

R. H. QUAYTMAN

R. H. Quaytman approaches painting as if it were poetry: when reading a poem, one notices particular words, and how each is not just that one word, but other words as well. Quaytman's paintings, organized into chapters structured in the form of a book, have a grammar, a syntax, and a vocabulary. While the work is bounded by a rigid structure on a material level—appearing only on beveled plywood panels in eight predetermined sizes derived from the golden ratio—open-ended content creates permutations that result in an archive without end. Quaytman's practice engages three distinct stylistic modes: photo-based silkscreens, optical patterns such as moiré and scintillating grids, and hand-painted oil works. Each chapter is developed in relation to a specific exhibition opportunity, and consequently, each work is iconographically bound to its initial site of presentation.

However, Quaytman's work is ultimately not about site-specificity, but about painting itself, and its relation to the archive. It seeks to graft subject matter and context onto a foundation of abstraction by engaging, in equal measure, the legacies of modernist painting and institutional critique. In her work, the self-involvement of the former and the social-situatedness of the latter paradoxically coexist. The content of Quaytman's work betrays a labyrinthine encyclopedia of interests; she excavates social and institutional histories and places them alongside autobiographical and literary references. Her practice is further characterized by a backwards glance: its conceptual and historical scaffolding is fashioned out of the work of other artists as well as her own; earlier works reappear in subsequent chapters to create a *mise-en-abyme* of referentiality. It is, among other things, an attempt to construct a personal art history. Its bibliography, while lengthy, remains implicit.

Relationality characterizes the works within each chapter not only in terms of content but also in terms of spatial configuration. Quaytman seeks to disrupt but not entirely eliminate the monocular focus and detachment of individual paintings. To this end, syntax generates meaning, and lines of sight produce constellations of significance. Each painting is a hieroglyph as well as a mirror, gesturing to spaces and beings outside of itself. Seriality and myriad references result in a legibility that is situated outside of the boundaries of the individual unit, and in excess any one viewer or moment of perception. A fragile conversation between neighboring paintings and the body of the viewer animates the seemingly static object.

The occasional appearance of the painting's beveled plywood edge on its surface in hand-painted facsimile alludes to this condition of relationality. The edge suggests that viewing always takes place in a state of partial distraction; that even when looking at a painting head-on, one has already in some senses passed it by. Viewing never takes place in isolation, and each work doubles an invitation to look elsewhere. Distortions and foreshortening underscore oblique viewing, while arrows and optical patterns further propel the viewer through space. The representation of the edge also evokes storage—a longstanding preoccupation of Quaytman's, rooted in the trauma of putting family members' artwork into storage after their deaths. She envies the way that books, in contradistinction to paintings, can simultaneously be stored and displayed. Quaytman is drawn to the act of storing art almost as much as displaying it, an inclination that motivated her to construct storage racks as a method of display. These racks self-reflexively acknowledge that most art objects are fated for a life of storage with only infrequent emergence. To this end, the collection of her own work has become an integral element of Quaytman's project. The first chapter is never fully put away, but placed in a continuum that makes it perpetually available for the next one.

*R. H. Quaytman (b. 1961, Boston) lives and works in Guilford, CT and New York. Quaytman studied at Bard College and at the Institut des Hautes Études en Arts Plastiques in Paris, and received the Rome Prize Fellowship from the American Academy in 2001. In 2015, Quaytman was awarded the Wolfgang Hahn Prize with Michael Krebber. Since 2006, Quaytman has taught at Bard College, in addition to lecturing at Princeton University, Cooper Union, Columbia University, and the Yale University School of Art. In 2005, she co-founded Orchard, a cooperatively-run exhibition and event space that concluded its three-year run on the Lower East Side in 2008. Her work is held in the permanent collections of the Museum of Modern Art, the Whitney Museum of American Art, the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, the Institute of Contemporary Art Boston, the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, the Art Institute of Chicago, the Pinault Collection, the Tate Modern, the Museo Reina Sofia, the V–A–C Foundation, Fondazione Memmo, the CCS Bard Hessel Museum of Art, the Baltimore Museum of Art, and the Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, among others.*

*Quaytman's work was featured in documenta 14 (2017), the 54<sup>th</sup> Venice Biennale and the 2010 Whitney Biennial, and solo shows dedicated to her work have taken place at the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York (2018), Secession, Vienna (2017), the Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles (2016), Miguel Abreu Gallery (2008, 2015), Tel Aviv Museum of Art (2015), Renaissance Society, Chicago (2013), the*

*Museum Abteiberg, Mönchengladbach (2012), Gladstone Gallery, New York and Brussels (2012, 2014), the Kunsthalle Basel (2011), Galerie Daniel Buchholz, Cologne (2011), the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (2010), and the Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston (2009). In 2019, her work was prominently included in Luogo e Segni, curated by Mouna Mekouar and Martin Bethenod at the Punta Della Dogana, Venice. Other two-person and group exhibitions include Electric/A Virtual Reality Exhibition, curated by Daniel Birnbaum, Serralves Museum, Porto (2019); Signal or Noise, SMAK, Ghent (2019); Jay DeFeo: The Ripple Effect, Aspen Art Museum, Colorado and Le Consortium, Dijon (2018); Field Guide, Remai Modern, Saskatoon (2017); Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age, MUMOK, Vienna (2016) and Museum Brandhorst, Munich (2015); The Distance of Day, curated by Rita Kersting, The Isreal Museum, Jerusalem (2016); No Man's Land, Rubell Family Collection, Miami (2015); New Skin, curated by Massimiliano Gioni, Aishti Foundation, Beirut (2015); America is Hard to See, The Whitney Museum, New York (2015); A History. Art, architecture, design from 1980 until today, curated by Christine Macel, Centre Pompidou, Paris (2014); Arrhythmia (A Tale of Many Squares), with Martin Barré, Galerie Nathalie Obadia, Paris (2013); and Materials and Money and Crisis, co-organized by Richard Birkett and Sam Lewitt, MUMOK, Vienna (2013); Abstract Generation, Museum of Modern Art, New York (2013); The Angel of History, Palais des Beaux-Arts, Paris (2013); and Dynamo, Grand Palais, Paris (2013). Spine, a comprehensive monograph focusing on the artist's work from The Sun, Chapter 1 through Spine, Chapter 20. Other major monographs include Morning: Chapter 30 (MOCA, Delmonico, Prestel, 2016), קקק, Chapter 29 (Tel Aviv Museum of Art, 2015), and Dalet, Chapter 24 (Museum Abteiberg, 2012), along with critical discussions of Quaytman's work in Afterall, Parkett, October, Texte zur Kunst, and Grey Room.*

*In 2019, a survey exhibition, The Sun Does Not Move, Chapter 35, was mounted at Muzeum Sztuki in Łódź, Poland. A second, expanded iteration was on view at the Serralves Museum in Porto, Portugal from October 2020 to June 2021. R. H. Quaytman's solo exhibition Modern Subjects, Chapter Zero, was recently on view at WIELS in Brussels from September 2021 through January 2022. Her current solo exhibition at the Glenstone Museum in Potomac, Maryland, opened September 22, 2022.*

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Born in Boston, MA, 1961  
Lives and works in Guilford, CT and New York

### EDUCATION

**2001**

Rome Prize Fellowship, American Academy in Rome, Italy

**1989**

Institut des Hautes Études en Arts Plastiques, Paris, France

**1984**

Post Graduate Program in Painting, National College of Art & Design, Dublin, Ireland

**1983**

B.A., John Bard Scholar, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

**1982**

Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME

### SELECTED SOLO & TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

**2022**

Glenstone Museum, Potomac, MA

**2021**

*Modern Subjects, Chapter Zero*, WIELS, Brussels, Belgium

**2020**

*The Sun Does Not Move, Chapter 35*, Serralves Museum, Porto, Portugal

**2019**

*The Sun Does Not Move, Chapter 35*, Muzeum Sztuki, Łódź, Poland

*Spot On: R. H. Quaytman*, Museum Brandhorst, Munich

**2018**

*+ x, Chapter 34*, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York

*An Evening, Chapter 32*, Galerie Buchholz, Berlin

**2017**

*An Evening, Chapter 32*, Seccession, Vienna

**2016**

*Morning, Chapter 30*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles

**2015**

*Haqaaq, Chapter 29*, Miguel Abreu Gallery, New York

*Haqaaq, Chapter 29*, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel

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*Preis, Chapter 28*, with Michael Krebber, Wolfgang Hahn Prize Exhibition, Museum Ludwig, Cologne

**2014**

*O Tópico, Chapter 27*, Gladstone Gallery, New York, NY

**2013**

*Arrhythmia (A Tale of Many Squares)*, with Martin Barré, curated by Paul Galvez, Galerie Nathalie Obadia, Paris, France

*Passing Through the Opposite of What It Approaches, Chapter 25*, The Renaissance Society, Chicago, IL

**2012**

*7, Chapter 24*, Museum Abteiberg, Mönchengladbach, Germany

*Point de Gaze, Chapter 23*, Gladstone Gallery, Brussels

*Preludes*, R. H. Quaytman/Thomas Eggerer, Friedrich Petzel Gallery, New York

**2011**

*Spine, Chapter 20*, Kunsthalle Basel, Switzerland

*Cherchez Holopherne, Chapter 21*, Galerie Daniel Buchholz, Cologne, Germany

**2010**

*Spine, Chapter 20*, Neuberger Museum of Art – SUNY Purchase, NY

*I Love — The Eyelid Clicks / I See / Cold Poetry, Chapter 18*, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA

*Silberkuppe, Chapter 17*, Silberkuppe, Berlin, Germany

**2009**

*Exhibition Guide, Chapter 15*, The Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, MA

*Quire, Chapter 14*, Art 40 Basel, Switzerland

**2008**

*Chapter 12: iamb, Through the Limbo of Vanity*, with Josef Strau, Vilma Gold Gallery, London, UK

*Chapter 12: iamb*, Miguel Abreu Gallery, New York, NY

**2004**

*Chapter 3: Optima*, Momenta Art, Brooklyn, NY

**2002**

*Chapter 1: The Sun*, Revolution, Ferndale, MI

**2001**

*Chapter 1: The Sun*, Spencer Brownstone Gallery, New York, NY

**2000**

Galerie Edward Mitterrand, Geneva, Switzerland

**1999**

China Art Objects Galleries, Los Angeles, CA

Revolution, A Gallery Project, Ferndale, MI

**1998**

Spencer Brownstone Gallery, New York, NY

**1997**

*Quaywall-Rest, Astride*, Revolution: A Gallery Project, Ferndale, MI

**1995**

*Apartment Paintings*, Helen M.Z. Cevern-Harwood Gallery, New York

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

**2022**

*Shifting the Silence*, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (SFMOMA), San Francisco, CA

**2021**

*Enjoy: The mumok Collection in Change*, mumok – museum moderner kunst stiftung Ludwig wien, Vienna, Austria

*Footnote 14: Angel of History*, Casa São Roque Centro de Arte, Porto, Portugal

*The Poet-Engineers*, Miguel Abreu, New York, NY

*New Time: Art and Feminisms in the 21st Century*, curated by Apsara DiQuinzio, Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive (BAMPFA), Berkeley, CA

**2020**

*Louise Lawler, R.H. Quaytman, Cameron Rowland*, Galerie Bucholz, Köln, Germany

*.paint*, curated by Michael Darling and Harry C.H. Choi, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, IL

*Electric | A Virtual Reality Exhibition*, curated by Daniel Birnbaum, Serralves Museum, Porto, Portugal

**2019**

*The Half Axel*, Richard Telles, Los Angeles, CA

*Luogo e Segni*, Punta della Dogana, Venice, Italy

*Step by Step: Visions of an Art Dealer's Collection*, Nouveau Musée National de Monaco, Monaco

*Kleine Welt*, Neubauer Collegium for Culture and Society, University of Chicago, IL

**2018**

*Signal or Noise | The Photographic II*, S.M.A.K Museum of Contemporary Art, Gent, Belgium

*The Infinite Image*, curated by Tobias Czudej, Waldo, Rockport, ME

*Jay DeFeo: The Ripple Effect*, Aspen Art Museum, Aspen, CO

*Becoming American*, curated by Fionn Meade, San Juan Island, WA

*Defacement*, curated by Amanda Schmitt, THE CLUB, Tokyo

*Class Reunion*, Works from the Gaby and Wilhelm Schürmann Collection, mumok, Vienna, Austria

*Jay DeFeo: The Ripple Effect*, Le Consortium, Dijon, France

*Mothers Of Men*, House Of Gaga, Mexico City, Mexico

**2017**

*Parapolitics: Cultural Freedom and the Cold War*, Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin, Germany

*Field Guide*, Remai Modern, Saskatoon, SK, Canada

*The End of Love*, Whitechapel Gallery, London

*Parthian Shot, Chapter 31/ Haqaaq, Chapter 29, documenta 14*, Benaki Museum, Athens | Neue Galerie, Kassel

**2016**

*Schiff Ahoy – Contemporary Art from the Brandhorst Collection*, Museum Brandhorst, Munich, Germany

*Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age*, mumok, Vienna, Austria

*The Distance of a Day*, curated by Rita Kersting, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem

*Visibility*, curated by John Miller, Campoli Presti, London, UK

*Ballistic Poetry*, curated by Guillaume Désanges, Hermès Foundation, Brussels

*Overburden*, curated by Humberto Moro, CSS Bard Hessel Museum of Art, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

## 2015

*No Man's Land*, Rubell Family Collection, Miami, FL

*Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age*, Museum Brandhorst, Munich

*New Skin*, curated by Massimiliano Gioni, Aishti Foundation, Beirut

*America Is Hard to See*, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

*Heike-Karin Föll – Caitlin Lonegan – R.H. Quaytman – Frances Scholz*, Tif Sigfrids, Los Angeles, CA

*Works on Paper*, Greene Naftali Gallery, New York, NY

*Storylines: Contemporary Art at the Guggenheim*, Guggenheim Museum, New York

*The Way We Live Now, Modernist Ideologies at Work*, Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts at Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

*Adventures of the Black Square: Abstract Art and Society 1915–2015*, Whitechapel Gallery, London, UK

## 2014

*Painters Painters*, Saatchi Gallery, London, UK

*Reductive Minimalism*, University of Michigan Museum of Art, Ann Arbor, MI

*A History. Art, architecture, design from 1980 until today*, curated by Christine Macel, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France

*Ma-re Mount*, Galerie Daniel Buchholz, Cologne, Germany

*"Hypothesis for an Exhibition"*, curated by Begum Yasar, Dominique Lévy Gallery, New York, NY

*Lines*, curated by Rodrigo Moura, Hauser & Wirth, Zurich, Switzerland

*Loveless*, Greene Naftali Gallery, New York, NY

## 2013

*Empire State. New York Art Now!*, curated by Norman Rosenthal and Alex Gartenfeld, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris, France

*and Materials and Money and Crisis*, curated by Richard Birkett, MUMOK, Vienna, Austria

*subject, answer, countersubject*, curated by Summer Guthery, Disjecta Contemporary Art Center, Portland, OR

*In the Heart of the Country*, The Collection of the Museum of Modern Art in Warsaw, Poland

*Abstract Generation: Now in Print*, Museum of Modern Art, New York

*Summer 2013*, Tate St Ives, St Ives, UK

*Dark Stars*, organized by Rose Bouthillier, Museum of Contemporary Art Cleveland, OH

*The Angel of History*, curated by Nicolas Bourriaud, Palais des Beaux-Arts, Paris, France

*Empire State. New York Art Now!*, curated by Norman Rosenthal and Alex Gartenfeld, Palazzo delle Esposizioni, Rome, Italy

*Dynamo, A Century of Light and Motion in Art, 1913-2013*, Grand Palais, Paris, France

## 2012

*Now's The Time: Recent Acquisitions*, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York

*Contemporary Painting, 1960 to the Present*, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA

*Architectural Dispositions*, Thomas Solomon Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

*Painting in Space*, curated by Johanna Burton and Tom Eccles, Luhring Augustine, New York

*Context Message*, Zach Feuer Gallery, New York

## 2011

*Quodlibet III – Alphabets and Instruments*, Galerie Daniel Buchholz, Berlin, Germany

*If You Lived Here, You'd Be Home By Now*, co-curated by Josiah McElheny, Tom Eccles, and Lynne Cooke, CCS Bard Hessel Museum of Art, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

*Footnote 6. As Model*, curated by Barbara Piwowarska, Miguel Abreu Gallery, New York

*I Modi, Chapter 22, ILLUMInations*, 54<sup>th</sup> International Art Exhibition, curated by Bice Curiger, Venice Biennale, Italy

*Time Again: Novel*, Sculpture Center, Long Island City, NY

*Proofs and Refutations*, David Zwirner, New York

*New York to London and Back: The Medium of Contingency*, Thomas Dane Gallery, London, UK

## 2010

*Footnote 1: Phantom Limb*, curated by Barbara Piwowarska, Centre for Contemporary Art Zamek Ujazdowski, Warsaw, Poland

*Nicholas Gambaroff, Michael Krebber, R. H. Quaytman, Blake Rayne*, Bergen Kunsthall, Norway

*Group Show*, Galerie Emmanuel Perrotin, Paris, France

*Picture Industry (Goodbye To All That)*, organized by Walead Beshty, Regen Projects, Los Angeles, CA

*Distracting Distance, Chapter 16*, Whitney Biennial, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York

*Group Show: Heather Cook, Alex Olson, R. H. Quaytman, Gedi Sibony, Ry Rocklen*, Rental, New York

*Blind Mirror*, Galleria Raucci/Santamaria, Naples, Italy

*Guilty Feet*, 179 Canal, organized by Colby Bird and Tova Carlin, New York

## 2009

*Cave Painting*, organized by Bob Nickas, Greshams Ghost, New York

*Besides, With, Against, And Yet: Abstraction and The Ready-Made Gesture*, curated by Debra Singer, The Kitchen, New York

*Blue*, curated by John Zinnser, James Graham & Sons Gallery, New York

*Front Room: Olga Chernysheva & R.H. Quaytman & Josephine Pryde*, Contemporary Art Museum St. Louis, MO

*Practice vs. Object*, organized by Margaret Liu Clinton, Miguel Abreu Gallery, New York

*Group Show: Don Brown, Daniel Lergon, R. H. Quaytman, Gabriel Vormstein, Lawrence Weiner*, Almine Rech Gallery, Brussels, Belgium

*Constructivismes*, curated by Olivier Renaud-Clément, Almine Rech Gallery, Brussels. Exhibition traveled to Andrea Rosen Gallery, New York

## 2008

*Paper, Scissors, Stone*, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden

*Looking Back: The Third Annual White Columns Annual* organized by Jay Sanders, New York

*Electioneering*, Fort Worth Contemporary Arts, Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, TX

*Fair Market*, Rental Gallery, New York

*Painting Now and Forever*, Matthew Marks Gallery and Greene Naftali Gallery, New York

*The Man Whose Shoes Squeaked*, Richard Telles Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

*From One O to the Other*, Rhea Anastas, R.H. Quaytman and Amy Sillman, Orchard, New York

*Kraj: the Art of Artists of Polish Origins*, curated by Marek Barelik, Magda Potorska, Gallery of Contemporary Art in Opole, Poland

## 2007

*Regroup Show*, Miguel Abreu Gallery, New York

*Inside the Pale*, curated by Frank Schroder, Thrust Projects, New York

*Oliver Twist*, curated by Joel Mesler, Rental, New York

## 2006

*Paintings without Painters and Painters without Paintings*, Orchard, New York

*Denial is a River*, Sculpture Center, Long Island City, NY

*Bring the War Home*, Q.E.D. Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

*Extra City Galleries Show*, Antwerp, Belgium

## 2005

*Out of Place*, The UBS Art Gallery, New York

*Orchard Parts One and Two*, Orchard, New York

*Tom Burr's Residence*, funded by the MICA Foundation, New York

**2004**

*The Big Nothing*, Arcadia University Art Gallery, Glenside, PA  
*Lodz Biennial*, Lodz, Poland

**2002**

*Pictures*, Greene Naftali, New York

**2001**

*Crossing the Line*, Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY

**2000**

*The Earth is a Flower, Construction in Process*, Poland

*Dirty Realism*, Robert Pearre Gallery, Tucson, AZ

*The Figure: Another Side of Modernism*, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, Staten Island, NY

**1999**

*Women and Geometric Abstraction*, Pratt Manhattan Gallery, New York

*Portrait Show*, Tod Jorgenson Gallery, New York

*Actual Size*, curated by Nancy Princenthal, Apex Art C.P., New York

*GridLocked*, Rockett Gallery, London, UK

**1997**

*Horizontal Painting*, The Institute for Contemporary Art, P.S. 1 Museum, Long Island City, NY

*Cause and Defect*, Spencer Brownstone Gallery, New York

*Real Life (and its influence on art)*, Four Walls, Brooklyn, NY

**1995**

*Revolution: A Gallery Project*, Ferndale, MI

**1992**

Julian Pretto Gallery, New York

*Artedomani, 1992 Punti de Vista*, Galleria s'Arte Moderna, Spoleto, Italy

*Fine Arts Fellows annual Exhibition*, The American Academy in Rome, Italy

**1991**

White Columns, New York

**1990**

*The Art's Territory: Works of Art Interpretation, Staging, Installation*, The Russian Museum, Leningrad, Russia

**1989**

White Columns, New York

RealArt Inc., New York

**1988**

Soho Center for Visual Artists, New York

**1984**

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## 2009

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## 2008

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## 2007

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## 2006

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## 2005

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Wilson, Michael. "Scene and Heard," *Artforum.com*, May 16  
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## 2002

Cotter, Holland. "Art in Review: Pictures," *The New York Times*, Feb. 15  
Mannisto, Glen. "Blood on the Tracks," *Metrotimes*, Vol. 22, No. 52

## 2001

Weil, Rex. "Review," *ArtNews*, October  
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Sundell, Margaret. "Review," *Artforum*, October  
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## 2000

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## 1998

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## 1995

Carrier, David. "New York Spring Exhibitions," *Burlington Magazine*, August  
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## 1993

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Fraser, Kathleen. *Black Bread #2*

## 1991

Etra, Jon. "Family Ties," *ArtNews*, May

## 1990

Cyphers, Peggy. "Review," *Arts Magazine*, September

## LECTURES & TALKS

### 2020

*Thought-Images with Footnote 14: Angel of History*, organized by Sismógrafo and Casa São Roque, Sismógrafo, Porto, Portugal  
*R. H. Quaytman: The Sun Does Not Move, Chapter 35*, Conversation with Philippe Vergne, Serralves Museum of Contemporary Art, Porto, Portugal

### 2018

"Visiting Artist Lecture Series," Purchase College, Purchase, NY  
"Visionary: On Hilma af Klint and the Spirit of Her Time," Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York

### 2017

"R. H. Quaytman in conversation with Joseph Koerner," Secession, Vienna, Austria  
"7 × 7: Now Pictures Why," The Museum of Modern Art, New York

**2016**

“R. H. Quaytman and Bennett Simpson in Conversation,” Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles  
Panel Discussion, “On Photomontage,” Art Institute of Chicago, IL

**2015**

Artist Talk, “Visiting Artist Lecture Series,” Parsons The New School for Design, New York, NY  
“*Unorthodox*. On Art I: Erna Rosenstein,” Conversation with Dorota Jarecja and Barbara Piwowarska, The Jewish Museum, New York  
Panel Discussion, “The Artist’s Resale Right,” Artists Space Books & Talks, New York, NY  
Artist Talk, “Graduate Seminar Lecture Series,” Art Center College of Design, Pasadena, CA

**2014**

“Keynote: R. H. Quaytman and Susan Howe,” Contemporary Artists’ Books Conference, The New Art Book Fair, MoMA PS1, New York  
Panel discussion and symposium: “Christopher Williams: The Production Line of Happiness,” MoMA, New York  
Artist Talk, “Distinguished Visiting Artist Program”, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

**2013**

“Dialogue and Discourse: How is Jack Goldstein?” Conversation between R. H. Quaytman and John Baldessari, The Jewish Museum, New York  
“Une leçon d’histoire ! A qui cette lanterne?” Selon Yve-Alain Bois, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France  
“Indexicality and Liveliness: B-Side,” presentation at *Painting Beyond Itself: The Medium in the Post-Medium Condition* Conference, Arthur M. Sackler Museum, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

**2012**

Artist talk with Hamza Walker, Renaissance Society, Chicago, IL

**2012**

“Conversations with Contemporary Artists: R. H. Quaytman,” Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York  
Artist Talk, Society for Contemporary Art, Art Institute of Chicago, IL  
Lecturer, “Visiting Artists and Scholars Lecture Series,” San Francisco Art Institute, CA

**2011**

Lecturer, “Artists on Artists Lecture Series” at Dia:Chelsea, New York  
Visiting artist, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT  
MFA Painting, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

**2010**

Artist Talk, The Blanton Museum of Art, The University of Texas at Austin

**2009**

Visiting lecturer and teacher, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

**2008**

MFA Painting, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY  
Advanced Painting, Cooper Union, New York  
Visiting lecturer and teacher, Columbia University, New York  
Visiting lecturer and teacher, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT

**2007**

MFA Painting, Bard, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY  
Lecturer, "Visiting Artist Lecture Series", Columbia University, School of the Arts, New York  
Lecturer, MFA program, School of Visual Arts, New York  
"Translatrix: R. H. Quaytman on Jef Geys" & panel with Dirk Snauwaert, Orchard, New York  
Lecturer, "History, Theory, and Criticism", MFA program, Brooklyn College, NY  
Lecturer and Visiting Artist, Malmö Art Academy, Sweden

## **2006**

MFA Painting, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY  
Lecturer with Benjamin Aranda and Liam Gillick, Campari Talks at Artists Space, New York  
Lecturer, Barnard College, New York

## **PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLECTIONS**

Aïshti Foundation, Beirut, Lebanon  
Art Institute of Chicago, IL  
Baltimore Museum of Art, MD  
CCS Bard Hessel Museum of Art, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY  
Fondazione Memmo, Rome, Italy  
Glenstone, Potomac, MD  
Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, MA  
Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel  
MUMOK, Vienna, Austria  
Musée National d'Art Moderne / Centre Pompidou, Paris, France  
Museo Reina Sofia, Madrid, Spain  
Museum Brandhorst, Munich, Germany  
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA  
Museum Ludwig, Cologne, Germany  
Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles  
Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY  
Museum of Modern Art Warsaw, Poland  
Pinault Collection  
Pulitzer Foundation for the Arts, St. Louis, MO  
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA  
Serralves Museum, Porto, Portugal  
Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY  
Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, Netherlands  
Tate Modern, London, UK  
Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel  
V-A-C Foundation, Moscow  
Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY  
Zabludowicz Collection, London, UK