brown People Are the Wrens in the Parking Lot, Logan Center Gallery, University of
	Chicago, Chicago, IL
	Flint Water Project, What Pipeline, Detroit, MI
	Proto-Skin Set, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY
2016	Pope.L and Will Boone, Andrea Rosen Gallery, New York, NY
2015	Forest, Susanne Vielmetter, Los Angeles, CA
	Desert, Steve Turner, Los Angeles, CA
	Trinket, The Geffen Contemporary, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles,
	CA
2014	Gold People Shit In Their Valet, Galerie Catherine Bastide, Brussels
	Claim, Littman Gallery, Portland State University, Portland, OR
2013	Cage Unrequited, Soto Vélez Cultural and Educational Center Performa, New York, NY
	Colored Waiting Room, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY
	Forlesen, The Renaissance Society, University of Chicago, IL
	A Long White Cloud, Te Tuhi, Auckland, New Zealand
2012	Reenactor, Williams Center Gallery at Lafayette College, Easton, PA; traveled to
	Hodgepodge Building on Strawberry Alley, Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, TN
	Three Projects, Galerie Catherine Bastide, Brussels, Belgium
2011	Child, Eastside Projects, Birmingham, UK

2010	landscape + object + animal, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY
• • • • •	color isn't matter, Samson Projects, Boston, MA
2009	The Black Factory, Art Projects Art Basel Miami Beach, Miami, FL
	Corbu Pops, Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Harvard University, Cambridge,
	MA William Papa I. Kanny Sahashtar POVE. Landan LIK
	<i>William Pope.L</i> , Kenny Schachter ROVE, London, UK <i>Yard (to harrow)</i> , Hauser + Wirth, New York, NY
2008	
2008	October Projects, «GreetingLine», New York, NY
	Animal Nationalism: Small Cup, Grand Arts, Kansas City, MO; Animal Nationalism:
	Trinket, Exhibition Hall at Municipal Auditorium, Kansas City, MO
2007	Biting Through Innocence, Galerie Catherine Bastide, Brussels, Belgium
2007	Drawing, Dreaming, Drowning, The Art Institute of Chicago, IL
	Art After White People: time, trees, & celluloid, Santa Monica Museum of Art, Santa
	Monica, CA
	William Pope.L: snow, spraypaint, hair, sperm & baloney, Kenny Schachter ROVE,
	London, UK
	William Pope.L: The Black Factory and Other Good Works, Yerba Buena Center for
	the Arts, San Francisco, CA
2006	The Void Show, MC Kunst, Los Angeles, CA
2006	Condoleezza Rice Day, Galleria Civica, Trento, Italy
	Trophy Room, Kunsthalle Wien, Vienna, Austria
2005	Under All, Above Most, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
2005	some things you can do with blackness Kenny Schachter ROVE, London, UK
/	Props & Propositions, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH
2004	Five Ways to Say the Same Sadness, University Art Museum, University at Albany, NY
	eRacism: electronica, Contemporary Art Museum St Louis, St. Louis, MO
	reFunkt: prints & dvds, The Project, New York, NY
	eRacism, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ; Artists Space, New York, NY;
	DiverseWorks, Houston, TX (2003); Portland Institute of Contemporary Art,
	Portland, OR (2003); ICA at Maine College of Art, Portland, ME (2002)
2003	Foddah, Drew University, Madison, NJ
	Some: Of Place and Desire, ArtHouse, Austin, TX
2002	What's Inside a Boy, The Project, Los Angeles, CA
	Incontinent, Wood Street Gallery, Three Rivers Arts Festival, Pittsburgh, PA
2001	Hole Theory, The Project, New York, NY
2000	eRacism: White Room, ThreadWaxing Space, New York, NY
	The Hole Inside The Space Inside Yves Klein's Asshole, Concordia University, Montreal,
	Canada
	Eating The Wall Street Journal And Other Current Consumptions, Mobius, Boston,
	MA
1998	Recent Work, The Project, New York, NY

1996	Buddy Performance Objects, with Jim Calder, Touchstone Theater, Bethlehem, PA
1993	William Pope.L, Horodner Romley Gallery, New York, NY;
1992	William Pope.L, Drew University, Madison, NJ.
1991	How Much is that Nigger in the Window, 30 performances, writings and installations,
	Franklin Furnace, New York, NY

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2019 Direct Message: Art, Language, and Power, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Chicago, IL (forthcoming)

Great Force, Institute for Contemporary Art, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA (*forthcoming*)

Counter-Landscapes: Performative Actions from the 1970s – Now, Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art, Scottsdale, AZ (forthcoming)

Small Talk, Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Bentonville, AR (forthcoming) Elements of Vogue (A case of radical performance), Museo Universitario del Chopo, Mexico City (forthcoming)

Embodiment, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY

Mask: In Present Day, Aargauer Kunsthaus, Aarau, Switzerland

Crossroads: Carnegie Museum of Art's Collection: 1945 to Now, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA

The Foundation of the Museum: MOCA's Collection, The Geffen Contemporary at MOCA, Los Angeles, CA

EBSPLOITATION, Martos Gallery, New York, NY

Prisoner of Love, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

Men of Steel, Women of Wonder: Modern American Heroes in Contemporary Times,

Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Bentonville, AK; an Antonio Museum of

Art, San Antonio, TX; Addison Gallery of American Art in Andover, MA

DREAMWEAVERS, UTA Artist Space, Beverly Hill, CA

From Theory to Practice: Trajectories of the Whitney, University Hall Gallery,

University of Massachusetts, Boston, MA

Political Affairs – Language Is Not Innocent, Kunstverein in Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany

2018 Other Walks, Other Lines, San Jose Museum of Art, San Jose, CA

Rubbish and Dreams: the Genderqueer Performance Art of Stephen Varble, Leslie-

Lohman Museum of Gay and Lesbian Art, New York, NY

Becoming American, San Juan Island, WA

Crossroads: Carnegie Museum of Art's Collection, 1945 to Now, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA

Cheeky: Summer Butts, Marinaro Gallery, New York, NY

Other Mechanisms, Association of Visual Artists Vienna Secession, Vienna, Austria

Agora, The Highline, New York, NY

Talisman in the Age of Difference, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, UK

The Enemy of My Enemy, Palais de Tokyo, Paris, France

Wanderlust: Actions, Traces, and Journeys 1967-2017, Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, IA

Against the Architecture, Refectoire des Nonnes, Lyon, France

Black Pulp!, organized by William Villalongo and Mark Gibson, African American Museum, Philadelphia, PA; Edgewood Gallery, Yale School of Art, New Haven, CT (2016); International Print Center New York, New York, NY (2016)

Counternarratives: Performance and Actions in Public Space, Decker Gallery, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD

Learning from the Land and the Water, LookOut! Gallery, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

Walking Point, Greene Naftali, New York, NY

20/20: Influential Artists of the 20th Century, Mott-Warsh Collection, Flint, MI Reclamation! Pan-African Works from the Beth Rudin DeWoody Collection, The Taubman Museum of Art, Roanoke, VA

AMERICAN AFRICAN AMERICAN, Phillips Auction House, New York, NY

2017-18 Elements of Vogue: A Case Study in Radical Performance, Centro de Arte Dos de Mayo, Madrid, Spain

Mechanisms, Wattis Institute for Contemporary Arts, San Francisco, CA

ICA Collections: New Acquisitions, ICA Boston, Boston, MA

2017 Active Ingredients: Prompts, Props, Performance, Williams College Museum of Art, Williamstown, Massachusetts

If Not Apollo, the Breeze, KADIST, San Francisco, CA

Survey Exhibition (Part I): Camerado, this is no book, Pratt Institute, New York, NY Documenta 14, Athens, Greece; Kassel, Germany

Whitney Biennial, The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

Wanderlust: Actions, Traces, and Journey, UB Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY; Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, Iowa

Person of the Crowd: The Contemporary Art of Flânerie, Roberts Gallery, Barnes Foundation, Philedelphia, PA

Punching Up, Richard and Dolly Maass Gallery, Purchase College, State University of New York, Purchase, New York

2016 The Spot, Museum of Modern Art Warsaw, Poland

Live Uncertainly, The 32nd Bienal de São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil

The Public Body, Artspace, Sydney, Australia

Blackness in Abstraction, Pace Gallery, New York, NY

Less Than One, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN

Body Superficial, Sgorbati Projects, New York, NY

2015 Identity, Pierogi, Brooklyn, NY

(Counter)Public Art, Intervention, & Performance in Lower Manhattan from 1978-

1993, Lower Manhattan Cultural Council, New York, NY

TOWER, Ibid, London, United Kingdom

Mashup, Sotheby's S|2 Gallery, New York, NY

Works on Paper, Greene Naftali, New York, NY

2014 Radical Presence: Black Performance in Contemporary Art, Walker Art Center,

Minneapolis, MN; Grey Art Gallery, New York, NY (2013); The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY (2013); Contemporary Arts Museum Houston, Houston TX (2012)

CON/TEXT, Lynch Tham, New York, NY

Days Inn, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY

Itinerant Belongings, Addams Gallery, University of Pennsylvania and Slought Foundation, Philadelphia, PA

Pierogi XX, Twentieth Anniversary Exhibition, Pierogi, Brooklyn, NY

Poor Working Conditions, Martos Gallery, New York, NY

Ruffneck Constructivists, Institute of Contemporary Art, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

30 Americans - The Rubell Family Collection, Frist Center for Visual Arts, Nashville, TN; Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC (2013); North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC (2013); Chrysler Museum of Art, Norfolk, VA (2012); Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC (2011); North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC (2011); The Rubell Family Collection, Miami, FL (2008)

Warm Side of Zero, Overduin & Co, Los Angeles, CA

2013 African American Art Since 1950: Perspectives from the David C. Driskell Center, Taft Museum of Art, Cincinnati, OH; The Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts + Culture, Charlotte, NC; Akron Museum, Akron OH; University of Maryland, College Park, MD (2012)

Blues for Smoke, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY; Wexner Center for the Arts, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH; The Geffen Contemporary at the Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), Los Angeles, CA (2012)

Body Language, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY

Burying the Lede, Momenta Art, Brooklyn, NY

Against the Grain; Wood in Contemporary Craft and Design, curated by Lowery Stokes Sims, Museum of Art and Design, New York, NY

Cliff and Better, Reva and David Logan Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

The Eleventh Hour, DiverseWorks, Houston, TX

Galerie Catherine Bastide booth at Frieze Art Fair NYC, New York, NY

Hello Goodbye Thank You, Again, and Again, and Again, Castillo/Corrales, Paris, France

Incognito 2013, Santa Monica Museum of Art, Santa Monica, CA

Kaboom! Comics in Art, Weserburg Museum of Modern Art, Bremen, Germany Pull! Reading Room, SPACES, Cleveland, OH

Fax, University of Hawaii Art Gallery, Honolulu, HI; DeVos Art Museum, Marquette, MI; Simons Center for Geometry and Physics, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY; Utah Museum of Contemporary Art, Salt Lake City, UT; San Francisco Arts Commission Gallery, San Francisco, CA; Apex Gallery, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, Rapid City, SD (2011); Saint Paul Street Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand (2011); Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA (2011); South London Gallery, London, UK (2011); Knoxville Museum of Art, Knoxville, TN (2011); Torrance Art Museum, Torrance, CA (2010); Plug In ICA, Winnipeg, MB, Canada (2010); Barnaby Art Gallery, Burnaby, BC, Canada (2010); Para/Site Art Space, Hong Kong, China (2010); Dowd Gallery, State University of New York, Cortland, NY (2010); Museu de Arte Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico (2010); New Galerie, Paris, France (2010); The Drawing Center, New York, NY (2009); Contemporary Museum, Baltimore, MD (2009)

Wall Text, Reva and David Logan Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL superHUMAN, Central Utah Art Center, Ephraim, Utah; traveling to Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, Newark, NJ

2011 After Images, Musee Juif de Belgique, Brussels, Belgium Another Kind of Vapor, White Flag Projects, St. Louis, MO

The Bearden Project, The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY

D'un Autre Monde, Le Printemps de Septembre – à Toulouse, contemporary art festival, Toulouse, France

Göteborg International Biennial for Contemporary Art (GIBCA), Röda Sten Art Centre, Göteborg, Sweden

History of Disappearance: Live Art from New York 1975 - Present. PhotoIreland Festival, Dublin, Ireland; Laznia Center, Gdansk, Poland

Inti, On Stellar Rays, New York, NY

The Painting Show, Eastside Projects, Birmingham, UK

Prospect.2 New Orleans, New Orleans, LA

The 2010 DeCordova Biennial, DeCordova Museum, Lincoln, MA
 At Home/Not At Home: Works from the Collection of Martin and Rebecca Eisenberg.
 Hessel Museum of Art, Center for Curatorial Studies, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

History of Disappearance: Live Art from New York 1975 – Present, Arhus Kunstbygning, Arhus, Denmark

The Last Newspaper, New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, NY

The Process Show, 37-A Gallery, Portland, ME

Resurrectine, Ronald Feldman Fine Arts, New York, NY

Slightly Unbalanced, Joel and Lila Harnett Museum of Art, Richmond, VA; Huntington Museum of Art, Huntington, WV (2009); Rodman Hall Arts Center, St. Catharines, ON, Canada (2009); Paul and Lulu Hilliard University Art Museum, Lafayette, LA (2009); Museum London, London, ON, Canada (2009)

Allan Kaprow YARD (to Harrow), Hauser & Wirth, New York, NY 30 Seconds Off an Inch, The Studio Museum in Harlem, NY

Self as Disappearance, Centre d'Art Contemporain, La Synagogue de Delme, Delme, France

Broken Thorn Sweet Blackberry, Sikkema Jenkins & Co, New York, NY Carnival Within – An Exhibition Made in America, Uferhallen, Berlin, Germany Collected: Propositions on the Permanent Collection, The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY

Pour, installation at the Botanical Gardens, Art Projects at Art Basil Miami Beach, Mitchell-Innes & Nash in collaboration with Galerie Catherine Bastide, Miami Beach, FL

Summer Exhibition. Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY Trouble at the Front (Troubles aux Frontieres). Galerie Marian Goodman, Paris, France

Paul Thek: In the Contexts of Today's Contemporary Art (PART TWO), Sammlung Falkenburg, Hamburg, Germany

Black Is, Black Ain't, The Renaissance Society at University of Chicago, IL Brainwave: Common Sense. Exit Art, New York, NY

Criminal: Art and Criminal Justice in America, The International Center for the Arts at San Francisco State University, CA

Disinhibition: Black Art and Blue Humor. Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL History of Disappearance: Live Art from New York 1975 - Present. Sydney Underground Film Festival, Sydney College of the Arts, Sydney, Australia Informal Architectures (Pt. 2), Winnepeg, CA

Mergers and Acquisitions, Contemporary Art Center, Atlanta, GA Retail Value, Dorsky Gallery, Long Island City, NY

Port City: On Mobility and Exchange, Arnolfini, Bristol, UK

History of Disappearance: Live Art from New York 1975 – Present, Centro Cultural Palacio La Moneda, Santiago, Chile

Keeping Up With the Joneses, Schroeder Romero, New York, NY

New York – States of Mind, House of World Culture, Berlin, Germany; Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY

Paul Thek: In the Context of Today's Contemporary Art, ZKM Center for Art and Media, Karlsruhe, Germany

Situation Comedy: Humor in Recent Art, Museum of Art Fort Lauderdale, FL Informal Architectures, The Banff Centre, Banff, AB, Canada Get Lost, New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, NY

2008

2009

Conceptual Paper, Arndt & Partner, Zurich, Switzerland *Plug*, Sister Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

Silicone Valley, PS-1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY

2006 South Bronx Contemporary: Longwood 25th Anniversary, Longwood Art Gallery, Bronx,NY

> A Noir, E Blanc, I Rouge, U Vert, O Bleu: Farben. Kunstmuseum Kloster Unser Lieben Frauen, Magdeburg, Germany

History of Disappearance: Live Art from New York 1975 – Present, Galleria Neon,

Milan, Italy; MANmuseum at the Liverpool Biennial, Liverpool, UK

Shed Piece, Frieze Art Fair, London

7e Biennale de l'Art Africaine Contemporaire, Dakar, Senegal

Civil Restitutions, Thomas Dane Gallery, London

Newark Between Us, 744 Gallery/Newark Arts Council, Newark, NJ

Stories, Santa Fe Art Institute, Santa Fe, NM

Situation Comedy, Winnipeg Art Gallery, Winnipeg, Canada; Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL

Skowhegan at 60, Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME

Humor Me, H & R Block Artspace, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, MO

Relics and Remnants, Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning, New York, NY

Dreaming of a More Better Future, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH

2005 Hero, Center for Contemporary Arts, Santa Fe, NM

> History of Disappearance: Live Art from New York 1975 - Present. Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art, Gateshead, UK

Incognito, Santa Monica Museum of Art, Santa Monica, CA

Looking at Words: The Formal Use of Text in Modern and Contemporary Works on Paper, Andrea Rosen Gallery, New York, NY

Moving Collection: Body-Con. Tactical Museum at Nadiff, Tokyo, Japan

Reverse Engineers, Carnegie Art Center, North Towanda, NY

Landmark, Portland Institute for Contemporary Art, Portland, OR

RAPSIDA, Gallery 138, New York, NY

Double Consciousness, Museum of Contemporary Arts Houston, Houston, TX

Situation Comedy, Contemporary Museum, Honolulu, HI

Decarie, Saidye Bronfman Center for the Arts, Montreal, Canada

Defense, Sweeney Art Gallery, University of California, Riverside, CA

The Interventionists: Art in the Social Sphere, MASS MoCA, North Adams, MA Watch What We Say, Schroeder Romero, Brooklyn, NY

The Big Nothing, Institute of Contemporary Art, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

5 x 7 Exhibition, Art House Gallery, Austin, TX

Harlem Postcards: Spring 2004, The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY Romantic Detachment, PS-1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY

2004

	Brown v. Board of Education 1954-2004, Gallery 138, New York, NY
	Republican Like Me, Parlour Projects, Brooklyn, NY
	Moving Collection: Body-Con, Fukui Prefectural Museum of Art, Fukui, Japan
	Reverse Engineers, Herndon Gallery, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, OH
2002	Only Skin Deep, International Center for Photography, New York, NY
2003	Moving Collection: Body-Con, Wanakio Festival, Naha, Okinawa, Japan
	diSTILLation. Fylkingen, Stockholm, Sweden
	In Heat. Pierogi 2000, Brooklyn, NY
	Motion Studies, Lower Manhattan Cultural Council, New York, NY
	White, Bill Maynes Gallery, New York, NY
2002	Ameri©an Dre@m, Ronald Feldman Fine Arts Gallery, New York, NY
2002	Art & Outrage, Robert Miller Gallery, New York, NY
	Wallow, The Project, New York, NY
	Whitney Biennial, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
	Reactions, Exit Art Gallery, New York, NY
2001	Moving Collection: Body-Con, Govett Brewster Art Gallery, New Zealand
2001	Video Jam, Palm Beach Institute of Contemporary Art, Palm Beach, FL
2000	Pix, Lance Fung Gallery, New York, NY
	Friendships in Arcadia: Writers and Artists at Yaddo in the 90s. Art in General, New
	York, NY; The Hyde Collection, Glens Falls, NY
1000	Söma Söma, Sculpture Center, New York, NY
1999	Out of Actions, Museum of Contemporary Art, Tokyo, Japan; Museu d'Art
	Contemporani, Barcelona, Spain The History of the Eutere Franklin Furnasa, New York, NV
	The History of the Future, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY Paradise 8, Exit Art, New York, NY
1998	
1996	warming, The Project, New York, NY
	Out of Actions, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA; MAK, Vienna, Austria
	Apocalypse Now, HERE Art Gallery, New York, NY Freedom, Liberation and Change: Revisiting 1968, Longwood Art Gallery, Bronx, NY
	A Negro Sleeps Beneath the Susquehanna, Hide and Seek Residency, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA
	Peek, HERE Art Gallery, New York, NY
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1997	Available Culture, HERE Art Gallery, New York, NY Birdhouses, Robin Hutchins Gallery, Maplewood, NJ
	Birds of a Feather, Newark Museum, Newark, NJ
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	Habitat for Humanity: (bird)Houses, New Jersey Performing Arts Center, Newark, NJ Out on a Limb, Midland Gallery, Montclair, NJ
1996	,
1990	Exquisite Corpse, Danforth Gallery, Portland, ME

1995	Art in the USA since 1950, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, Staten Island, NY
	Dysfunctional Art, Tompkins Cove Art Center/Hudson Arts at Franklin Furnace,
	New York, NY
	Outside The Frame: Performance & the Object: A Survey History of Performance
	Satellite Choice: Young Curators Explore Diversity, Artists Space, New York, NY
1994	Art in the USA since 1950, Cleveland Center for Contemporary Art, Cleveland, OH
	Outside The Frame: Performance & the Object: A Survey History of Performance
	The Return of the Cadavre Exquis, Santa Monica Museum of Art (SMMOA), Santa
	Monica, CA: Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC; Forum for Contemporary
	Art, St. Louis, MO; American Center, Paris, France
1993	The Return of the Cadavre Exquis, Drawing Center, New York, NY
	Transient Décor, Roger Smith Hotel, New York, NY
	Various Objects, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
1991	Looking for Aunt Jenny, Art in General, New York, NY
1990	Action and Artifact, Weatherspoon Gallery at the University of North Carolina,
	Greensboro, NC
1985	Post-Modern Icons, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY
1984	Found Language, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY
	Radical Culture, Fashion Moda Gallery, Bronx, NY
1983	Rutgers Invitational, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
SELECTE	ED PERFORMANCES AND SCREENINGS
2018	The Escape, The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
2017	Shopping Crawl, Social Services, Artists Space, New York, NY
2016	The Escape, The Drawing Center, New York, NY
	Baile, 32 nd Biennal de São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil
	The Problem, Art Basel Unlimited, Basel, Switzerland
2015	The Beautiful, Art Basel Miami Beach, Miami, FL
	Cage Unrequited, MCA Live, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, IL
2014	Media Replication Services, with Caroline Bergvall, Lisa Gitelman, and William
	Pope.L, facilitated by Triple Canopy, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
	NY
	Costume Made of Nothing, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
	Mercier and Camier, Portland State University, Portland, OR
2013	Pull, SPACES, Cleveland, OH
	Burying the Blues, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
	Cage Unrequited, Performa-13: Three Duets, Seven Variations, at Soto Velez, New
	York, NY
2012	Costume Made of Nothing, Contemporary Art Museum Houston, Houston, TX
	Firing Squad, Grizedale Arts, Frieze Art Fair, London, UK

	A Personal History of Curation, Case Study: William Pope.L Interprets Fluxkit,
2011	Museum of Modern Art (MoMA), New York, NY
2011	Blink, Prospect.2, New Orleans, LA
	Göteborg Crawl, Röda Sten Art Centre, Göteborg, Sweden
2010	Paste, Flux This!, Museum of Modern Art (MoMA), New York, NY
2010	Cusp, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York, NY
	Cusp (Kafka version), Foire Internationale d'Art Contemporain (FIAC), Paris, France
	Eating the Wall Street Journal (new millennium version), New Museum of
2000	Contemporary Art, New York, NY
2009	Corbu Pop Singers, Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Harvard University,
	Cambridge, MA
	ET, Haverford College, Haverford, PA
	The Great White Way: 22 Miles, 9 Years, 1 Street, New York, NY
2007	The Storage Room, Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, PA
2007	In the Cabin, House of World Cultures (Haus der Kulturen der Welt), Berlin,
	Germany
	Holiday/Dovolená, Prague Quadrennial, Prague, Czech Republic
	Black Elvis with Black Object Collection, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts (YBCA),
	San Francisco, CA.
	141 Demands for a Better World, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts (YBCA), San
	Francisco, CA
2006	Under the Milk, Watermill Center, Watermill, NY
2006	Condoleezza Rice Day, Galleria Civica, Trento, Italy
	In the Cabin! Mobius at Midway Theater, Midway Theater, Boston, MA
	The Black Factory, various venues, USA
	Poor Piece, Center for Contemporary Art, Santa Fe, NM
	Singing the House, MIT, Boston, MA Santa Fe Group Crawl, Santa Fe, NM
	Before You Can Walk: Crawl, Santa Fe Art Institute, Center for Contemporary Arts,
	Institute for American Indian Arts, Santa Fe Public Schools Adelante Program, and
	the New Mexico Museum of Fine Arts, Santa Fe, NM
	The Yeti and the Case for Contemporary Photography, Kenny Schachter ROVE booth
	at Art Cologne International Art Fair, Cologne, Germany
2005	White Room #4: Wittgenstein and My Brother Frank, Kenny Schachter ROVE,
200)	London, UK
	Bringing the Decarie to the Mountain (group crawl), Montreal, Canada
	The Black Factory, various venues, USA
	The Yeti and the Case for Contemporary Photography, Cologne Art Fair, Cologne,
	Germany
	Angel-Vision, Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art, Gateshead Quays, UK
2004	White Room #2: Moby Dick, Roosevelt Island lighthouse, New York, NY

White Room #3: Music Appreciation, PS-1, Queens, NY Negarkuisse Part 2, House of World Cultures, Berlin, Germany Negarkuisse Part 1, House of World Cultures, Berlin, Germany The Black Factory, various venues, USA Cleveland Free Clinic Crawl, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH The Great White Way: 22 Miles, 7 Years, 1 Street. New York, NY 2003 Anglo-Vision, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI; Mobius, Boston, MA Coon. Cinema Texas, University of Texas at Austin and Arthouse, Austin, TX Candy Mountain, Portland Institute of Contemporary Art, Portland, OR Freedman's Town to Enron City (Houston group crawl), DiverseWorks, Houston, TX 2002 The Great White Way: 22 Miles, 9 Years, 1 Street, New York, NY eRacism, Portland Stage Company, Portland, ME Portland, Maine Crawl, Portland, ME a MORE, Robert Miller Gallery, New York, NY In-Continents, Wood Street Galleries, Three Rivers Arts Festival, Pittsburgh, PA Pall Mall, The Project, Los Angeles, CA 2001 I Love Japan, Tokyo, Japan Shopping Crawl, Shibuya, Tokyo, Japan Bringing the Homeless Back to Shinjuku, Shinjuku Station, Tokyo, Japan Distributingmartin, Multiple locations, New York, NY The Great White Way: 22 Miles, 5 Years, 1 Street, Whitney Biennial 2002, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY 2000 eRacism, ThreadWaxing Space, New York, NY Eating the Wall Street Journal, The Sculpture Center, New York, NY Selling My Grandmother, Yard Sale, New York City Lab School, New York, NY Boston Commons Crawl, Boston School of Fine Art, Boston, MA The Hole Inside The Space Inside Yves Klein's Asshole, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada 1999 The Black Body and Sport, Berlin, Germany; Prague, Czech Republic; Budapest, Hungary; Madrid, Spain The White Mountain (Wonder Bread), Postmasters Gallery, New York, NY My Niagra #3 (Paint), Los Angeles, CA Raymond (version 2), Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL The Buddy Performance, With Jim Calder, HERE Performance Space, New York, NY I Am Still Black, Mail art postcard series, multiple recipients Milk Pour, New York, NY 1998 My Niagra #2 (Bed), The Project, New York, NY My Niagra #1 (Paint), Fells Point, Baltimore, MD A Negro Sleeps Beneath the Susquehanna, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA Eracism (version 8), 7alld Festival, Toronto, Canada The Buddy Performance, With Jim Calder, Sewanee: University of the South,

	Sewanee, TN
	Thunderbird Immolation, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA
1997	ATM Piece, 42 nd Street, New York, NY
	Sweet Desire, Maine Arts Festival, Brunswick, ME
	Eracism, Mobius, Boston, MA
	Raymond, Galapagos, Brooklyn, NY
1996	Sweet Desire, Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME
	Member, Harlem, New York, NY
	The Buddy Performance, With Jim Calder, HERE Performance Space, New York,
	NY; Touchstone Theater, Bethlehem, PA
	Eracism (version #7), With Michelle Hendricks and band, Ko Performance Festival,
	Amherst College, Amherst, MA
	Eracism (version #7a), With Bryn Manion and band, Performance Art, Culture, and
	Pedagogy Symposium, Penn State University, University Park, PA
	Member (a.k.a. Schlong Journey), 125th Street, Harlem, New York, NY
	Raymond, Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME
1995	The Buddy Performance, With Jim Calder, Ko Theater Festival, Amherst College,
	Amherst, MA; PS 122, New York, NY
	Eracism (version #5), Snug Harbor Cultural Center, Staten Island, NY
	My Penis is Fine How are You? Mail art postcard series, multiple recipients
1994	Black Domestic a.k.a. Roach Motel Black. New York, NY
	Eracism (version #4), Cleveland Performance Art Festival, Cleveland, OH
	The Buddy Performanc,. With Jim Calder, Franklin Furnace in Exile, PS 122, New
	York, NY
1993	A House is a Home with a Hole in the Middle, Olney neighborhood, hosted through
	Cosa Cosa, Philadelphia, PA
	I Get Paid to Rub Mayo on my Body (version #2), Roger Smith Hotel, New York, NY
	Eracism (version #3), Hallwalls Contemporary Arts Center, Buffalo, NY
	Eracism (version #2), Drew University, Madison, NJ
	Eracism (version #4a, with golf demo), Yellow Springs Institute, Chester Springs, PA
	Raymond, Horodner Romley Gallery, New York, NY
1992	Eracism (version #1), Downtown Art, New York, NY
	Levitating the Magnesia, Horodner Romley Gallery, New York, NY
	The Vulture Speaks, Touchstone Theater, Bethlehem, PA; CoMotion Theater,
	Lancaster, PA; Downtown Art, New York, NY
	White Baby (or How Much is that Nigger in the Window). Cleveland Performance Art
	Festival, Cleveland, OH
1991	The Aunt Jenny Chronicles, With Johnny Brooks, Lydia Grey, John Patterson, and
	Richard Robinson, PS 122, New York, NY
	How Much Is That Nigger In The Window a.k.a. Eating the Wall Street Journal (street
	version). Franklin Furnace, New York, NY

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How Much Is That Nigger In The Window a.k.a. I Get Paid to Rub Mayo on my Body. Franklin Furnace, New York, NY How Much Is That Nigger In The Window a.k.a. Selling Mayonnaise, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY How Much Is That Nigger In The Window a.k.a. Suck Harder, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY How Much Is That Nigger In The Window a.k.a. Times Square Crawl, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY How Much Is That Nigger In The Window a.k.a. Writing/Sleeping/Living on the Flag. Franklin Furnace, New York, NY The Public Life of the secret Writer, Philadelphia Mythos Festival, hosted through Cosa Cosa, Philadelphia, PA Egg Eating Contest or How Much is that Nigger in the Window, The Fringe Series, BACA Downtown Cultural Center, Brooklyn, NY; Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, PA; Dixon Place, New York, NY; Cone Art Gallery at Weatherspoon Museum, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC; Cleveland Performance Art Festival, Cleveland, OH; Painted Bride Arts Center, Philadelphia, PA; Knitting Factory, New York, NY; Movement Research, New York, NY George is in the Lake. With Ledlie Borgerhoff, Jim Calder (director), Carl Schnedeker, and others, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY The Nigger and the Narcissus, Cleveland Performance Art Festival, Cleveland, OH Mindhouse, a.k.a. Anxiety Speaks, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ Uncle Remus in Hell, With Joe Daly, Barbara Hiesiger, Carl Schnedeker, and Melinda Levokove, WFMU, Upsala College, East Orange, NJ; WBAI, New York, NY; WKNJ, Kean College, Union, NJ; WZSC, San Francisco, CA; CKLN, Ryerson University, Toronto, Canada; WERU, East Orland, ME Anna and Paul, With Lydia Grey (director), Diane Petruzzelli, Ursula R. (musician), and Gordon Smith, Chameleon Bar, New York, NY At the Foot of the Grenade, With Jim Calder and Joe Daly, Franklin Furnace, New York, NY

1988

1987 Anna and Paul, With Bill Castle, Catherine Coray (director), and Holly Hughes, BACA Downtown Cultural Center, Brooklyn, NY; Franklin Furnace, New York, NY

> Gen. George at Valley Forge, With Jessie Allen, Ledlie Borgerhoff, Joe Daly, Barbara Hiesiger, Tom Miller, and others, Longwood Art Gallery, Bronx, NY LocoMotives, With Tesla Linkum Theater Collective (Ledlie Borgerhoff, Jim Calder, Catherine Coray, Joe Daly, Tom Miller (music), and others), PS 122, New York, NY Opie in the Desert, Chameleon Bar, New York, NY

Warrior Ant, Assistant Director to Lee Breur, Alice Tully Hall, Lincoln Center, New York, NY

1986	Okee-La-Homa, With Tesla Linkum Theater Collective, Fringe Festival, BACA
	Downtown Cultural Center, Brooklyn, NY
	8 Part Soap Opera (sections 1, 2, 5A, and 7), With Ledlie Borgerhoff, Jim Calder, and
	Tom Miller (music), Tweed Gallery, New York, NY; Re.Cher.Chez, New York, NY;
	BACA Downtown Cultural Center, Brooklyn, NY; WFMU, Upsala College, East
	Orange, NJ; Franklin Furnace, New York, NY; Folk City, New York, NY
1985	Christ and Freedom, With Lydia Grey and Kathleen Smith, Art Galexy, New York, NY
1984	At the Foot of the Grenade, With Jim Calder and Joe Daly, International Mime and
	Movement Festival, Davis & Elkins College, Elkins, WV
1983	Anxiety Speaks, American Dreams Festival, Just Above Midtown, New York, NY
	Okee-La-Homa, With Tesla Linkum Theater Collective, Re.Cher.Chez, New York,
	NY
	Loco-Motives, With Tesla Linkum Theater Collective, Re.Cher.Chez, New York, NY
1982	First Soap Opera (with butter), Mason Gross School of the Arts graduation, Rutgers
	University, New Brunswick, NJ
1981	Naked Plains, With Joni Harmon and Barbara Seyda, Anthology Film Archives, New
	York, NY
1978	Meditation Square Pieces a.k.a. Gutter Pieces a.k.a. Times Square Crawl, New York,
	NY
	Meditation Square Pieces a.k.a. Gutter Pieces a.k.a. Thunderbird Immolation, New
	York, NY
	Meditation Square Pieces a.k.a. Gutter Pieces a.k.a. Singing in the Rain, New
	York, NY
1977	Happening, Montclair State College, Montclair, NJ
-> , ,	Jon Wayne, Band, with Brian McCormack, Ellen LaForge, Franc Palaia, and Steve
	Davison, Multiple venues, through 1983
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SELECTED GRANTS AND AWARDS

2017	VIA Art Fund Grant
	Whitney Museum Bucksbaum Award
2012	Joyce Foundation Award
2007	Tiffany Foundation Award
	Nancy Graves Foundation Award
2006	United States Artists Rockefeller Fellowship
	LEF Foundation
	Bellagio
2005	Grizedale Foundation Residency Fellowship
2004	Guggenheim Fellowship
	Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, faculty in residence. Skowhegan, ME

2003	Rockefeller Foundation
2002	Foundation for Contemporary Performance Art
2001	Japan – U.S. Friendship Commission Fellowship
	The Andy Warhol Foundation
	Creative Capital Foundation
	Artist in Residence - Yaddo
2000	Franklin Furnace/Jerome Foundation
	Tanne Foundation Fellowship
	Artist in Residence - Yaddo
1999	Maine Arts Commission Fellowship Grant
	Artist in Residence – Yaddo
1997	Artist in Residence – Yaddo
	Tennessee William Writer-In-Residence, Sewanee: University of the South, Sewanee,
	TN
1996	Ko Performance Festival Residency, Amherst College, Amherst, MA
	Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Residency, Skowhegan, ME
1995	National Endowment for the Arts
	Artist in Residence – Yaddo
	Ko Performance Festival Residency, Amherst College, Amherst, MA
1994	National Endowment for the Arts
	New England Regional Initiative Project
	New Forms Artist's Project Award
	Maine Arts Commission Fellowship Grant
1993	National Endowment for the Arts
	Art Matters
1992	Franklin Furnace/Jerome Foundation Fund for Art
	New England Regional Initiative Project Grant
1991	Mid Atlantic Residency
1990	Art Matters Grant
1989	Mt. Holyoke Writers Workshop
	Art Matters Grant
1988	New England Regional Initiative Project Grant
1987	New York State Council on the Arts (NYSCA) Playwright's Development Grant
1986	Just Above Midtown Curator-Artist/Television Grant
100/	Artists Space Grant
1984	Artists Space Grant

SELECTED TALKS, LECTURES AND PANELS

2018 Artist Talk with Pope.L and Dieter Roelstraete, Logan Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

2017	Artist Talk. Pope.L in Conversation with Christopher Y. Lew, The Whitney
	Museum of American Art, New York, NY
2014	Art Talk: William Pope.L. University of Southern California, Roski School of Art and Design with The Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), Los Angeles, CA (K)NOW: Artists & the Production of New Knowledge, Now – William Pope.L, The Two Projects Talk. Rochester Art Center, Rochester, MN
	Media Replication Services. With Lisa Gitelman and Caroline Bergvall for Triple Canopy, Whitney Biennial 2014, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
	PSU MFA Studio Lecture Series. Portland State University, Portland, OR The Diversity Talk. Panel with Zachary Cahill, Wolfie E. Rawk, Lise Yun Lee, and
	Romi Crawford. Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL
2013	Artist Talk. Columbia University, New York, NY
	Artist Talk. Kent Hall, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
	Artist Talk - Two Projects. Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH
	Episode 405: William Pope.L. Bad at Sports, Arts Club of Chicago, Chicago, IL
	Skowhegan Conversations #5: Pope.L & Zachary Fabri. The Drawing Center, New York, NY
	William Pope.L: Before and After PULL! Cultural Conversation Series, High
	Concept Laboratories, Chicago, IL
2012	Artist Talk. Conversations with Artists Series: Art as Experiment, Center for the
2012	Study of Modern Art, The Phillips Collections, Washington, DC
	Artist Talk. Grossman Visiting Artist, Williams Center, Lafayette College, Easton,
	PA
	Mike Kelley Moving Forward. Panel with Rachel Harrison and Joe Scanlan, MoMA
	PS-1, Long Island City, NY
	Three Projects. Movement Lecture Series, Scheler Humanities Forum, Linderman
	Library, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA
	Visiting Artist Talk. Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, TN
	William Pope.L Artist Talk. Frances and Armand Hammer Auditorium, Corcoran
	Gallery of Art, Washington, DC
2011	Awards Speech for Geoffrey Hendricks. VaVa Voom! Visual AIDS Vanguard
	Awards, New York, NY
	Graduation Talk. Commencement, Maine College of Art (MECA), Portland, ME
	Think Tank. The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY
2010	Expanded, Exploded, Collapsed? Panel with Johanna Burton and Josiah McElheny moderated by Fionn Meade, hosted by Vera List Center for Art and Politics and the Sculpture Center at The New School New York, NY
	Sculpture Center, at The New School, New York, NY Visiting Artist Talk Department of Art. Vale University, New Haven, CT
	Visiting Artist Talk. Department of Art, Yale University, New Haven, CT
	William Pope.L Artist Talk. Poag Auditorium, Tennessee State University, Nashville, TN
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Artist Talk. 2009 Artist Talk: Recent Work. Kutztown University, Kutztown, PA; Haverford College, Haverford, PA; Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA Residency Presentation. Acadia Summer Arts Program (Kippy Kamp), Mount Desert Island, ME 2008 Artist Lecture. Alice Kaplan Institute for the Humanities, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL Artist Talk. Grand Arts and Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, MO Artist Talk. Plug In at ICA, Winnipeg, MB, Canada Artist Talk. Montclair Art Museum and Montclair University, Montclair, NJ Artist Talk. Visiting Artist Lecture Series, Columbia University, New York, NY Panel Discussion. Renaissance Society, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Recent Projects. Hunter College, New York, NY Some Recent Things I Made That Do Not Go Together – a lecture by William Pope.L. Grand Valley State University (GVSU) and the Urban Institute for Contemporary Arts (UICA), Grand Rapids, MI 2007 Art as Intervention. Roundtable discussion moderated by Mark Bessire, Art of Concern Symposium 2007, Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH Artist Talk. Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL Artist Talk. Yerba Buena Center for the Arts (YBCA), San Francisco, CA An Evening with William Pope.L. Santa Monica Museum of Art (SMMOA), Santa Monica, CA Influence Lecture, version 11. Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, NY; University of Michigan School of Art and Design, Ann Arbor, MI Visiting Artist Talk. Union Institute & University at Vermont College, Montpelier, VT 2006 Artist Talk. Center for Contemporary Art Santa Fe, Santa Fe, NM Black Factory Round Table Discussion. Gallery 400, Chicago, IL Black Factory Talk, version 3. Foreman Gallery, Bishop's University, Lennoxville, QC, Canada Black Factory Talk, version 4. Nova Art Fair, Chicago, IL Graduation Talk. Atlanta College of Art, Atlanta, GA Influence Lecture, version 11. University of California – Berkeley, Berkeley, CA; California College of Art (CCA), San Francisco, CA; Armand Hammer Museum of Art and Culture Center at UCLA, Los Angeles, CA; University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM; Ontario College of Art and Design, Toronto, ON, Canada; Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA Lecture Seminar. University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH Politics of Visual Culture, Black Factory Talk. College Art Association, Annual

Conference, Boston, MA

2005 Influence Lecture, version 11. Montana State University, Bozeman, MT; American University, Washington, DC; University of Buffalo, Buffalo, NY 2004 Artist Talk. Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Barbara Lee Artist Lecture Series, Skowhegan, ME Community Conversation with the Artist on eRacism. Mason Gross Art Galleries, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ Conversation with Christian Rattemeyer + Lowery Sims. Artists Space, New York, NY eRacism Panel Discussion. With Barbara Pollack, Andre Lepecki, José Muñoz, and Midori Yoshimoto, Paul Robeson Cultural Center, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ Influence Lecture, version 3. Contemporary Art Museum, St. Louis, MO; University of Colorado, Boulder, CO; Carnegie Mellon School of the Arts, Pittsburgh, PA; University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL; University of California, Davis, CA; Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD; University of Illinois, Gallery 400, Chicago, IL; University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI; Mason Gross School of the Arts, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ; Columbia University, New York, NY; Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY; Artists Space, New York, NY Madison Project: Challenging the Public Art Paradigm. Panel at University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI Project Lecture: The Black Factory. Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME The Third Body. Panel at House of World Cultures, Berlin, Germany 2003 Artist Talk. Portland Institute for Contemporary Art (PICA), Portland, OR Conversation with Lowery Sims. DiverseWorks, Houston, TX Influence Lecture, version 2. University Art Museum, State University of New York, Albany, NY; Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI; Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT; Princeton University, Princeton, NJ; Drew University, Madison, NJ; University of Texas, Austin, TX; New York Studio School, New York, Sandwich Lecture 8 (Klingon Talk). Live Culture: Performance and the Contemporary, Tate Modern, London, UK 2002 Sandwich Lecture. Ingestation, Maine College of Art (MECA), Portland, ME 2000 Bocio Text. Symposium on African Art, ICA at Maine College of Art, Portland, ME Yves Klein & Neil Young. Concordia University, Montreal, Canada 1998 Interventionism. Panel with Kika Thorne, Adrian Blackwell, D. Anne Taylor, Anna Banana, and J. Householder (moderator), 7a*11d International Festival of Performance Art, Toronto, Canada

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2011 Flux This! With Rob Andrews, Maren Hassinger, Geoffrey Hendricks, Martin Kersels, Clifford Owens, Rafael Sanchez, Xaviera Simmons, and Catherine Sullivan, Museum of Modern Art (MoMA), New York, NY Söma Söma Söma. With Patty Chang and Geoffrey Hendricks, Sculpture Center, 2000 New York, NY SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY 2019 Keener, Katherine, "One exhibition looking at how masks are present today," Art Critique, August 2019. Cotter, Holland, "MoMA, the New Edition: From Monumental to Experimental," The New York Times, February 2019. Artsy Editors, "The Most Influential Living African-American Artists," Artsy, February 2019. 2018 Alexander, Jennifer, et al. "Other Mechanisms," Revolver Publishing: Secession 2018, Vienna, 2018. "'Pope.L: The Escape' reworks a slavery play as performance art and dares you to wonder what to think about it," The Chicago Tribune, November 2018. "Pope.L in Conversation with Ross Simonini", *The Believer*, January, 2018. "Pope.L, Jennifer Russell, and Rachel G. Wilf Join NYU Institute of Fine Art's Board of Trustees", NYU, April 3, 2018. O'Grady, Megan. "Answering Society's Thorniest Questions, With Performance Art", The New York Times Style Magazine, March 2, 2018. "ICA Collection: New Acquisitions", The Institute of Contemporary Art/Boston, February, 2018. 2017 "The 20 Most Influential Artists of 2017", Artsy, December 15, 2017. Vogel, Wendy. "Post-Truth Detroit", Frieze, November 8, 2017. Gilbert, Alan. "William Pope.L: Proto Skin Set", The Brooklyn Rail, July 14, 2017. Smith, Roberta. "The Expansive Provocateur Pope.L, In Smaller, Potent Doses", The New York Times, June 29, 2017. "Goings On About Town", The New Yorker, June, 2017. "William Pope.L Wins 2017 Bucksbaum Award", Artforum, June 2, 2017. Laster, Paul. "William Pope.L Weighs In On Art and Social Change", Time Out New York, May 23, 2017. Campbell, Andrianna. "Whitney Biennial", Mousse Magazine, April, 2017. "All: Collected Voices." Radio Athènes. Athens. 5 Apr. 2017. Pope.L, and Bennett Simpson, Pope.L: Proto-Skin Set. Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New

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Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago. IL
Bates College Museum of Art, Lewiston, ME
Bronx Museum of the Arts, Bronx, NY
Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA
Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH
CCS Bard Hessel Museum, Annandale-On-Hudson, NY
Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, CT
Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL
Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
Portland Museum of Art, Portland, ME
Spencer Museum of Art, Lawrence, KS
Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA
The Studio Museum in Harlem, Harlem, NY
Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY