

THOMAS FRIEL

EDUCATION

- 2011 M.F.A., Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI, Sculpture  
2001 B.F.A., The University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA, Fine Arts, Printmaking

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS & PERFORMANCES

- 2020 *Not The Place*, The Front, New Orleans, LA  
2019 *Custom Interiors Template*, The Front, New Orleans, LA  
2019 *The Jungle*, Tiger Strikes Asteroid, Los Angeles, CA  
2018 *Tango*, Little Berlin, Philadelphia, PA  
2018 *You Want a Piece of Me?* New Orleans Museum of Art, New Orleans, LA  
2018 *Ohmman Sincerity*, The Front, New Orleans, LA  
2017 *Feed Me your Tears, As Long As your Tears Cry Money*, The Front, New Orleans, LA  
2016 *After Dinner Before Dancing*, Chicago Filmmakers, Chicago, IL  
2015 *Not There But Everywhere*, ACRE Projects, Chicago, IL  
2015 *LIVE TO TAPE*, Links Hall, Chicago, IL  
2015 *5 Systems / To Hell with Poverty!*, Defibrillator, Chicago, IL  
2015 *Picnics in a Polar Vortex*, Public Pool, Hamtramck, MI  
2014 *Divine Market Capitalism*, ACRE, Steuben, WI & W. Howard Studios, Pontiac, MI  
2014 *ACRE\_Lab Moving Image Reel #1*, Mana Contemporary Chicago, Chicago, IL  
2013 *Pivotal Drift*, AcheSpace, Hamtramck, MI  
2012 *New (and Then) Again: Cranbrook Art Museum Benefit*, Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
2012 *Open Source*, Detroit Center for Contemporary Photography, Detroit, MI  
2011 *Agency of Unrealized Projects*, Art Basel (in conjunction with Serpentine Gallery, London England, and e-flux.com) the Kopfbau, Basel, Switzerland  
2011 *Here, Here: The Graduate Degree Exhibition of Cranbrook Academy of Art*, Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
2010 *Easy Does It*, Forum Gallery, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
2010 *This is the Book I Have Written for You*, Park Life Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2010 *Swap Meet*, Forum Gallery, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI

PUBLICATIONS, JURIES, ETCS

- 2018 - 2020 Member, *The Front* Artist Collective, New Orleans, LA  
2017 Contributor, *Chicken or Beef*, *Chicken or Beef*, November  
2015 Juror, 2015 Session, ACRE (Artist Cooperative Residency and Exhibition), Steuben, WI  
2015 Review, *Dao Nguyen & Thomas Friel in ACRE @ Defibrillator Gallery*, Paul Germanos, Chicago Art World, February 24  
2015 Review, *Five Steps to Performative Lectures at Defibrillator*, Sid Branca, badatsports.com, March 11

2012 - 2015, Featured Contributor, badatsports.com  
2014 Contributor, *Pier Review* for EXPO Chicago  
2014 Resident, ACRE (Artist Cooperative Residency and Exhibition) Steuben, WI  
2013 Contributor, caretsandsticks.com  
2013 Contributor, wowhuh.com  
2013 Resident, ACRE (Artist Cooperative Residency and Exhibition) Steuben, WI  
2013 Visiting Artist, Oakland Community College, Auburn Hills, MI  
2011 Visiting Artist, College for Creative Studies, Detroit, MI  
2011 Intern, Matthew Barney's *Khu*, Detroit, MI  
2011 Guest Speaker, National Honor Society, Troy High School, Troy, MI  
2011 Panel Speaker, Southern Graphics Conference, St. Louis, MO  
2011 Juror/Organizer, *Sequence* Video Festival, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
2010 Co - editor, *Shit 'N' Read*; weekly criticism and reviews of Cranbrook student work, 10 issues