# 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 Arts Centre, Plymouth, UK
2015	Malcolm Le Grice: No Idea, Richard Saltoun Gallery, London, 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	Dreamlands: Expanded, Microscope Gallery, Chelsea, New York, USA	
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, Fondación Juan Miró, Barcelona, Spain to: Fundação Serralves, Porto, Portugal; Kusthalle Friedricianum, Kasse 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, 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 Cinema, 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	41 Dover Street London W1S 4NS

# SELECTED SOLO SCREENINGS

2016	Crossing the Threshold, BFI Southbank, London
2014	The EYE, Amsterdam, Netherlands
2013	Man with a Projector in Performa13 Festival, Eyebeam, New York, NY
2010	Malcolm Le Grice: The Imaget 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	Stelijk, 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	Mostravídeo, 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, Palais de Beaux Arts (BOZAR), Brussels, Belgium
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 Technologias, 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 Film Festival, Berlin, Germany Film Festival, London, UK
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)

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 dejeuner 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, m usic 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

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-oC-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 Improvised 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**

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2005	I Am A Cinematographer, (the films of Owen Land/George) Landow, Frieze Issue 90 April Isaac Julien (Exhibition Review), Frieze Issue 94, October	
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2002	$\it Virtual\ Reality\ Tautological\ Oxymoron,\ New\ Screen\ Media$ - 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	
1008	Takahika Jimura - Cotting the Measure of Time Takahika Jimura catalogue for exhibition Lux	

1998 Takahiko Iimura - Getting the Measure of Time, Takahiko Iimura catalogue for exhibition Lux

Cinema, London, September

Kunst im Reich der Hudra-Medien, Film & Computer - digital media visions, p. 116-127, Deutsches

Filmmusaeum, Frakfurt, October

Algunos conceptos teoricos para un cine interactive, Arte en la era electronica p. 46-52, ACC L'Angelot 1997

and Goethe Institute, Barcelona

Ein Non-Linear Tradition - Experimentalfilm und Digitales Kino, Katalog 43. Internationale

Kurzfilmtage Oberhausen, p. 145-150.

Mapping in Multi Space - Vom Expanded Cinema zur Virtualitat, White Cube/Black Box, p. 261-280 1996

E.A. Generali, Wien

Kismet Protagony and the Zap Splat Syndrome" CAD Forum No 4, Zagreb, Croatia 1995

The Chronos Project, Media Scape 3 Zagreb June; Vertigo no.5

The Place of Theory in Practical Art and Design, conference paper MATRIX 2 London Institute March 1994

1993 publised 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
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1972	Thoughts on Recent Underground Film, Afterimage no 4. Autumn, p. 78-95 Real time/space, Art and Artists December, p. 39-43
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# **COLLECTIONS**

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