

The Pit

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Education

2013 MFA Visual Art, Brooklyn College (CUNY), Brooklyn, NY
School of Visual, Media and Performing Arts.
2009 BA Writing and Literature, Naropa University, Boulder, CO
Jack Kerouac School of Disembodied Poetics.

Solo and Two Person Exhibitions

2024

Linger Longer, Morgan Presents, Chelsea, New York.

2023

Devil Town, The Pit, Los Angeles, CA.

2022

Stranger Than Paradise, Carl Koystal Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden.

2021

Donald Odita & Sam Jablon: Color/Code, Morgan Presents, New York, NY
Bad Time (with book), Ballon Rouge Collective, Brussels, BE
Mike Cloud + Sam Jablon: blurred life time, the Landing, Los Angeles, CA.

2020

Chaos, Ober Gallery, Kent, CT
Nothing Bad Happens, Nancy Littlejohn Fine Art, Houston, TX.

2019

Mark Flood + Samuel Jablon: *Dirty Words*, Mindy Solomon, Miami, FL
Don't Panic (curated by Francesca Gavin) (with catalogue), Ballon Rouge
Collective, London, UK.

Burnt By Sun, Reading Room, Dallas, TX.

2018

UNSTUNG (with catalogue), Freight + Volume, New York, NY.

Doomed (curated by [Brigitte Mulholland](#)), Ballon Rouge Collective, Los
Angeles, CA.

2016

Over Heard, Diane Rosenstein, Los Angeles, CA

Life is Fine (with catalogue), Freight + Volume, Arts + Leisure, New
York, NY.

2014

WORD:PLAY (with catalogue), Freight + Volume, New York, NY.

Group Exhibitions

2024

Halfway to Sanity, The Pit, Los Angeles, CA.

2023

NADA Miami, The Pit, Miami, FL.

Morphologies, TOTAH Gallery, New York, NY.

Wave Pattern Part 2, Wave Pattern, New York, NY.

2022

Beyond the Black Hole, The Pit Palm Springs, Palm Springs, CA.

NADA Miami, The Pit, Miami, FL.

2021

Hospitalet Sessions, Carl Kostyál, Stockholm, SE.

Wild Frontiers, The Pit, Los Angeles, CA.

2020

Show Me The Signs, Blum & Poe, Los Angeles, CA.

Transatlantico, Mana Contemporary, Jersey City, NJ.

New Wave, (curated by David Williams), Anna Zorina Gallery, New York,
NY.

2019

Club Inaugural, Ballon Rouge Collective, Brussels, BE.

Notebook (curated by Joanne Greenbaum), 56 Henry, New York, NY.

Mind, Body, Soul (Maysha Mohamedi, Spencer Lewis, Samuel Jablon)

Lowell Ryan Projects, Los Angeles, CA.

2018

Under/erasure (curated by Heather and Raphael Rubinstein), Pierogi, New York, NY.

Museum Of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit Michigan, Benefit Auction Polarities, TOTAH, New York, NY.

2017

I Love John Giorno, Artists Space, New York, NY.

The Roger Ailes Memorial Show, Yours Mine and Ours Gallery, New York, NY.

The Tyranny of Common Sense Has Reached Its Final Stage (curated by Tomas Vu-Daniel and Rirkrit Tiravanija), The LeRoy Neiman Gallery, Columbia University, New York, NY.

2016

When Artists Speak Truth, The 8th Floor (Shelly and Donald Rubin Foundation), New York, NY.

2015

Idea City, New Museum, Art In Odd Places, New York, NY.

Your Bad Self (with catalogue), Arts & Leisure, New York, NY.

Material Transaction (curated by Alejandro Jassan), Spring Break Art Show, New York, NY.

Storefront TV: O Me! O Life! Storefront for Art and Architecture, New York, NY.

2014

ETERNiDAY, Queens Museum, Queens, NY.

Drawn to Language, Children's Museum of Art, New York, NY.

2013

Transform The World! Poetry Must Be Made By All! (curated by Kenneth Goldsmith), Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

Poet Sculpture, DUMBO Arts Festival, Brooklyn, NY.

do it (outside), Socrates Sculpture Park, Queens, NY.

Soap Box Poets, HOWL Festival, Tompkins Square Park, New York, NY.

Public Collections

JP Morgan Chase
Abroms-Engel Institute for the Visual Arts
City University of New York
Pen America

Publications

Samuel Jablon: *Bad Time*, Ballon Rouge Collective, 2021
Samuel Jablon: *Unstung*, Freight + Volume, 2018
Grunthaner, Jeff. *Conversations in contemporary poetics*, Hauser & Wirth Publishers, 2017
Samuel Jablon: *Life is Fine*, Arts + Leisure, 2016
Samuel Jablon: *WORD:PLAY*, Freight + Volume, 2014

Selected Bibliography

2020

Sommer, Erik, "In The Studio: Samuel Jablon." Mott Projects, December 10
Freeman, Nate. "Editors' Picks: 13 Virtual Art Events Not to Miss This Week, From the Debut of Ibrahim Mahama's Latest Project to Studio Visits With NADA." Artnet News, May 25
Schultz, Abby. "NADA Supports Dealers and Artists With Digital FAIR." Barrons, May 20
Binlot, Ann. "Samuel Jablon and Mark Flood talk dirty words, hedonism, psychotropic drugs." Document Journal, February 11
Editors. "20 Painters Who Are Shaping the New Decade". The Daily Collector, January 20th

2019

Binlot, Ann. "The Highlights Of Miami Art Week 2019: The Parties Continue, The Art World Goes Bananas At Art Basel in Miami Beach." Forbes, December 13
Angeleti, Gabriella and Ludel, Wallace. "Three exhibitions to see in Miami this weekend." The Art Newspaper, December 12
Woolridge, Jane. "Get a jump on Art Basel 2019 at Miami Progressive Art Brunch." Miami Herald, November, 28
Meyer, James. NOTEBOOK 56 Henry, Artforum May Issue

Russeth, [Andrew](#). "Six Superb Shows in New York: Jessi Reaves, Mimi Gross, Nolan Simon, 'Strategic Vandalism,' 'Notebook,' and Caroline Goe". ARTnews March 38
Ely, Paulette. MIND BODY SOUL INSTALLMENT, [Flaunt Magazine](#), February 7
Heinrich, Will. What to See in New York Art Galleries This Week, New York Times January 23
Martin, Brittany. The Best Exhibits at Museums and Galleries in L.A. in January, Los Angeles Magazine January
Corwin, William. Under Erasure, Brooklyn Rail December 11

2018

Chapman, Ryan. Samuel Jablon: Unstung, Brooklyn Rail October Issue
Editors. The Top 25, Cultured Magazine, Fall Issue
One Piece: "Linger Longer by Samuel Jablon." BOMB Magazine, January 26

2017

Munro, Cait. "Speeding BULLETS: Artist Sam Jablon", BULLET, June 15

2016

Truax, Stephen. "Samuel Jablon Interview," CRUSHfanzine, September 16
Golden, Dan, "Interview Samuel Jablon," Curator, September, 13
Grunthaner, Jeff. "Paintings that Set Letters and Language Free," Hyperallergic, May 11
Editors. "Samuel Jablon Life is Fine' at Freight + Volume," ARTnews, May 9
Winstead, Ed, "Samuel Jablon," Interview Magazine, pp.30. April Issue
Griffin, Rashawn, "An Interview with Samuel Jablon," Whitehot Magazine, April 12
Henry, Adam, "Between seeing and reading, Two Coats of Paint, April 2
Mooney, Tyrrell, "Samuel Jablon Studio Visit," MTV RE:DEFINE, January 25

2015

Holman, Bob, "Samuel Jablon & Stefan Bondell," Interview, The Brooklyn Rail, pp. 78-79, April Issue

2014

Morse, Trent. "Samuel Jablon at Freight + Volume, Review," ARTnews, p. 117, December Issue
Frederick, Jeff. "Samuel Jablon, Review," Art In America, pp. 179-180, November Issue

Plagens, Peter. "Artist Mixes Texts, Images in Exhibition Titled 'Word:Play'," The Wall Street Journal, pp. A19. August 30
Hyde, James. "Samuel Jablon," Artists on Artists, BOMB Magazine, pp. 125-127, Issue 127 / Spring

Selected artist talks

The Brooklyn Rail, The New Social Environment: Artist talk with Mike Cloud

UAB's Abrams-Engel Institute for the Visual Arts, AEIVA, Birmingham, AL, Artist Talk

Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY, Visiting Artist Lecture

Tyler School of Art / Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, Visiting Artist Lecture

2014 Whitney Biennial, New York, NY, Critical Practices,

LaTableRonde, Roundtable: On Curating and Authorship

Hunter College, New York, NY, Visiting Artist Lecture