

**Malcolm LE GRICE**

(b.1940, Plymouth, UK - )

Lives and works in Thurlestone, UK

**SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2017 *Malcolm Le Grice: Present Moments and Passing Time*, Plymouth, UK
- 2013 *Malcolm Le Grice*, BCúbico, Recife, Brasil
- 2011 *Malcolm Le Grice: Le Temps des Images*, Espace Multimédia Gantner, Bourgogne, France
- 1997 *Retrospectiva Malcolm Le Grice*, Filmoteca de la Generalitat Valencia, Valencia, Spain
- 1972 *Survey of the Avant-Garde in Britain*, Gallery House, London, UK
- 1968 *Malcolm Le Grice: Location? Duration*, Arts Laboratory Drury Lane, London, UK

**SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2017 *The Boys are Back in Town*, Richard Saltoun Gallery, London, UK  
*This Way Out of England: Galerie House in Retrospect*, London, UK  
*Dreamlands: Expanded*, Microscope Galerie, London, UK
- 2015 *Whitchurch Down*, in *History is Now*, Hayward Gallery, London, UK
- 2012 *Film in Space*, Camden Arts Centre, London, UK
- 2007 *Sobre la historia (On History)*, Fundación Santander, Madrid, Spain
- 2004 *Behind the Facts. Interfunktionen*, Fundación Juan Miró, Barcelona, Spain. This exhibition travelled to: Fundação Serralves, Porto, Portugal; Kusthalle Friedricianum, Kassel, Germany; Museum of Modern Art, Bogota, Columbia  
*Expanded Cinema Festival*, Phoenix Halle, Dortmund, Germany
- 2003 *A Century of British Artists Film and Video*, Tate Britain, London, UK  
*X-Screen*, MUMOK, Vienna, Austria
- 2002 *Shoot Shoot Shoot*, Tate Modern, London (touring), UK
- 2000 *Live in Your Head*, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, UK
- 1997 *Arte en la era electronica*, Barcelona, Spain
- 1995 *La couleur au cinéma*, Louvre, Paris, France  
*The Director's Eye*, Oxford Museum of Modern Art, Oxford (touring), UK
- 1985 *13th Music Biennale*, Zagreb, Croatia
- 1979 *Film as Film*, Hayward Gallery, London, UK
- 1977 *Documenta 6*, Kassel, Germany  
*Film als Film*, Cologne, Berlin and Essen, Germany
- 1976 *Arte Inglese Oggi*, Palazzo Reale, Milan, Italy  
*Une Histoire du Cinéma*, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
- 1974 *Projekt '74*, Cologne, Germany
- 1973 *Paris Biennale No.8*, Paris, France
- 1972 *Filmaktion*, Walker Art Gallery, Liverpool, UK
- 1970 *Systems in Art*, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London

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## SELECTED SOLO SCREENINGS

- 2014 The EYE, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2013 *Man with a Projector* in Performa13 Festival, Eyebeam, New York, NY
- 2010 *Malcolm Le Grice: The Images of Time*, Dunedin City Art Gallery, Dunedin, New Zealand. This exhibition travelled to: New Zealand Film Archive, Wellington, New Zealand; Gus Fisher Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand; Govett Brewster Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand; Performance Space, Sydney, AU; Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane, Australia; Brisbane International Film Festival, Brisbane, Australia
- 2008 *Malcolm Le Grice* (installations & performances), Tate Modern, London, UK
- 2007 Rotterdam Film Festival, Rotterdam, Netherlands  
Osnabrück Media Arts Festival, Osnabrück, Germany
- 2006 Filmwinter, Stuttgart, Germany  
IVAM (Museum of Modern Art Valencia) Taller de Artista, Valencia, Spain
- 2002 Lethaby Gallery, London, UK
- 1999 Art Gallery of Ontario, Cinemathèque, Toronto, Canada
- 1998 Deutsches Film Museum, Frankfurt, Germany
- 1996 *Chronos Fragmented*, Watershed Media Centre, Bristol, UK
- 1995 *Chronos Fragmented*, Scientific Society Lecture Theatre, London, UK  
Zagreb Mediascape, Zagreb, Croatia
- 1984 Institute of Contemporary Arts, London, UK
- 1983 Multi Media Centre, Zagreb, Croatia
- 1977 Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, PA  
Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY  
Pacific Film Archive, Berkeley, CA
- 1976 Stelijck, Amsterdam, Netherlands  
Palais des Baux Arts (BOZAR), Brussels
- 1975 Kölnischer Kunstverein, Cologne, Germany
- 1973 Danish Film Museum, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1970 International Arts Symposium, Lublin, Poland

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- 2014 *Assembly: A Survey of Recent Artist's Film and Video in Britain 2008-2013*, Tate Britain, London, UK
- 2013 *Cinéma élargi en Europe: Journée d'études et soirée de performances*, Cinéma Spoutnik, Geneva, Switzerland
- 2012 *Filmaktion* (installations & performances), Tate Modern, London, UK
- 2010 *Filmforum: Kino im Museum Ludwig*, Cologne, Germany
- 2009 *Mostravideo*, Itaú Cultural, São Paulo, Brasil
- 2008 *Kill Your Timid Notions KYTN* (performance with Keith Rowe), Dundee Art Centre, Dundee, UK
- 2007 *European Media Art Festival*, Osnabrueck, Germany  
*Le Grice – Raban – Sherwin Live Cinema & Shoot Shoot Shoot*, Palais de Beaux Arts (BOZAR), Brussels, Belgium

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- 2006 *Bits in Motion: Early British Computer-Generated Art Film*, National Film Theatre, London, UK  
*The Artists Cinema*, Frieze Art fair, London, UK
- 2004 *Avanto Media Art Festival*, Avanto, Helsinki, Finland  
*Kill Your Timid Notions KYTN* (performance with John Tilbury and Eddie Prevost), Dundee Art Centre, UK  
*Strange Screen*, Film Museum Thessaloniki, Greece  
*Cork Film Festival*, Cork, Ireland
- 1997 *Ciber@RT III Muestra Internacional de Nuevas Tecnologias*, Valencia, Spain  
*Film Festival*, Oberhausen, Germany
- 1996 *Pandaemonium*, Institute of Contemporary Art, London, UK
- 1995 *Digital Dreams*, Newcastle, UK
- 1987 *Film Festival*, Osnabrueck, Germany  
*Film Festival*, Moscow, Russia
- 1983 *Film Festival*, Berlin, Germany  
*Film Festival*, Hyères, France
- 1978 *Film Festival*, Montreal, Canada
- 1977 *Film Festival*, Edinburgh, UK  
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- 1976 *Film Festival*, Edinburgh, UK  
*Film Festival*, Berlin, Germany
- 1974 *Film Festival*, Oberhausen, Germany
- 1973 *Festival of Independent Avant-Garde Film*, London, UK  
*Film Festival*, Edinburgh, UK
- 1972 *Film Festival*, Hamburg, Germany
- 1970 *Festival de Cannes*, Cannes, France  
*Film Festival*, Lucerne, Switzerland
- 1969 *Film Festival*, Tokyo, Japan  
*Festival de Cannes*, Cannes, France  
*Film Festival*, Edinburgh, UK
- 1968 *Film Festival*, Bremen, Germany

### FILM/VIDEOGRAPHY

#### SINGLE AND MULTI-SCREEN FILM (ORIGINAL 16MM)

- China Tea*, 1965, (8mm), 10 minutes, colour, silent  
*Castle 1*, 1966, 22 minutes, bw  
*Little Dog For Roger*, 1967, 12 minutes, bw  
*Yes No Maybe Maybenot*, 1967, 7 minutes, bw  
*Talla*, 1967, 20 minutes, bw, silent  
*Blind White Duration*, 1967, 10 minutes, bw, silent  
*Castle Two*, 1968, 32 minutes, bw, two-screen  
*Spot the Microdot*, 1969, 10 minutes  
*Your Lips 1*, 1970, 3 minutes, silent (computer generated)  
*Lucky Pigs*, 1970, 4 minutes, bw, three screen  
*Reign of the Vampire*, 1970, 16 minutes, bw (one and two screen versions)  
*Berlin Horse*, 1970, 9 minutes (one, two and four screen versions)  
*Love Story 2*, 1971, 10 minutes, (two screen)  
*"1919"*, 1971, 12 minutes, three screen  
*Your Lips 3*, 1971, 3 minutes (computer generated)  
*Newport*, 1972, 15 minutes, bw, silent  
*Whitchurch Down*, 1972, 10 minutes, (one and three screen versions)

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*Threshold*, 1972, 17 minutes, (one and four screen versions)  
*Blue Field Duration*, 1972, 8 minutes, two screen  
*White Field Duration*, 1973, 12 minutes, two screen  
*After Leonardo*, 1973, 22 minutes, six screen and performance  
*Don't Say*, 1973, 10 minutes, two screen  
*After Lumiere - l'arroseur arrosé*, 1974, 12 minutes  
*After Manet - le déjeuner sur l'herbe*, 1975, 60 minutes, four screen  
*Academic Still Life*, 1976, 6 minutes  
*Time and Motion Study*, 1976, 12 minutes  
*Blackbird Descending - tense alignment*, 1977, 120 minutes  
*Emily - third party speculation*, 1979, 60 minutes  
*Finnegans Chin - temporal economy*, 1981, 80 minutes

### INSTALLATION/PERFORMANCE FILM WORKS

*Grass*, 1968, tape-slide, appx. 10 minutes  
*Wharf*, 1968, film-tape-slide, appx. 30 minutes  
*Love Story 1*, 1971, film-shadow performance, appx. 8 minutes  
*Horror Film 1*, 1971, film-shadow performance, appx. 14 minutes DOC  
*Love story 3*, 1972, film-performance, 10 minutes  
*Horror Film 2*, 1972, 3D shadow-performance (red and green spectacles), appx. 25 minutes  
*Pre-production*, 1973, slide-performance, appx. 15 minutes N/A  
*Untitled*, six projector-performance, appx. 18 minutes  
*Four Wall Duration*, 1973, film-loop installation, continuous  
*Gross Fog*, 1973, film-loop installation, continuous  
*Joseph's Coat*, 1973, film-loop installation (or performance)  
*Principles of Cinematography*, 1973, film-performance 15 minutes  
*Screen Entrance Exit*, 1974, film-performance, appx. 10 minutes

### VIDEOS & TV COMMISSIONS

*Sketches for a Sensual Philosophy*, 1988, 60 minutes (video - TV Commission) includes:  
*Digital Still Life*, 1984-6, 8 mins, computer and video  
*Like a Fox* (with Gill Eatherly), 1988, 6 mins, video  
*Rock Wave*, 1988, 8 mins, video, music by Stewart Louis de Canonville  
*Arbitrary Logic*, 1984-86, 9 mins, computer and video  
*Juniper and the myths of origin*, 1988, music by AMM  
*Veritas*, 1988, 6 mins, video  
*Heads I Win - Tails You Lose*, 1986, 7 mins, computer and video  
*Beware*, 1988, 5 mins video  
*Et in Arcadia Ego*, 1988, 8 mins, music by AMM  
*Trials and tribulations* - a collection of video works including:  
*Rape*, 1990, 3 mins, video  
*Weir*, 1993, 1 min 15 sec, video  
*Prelude*, 1993, 1 min 30 sec, video  
*Race*, 1993, 2 mins 20 sec, video  
*Warsaw Window*, 1994, 2 mins, video  
*Cidre Bouche*, 1994, 1 min 20 sec, video  
*Balcony Water Colour*, 1994, 3 mins, video  
*Seeing the Future*, 1994, 1 min, video  
*Out of the Crypt*, 1995, 12 mins, video  
*For the Benefit of Mr K*, 1995, 1 min, video  
*Joseph's New Coat*, 1995, 16 min, video  
*Chronos Fragmented*, 1995, 55 mins (broadcast on Channel Four, 17 July 1997)  
*The Cyclops Cycle* - series of three screen video works including:  
*Joseph's Newer Coat*, 1998, 16 mins, three screen video  
*Even the Cyclops Pays the Ferryman*, 1998, 17 mins, three screen video  
*Still Life and Lunch in Little Italy*, 1999, 7 mins, three screen video  
*Jazzy Jazzy Jazzy*, 2000, 5 mins, three screen video  
*Neither Here Nor There*, 2001, 8 mins, three screen video  
*Traveling with Mark*, 2003, 6 mins, three screen video  
*Cherry*, 2003, 2 mins, three screen video  
*Unforgettable - that's what you are*, 2002, gallery video and photo installation  
*Digital Aberration*, 3 minutes, 2004 (video)  
*Portraits and Particulars Series*  
*Critical Moment, one*, 2004, 1 minute, video  
*Autumn Horizon number 3*, 2005, 6 minutes, video

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*Unforgettable (that's what you are)*, 2006, 5 minutes, video (single screen new version)  
*Lecture to an Academy*, 2006, 9 minutes, video  
*Of Keys and Beauty*, 2006, 2 minutes video  
*Anthony Dundee*, 2006, 2 minutes video  
*Waiting for Ian*, 2006, 3 minutes video  
*H2O-0C-24.02.06-12.01GMT - 03,50.40W - 50.16.30N*, 2006, 3 minutes video  
*DENISINED - SINEDENIS*, 2006, 3 minutes video  
*Again Finnegan*, 2006, 3 minutes, video  
*Taint*, 2007, 3 minutes, video  
*Self Portrait after Raban Take Measure*, 2008, 8 minutes 20 seconds, video  
*After Monet a sketch*, 2008, 8 minutes 20 seconds, video  
*Absinthe*, 2010, 1 minute, video  
*Jonas*, 2013, 3 minutes, video  
*Yann*, 2014, 9 minutes, video  
*FINITI*, 2011, 40 minutes, multi-screen video  
*Where When*, 2015, 26 minutes, stereoscopic video

## PERFORMANCE WORK WITH OTHER MEDIA

1989                    Improved and Computer Music event with Keith Rowe, London Film-makers Cooperative, London, UK  
  
1974                    *Videobscura*, cctv and polaroid performance, Exeter, UK  
*After Leonardo*, cctv video installation, Exeter, UK  
  
1970                    *Typodrama*, computer generated text for performer,s, Computer Arts Society's 'EVENT ONE', Royal College of Art, London, UK  
  
1968                    *Drama in a Wide Media Environment*, extended performance and multi-media event, Drury Lane Arts Lab, London, UK

## THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE VIDEO (AS CINEMATOGRAPHER, EDITOR)

1994                    Conquest of the South Pole, by Manfred Karge, dir, Josephine Le Grice, Toronto, Canada  
  
1993                    The Hatchet Man, by Thomas Coyle, dir. Josephine Le Grice, London, UK

## COMPUTER MUSIC

1990                    *Digital Still Life*, 9 minutes. pub Matchless Music  
*Heads I Win*, 8 minutes, computer and keyboard improvisation. Matchless Music  
  
1989                    *Arbitray Logic*, interactive computer music composition, Matchless Music

## PUBLICATIONS

### BOOKS AS AUTHOR

2001                    *Experimental Cinema in the Digital Age*, BFI Publications, London  
  
1977                    *Abstract Film and Beyond*, Studio Vista, MIT. Greek translation, Ekdozeiz Kaztaniioth

### SECTIONS IN BOOKS

1975                    *Film im Underground*, p. 176-182 Hein, Ulstein  
  
1974                    *Computer Animation*, ed. John Hallas, Focal Press. p. 161-168  
*Independent Film Making Lenny Lipton, Post-script to UK version*, Studio Vista

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### MAIN THEORETICAL ESSAYS OR CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

- 2011 Len Lye (Exhibition Review), Frieze Issue 139, May, p 141  
*History Lessons*, Frieze issue 142, October, p. 222-227
- 2010 *Never the Same Again*, White Heat Cold Logic MIT Press  
*Radical Art and the Academy*, From Floor to Sky, A&C Black London, p. 134-159
- 2005 *I Am A Cinematographer*, (the films of Owen Land/George) Landow, Frieze Issue 90 April  
Isaac Julien (Exhibition Review), Frieze Issue 94, October
- 2003 *Maintenant et alors -Reflexions et presence*, Pratiques 14, Autumn, Presses Universitaires de Rennes p. 67-90  
*Three Strands of Experimental Cinema: Abstraction, Symbolism and Existentialism*, Gunvor Nelson and the Avant-Garde, Peter Lang GmbH, Frankfurt am Main 2003 p. 15-30  
*Interview - Maxa Zoller with Malcolm Le Grice*, X-SCREEN Catalogue, Museum Moderner Kunst Stiftung Ludwig Wien, Verlag der Buchhandlung Walther Konig, Kol, p. 136-147
- 2002 *Virtual Reality Tautological Oxymoron*, New Screen Media - ed. Rieser, Zapp. BFI Publications, London
- 2001 *Experimental Film and Digital Media*, Digital Aesthetics, Point issue 11, Spring/Summer, p.14-23  
*Improvising time and image*, Filmwaves Issue 14, p. 14-19  
*Snow Perspective and Time*, Almost Cover to Cover, Arnolfini, Bristol, p. 110-119  
*The State of the Art - Research in the Practical Arts-Doctorates-Autonomous Methodologies*, (with Stuart Evans) Criticism, legitimacy, transgression, ELIA Journal Vol III Issue 2 and 3. Pub Intellect, Bristol, UK  
*Research Training in the Creative and Performing Arts and Design*, co-authored report, UK Council for Graduate Education, p. 59. London
- 1999 *Digital Cinema and Experimental Film - continuities and discontinuities*, Bild - Medium - Kunst, p. 207-218, ed. Yvonne Spielman and Gundolf Winter, Wilhelm Fink Verlag, October
- 1998 *Takahiko Iimura - Getting the Measure of Time*, Takahiko Iimura catalogue for exhibition Lux Cinema, London, September  
*Kunst im Reich der Hydra-Medien, Film & Computer - digital media visions*, p. 116-127, Deutsches Filmmuseum, Frankfurt, October
- 1997 *Algunos conceptos teoricos para un cine interactive*, Arte en la era electronica p. 46-52, ACC L'Angelot and Goethe Institute, Barcelona  
*Ein Non-Linear Tradition - Experimentalfilm und Digitale Kino*, Katalog 43. Internationale Kurzfilmtage Oberhausen, p. 145-150.
- 1996 *Mapping in Multi Space - Vom Expanded Cinema zur Virtualitat*, White Cube/Black Box, p. 261-280 E.A. Generali, Wien
- 1995 Kismet Protagony and the Zap Splat Syndrome" CAD Forum No 4, Zagreb, Croatia  
*The Chronos Project*, Media Scape 3 Zagreb June; Vertigo no.5
- 1994 *The Place of Theory in Practical Art and Design*, conference paper MATRIX 2 London Institute March 1993 published by DALI
- 1990 *The Implication of Digital Systems for Cinema Theory*, Conference Papers for Im Off Der Geschichte , Vienna October, and in 'Interfaces - Image - Texte - Language' pub. Pole de recherche international sur les medias (PRISM)
- 1986 *Narrative Illusion vs Structural Realism*, Malcolm Le Grice and P. Adams Sitney, Millennium Film Journal no 16/17/18 Fall/Winter, p 309-327
- 1982 *Cinemology*, Undercut no 5, July, p. 27-29
- 1981 *Problematizing the Spectator Placement in Film*, Undercut no 1, March, p. 13-18
- 1980 *Towards Temporal Economy*, Screen Volume 20 3/4 January, p. 58-79
- 1979 *The History We Need*, Hayward Gallery Exhibition Catalogue, June, p. 113 - 117  
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- 1972 *Thoughts on Recent Underground Film*, Afterimage no 4. Autumn, p. 78-95  
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## COLLECTIONS

Archives du Cinema Experimental D'Avignon  
Centre Georges Pompidou  
German Cinematheque Archive  
National Film Library of Australia  
Royal Belgian Film Archive