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#### Danh Võ

b. 1975, Vietnam

16:32, 26.05, 2009,2009

Late-nineteenth-century
chandelier,
© Danh Vö;
courtesy Galerie Chantal Crousel.
Photo: Aurélien Mole

# PRESS RELEASE THE THEA WESTREICH WAGNER AND ETHAN WAGNER COLLECTION

#### STARTING ON 10 JUNE 2016

MUSEUM, LEVEL 4

As an extension of «Cher(e)s Ami(e)s», presented in the refurbished areas of the Musée National d'Art Moderne since 23 March, this exhibition devoted to the collection of Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner pays tribute to the philanthropy of this couple of collectors from New York. They have promised over 850 works as a donation: 350 to the Centre Pompidou Foundation and 500 to the Whitney Museum of American Art in New York. Over the years, the couple built a living collection, representative of their own vision of collecting and patronage, keeping in constant dialogue with the artists.

The two institutions are presenting two consecutive exhibitions with a selection of works from this remarkable donation, at the Whitney Museum until 6 March 2016, then at the Centre Pompidou from 10 June 2016 to 6 February 2017. The exhibition's curators are Christine Macel, chief curator at the Musée National d'Art Moderne, in charge of the Contemporary and Prospective Creation department, and Elisabeth Sussman, curator and Sondra Gilman Curator of Photography at the Whitney Museum, together with Elisabeth Sherman, assistant curator at the Whitney Museum and Loïc Le Gall, assistant curator at the Musée National d'Art Moderne.



For this occasion, nearly 150 works will be unveiled to the public in an area within the permanent contemporary collections on the museum's 4th floor. The presentation in Paris highlights the European section of the donation, bringing together works by fifty-odd artists, with many works by major figures already well known in the contemporary scene - Eija-Liisa Ahtila, Martin Barré, Jeff Koons, Philippe Parreno, Christopher Wool and Heimo Zobernig - together with others who have established themselves more recently, like Claire Fontaine, Sam Lewitt, Paulina Olowska, Laura Owens, Josephine Pryde and Danh Vo. Some works complement other works already in the collection, by artists such as Ryan Gander and Keith Tyson, while several others are making their first appearance in the Centre Pompidou collections, like Michael Krebber, Lucy McKenzie and Simon Starling.

The Centre Pompidou Foundation, based in Los Angeles, was created in 1977 to encourage donations to the Centre Pompidou. In this way, the museum's collections are expanded from year to year, particularly with American art and design. The foundation has already acquired nearly 450 works for the Centre Pompidou.

This presentation, initiated with *Cherlels Amilels*, provides a chance to seek out testimonies from donors, artists and patrons, whose personal histories and passion make it possible to offer the public a living collection illustrating the diversity of contemporary creation.

#### Catalogue

The Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner Collection, edited by Christine Macel and Elisabeth Sussman, is co-published with the Whitney Museum of American Art as a hardback book of 352 pages. Indicated price: € 70.

With over 500 illustrations, the French version published by the Centre Pompidou (with the Editions du Centre Pompidou) contains essays by the curators, including a simultaneous interview with Christine Macel, Elisabeth Sussman, Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner, and a separate publication with numerous biographies and notices on works in the European section.

#### **STARTING ON 1 JUNE 2016**

#### Melik Ohanian, 2015 Prix Marcel Duchamp

Melik Ohanian, winner of the 2015 Prix Marcel Duchamp, will be exhibiting his work in a dedicated area on the 4th floor

#### **STARTING ON 14 SEPTEMBER 2016**

#### Presentation of a collection of contemporary Russian works

The Centre Pompidou is unveiling a collection of Soviet and Russian works from a recent and generous donation. This remarkable group of works for the most part produced during the Seventies and Eighties makes a spectacular addition to an already significant group of works presented in the collections of the Musée National d'Art Moderne.

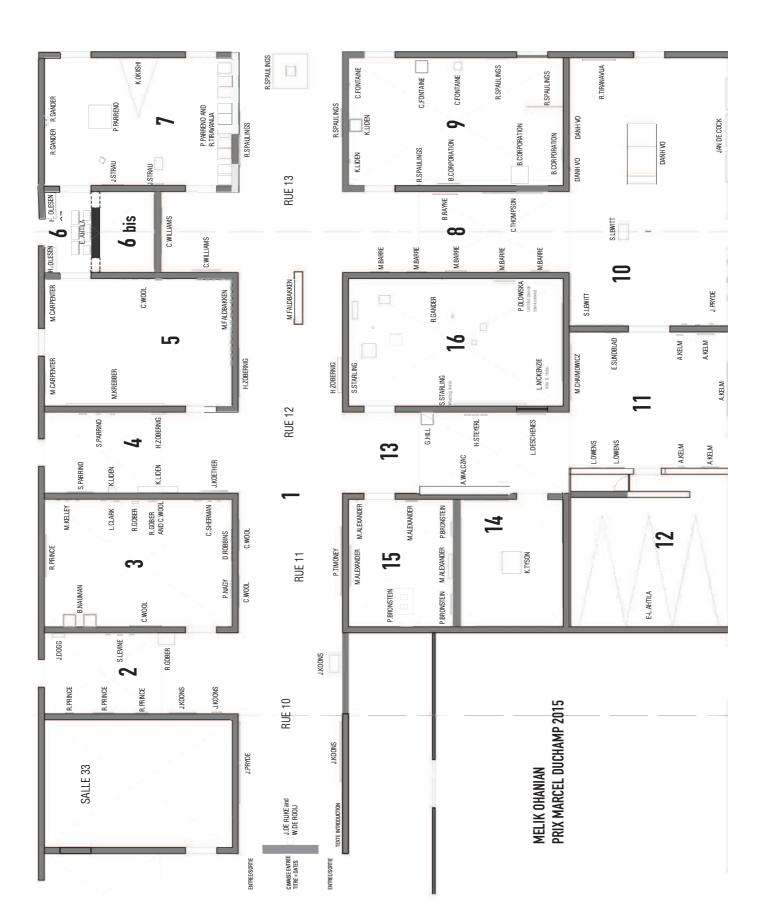
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# 2. PLAN OF EXHIBITION





# **EXHIBITION CIRCUIT**

The exhibition is conceived as an exploration of Thea and Ethan's collection, the curators seeking to bring out a certain consistency, a number of recurrent themes, so as to reveal an underlying strategy or highlight the motivation behind a certain acquisition. Works promised to the Whitney Museum of American Art hang alongside those going to the Centre Pompidou Foundation – the American foundation that supports the Centre's acquisitions policy – the whole offering not only an overview of the chronological development of an impressive private collection but also a history of art from the 1980s to the present. The first rooms (1 to 4) are devoted to older American works, notably those of the Pictures Generation – the appropriationists of the Eighties - among them Sherrie Levine, Richard Prince and Cindy Sherman. The irreverent photography of Larry Clark and Mike Kelley joins well-known paintings by Jeff Koons and Christopher Wool to complete a survey of American art that also extends to the radical works of Steven Parrino and a video by Bruce Nauman. The European part opens on the alternative, iconoclastic practice of such artists as Matias Faldbakken, Merlin Carpenter and Michael Krebber (Room 5). A number of themes recur throughout the exhibition: sexuality, notably in the works of Henrik Olesen and of Gilbert & George (Room 6, 6 bis and 12), the art-collecting world in Philippe Parreno and Rirkrit Tiravanija (Room 7), art as activism in Claire Fontaine and Klara Lidén (Room 9), the relationships between art, history and technology in Sam Lewitt and Danh Vo (Room 10), the reinterpretation of modernism in Ryan Gander and Paulina Olowska (Room 16), and more.



# 3. THE WORKS ON DISPLAY

#### **CENTRAL ALLEY - ROOM 1**

#### Matias Faldbakken

b. 1973, Denmark

Untitled (Locker Sculpture #01), 2010

Mixed media sculpture: metal lockers and lever

straps, 72 x 119 2/3 x 19 1/2 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Jeff Koons**

b. 1955; Pennsylvania, USA

Junkyard, 2002

Oil on canvas,  $102 \ 3/8 \times 138 \ \frac{1}{4} \ in$ 

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Jeff Koons**

b. 1955; Pennsylvania, USA

Poodle, 1991

Painted wood, 22 1/4 x 40 13/16 x 21 1/8 in

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Relax (grey), 2004

Two digital chromogenic prints, 49 3/16 x 91 in each Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Jeroen de Rijke and

b. 1970, Netherlands d. 2006, Ghana

#### Willem de Rooij

b. 1969, Netherlands

Bouquet III, 2004

Flower bouquet, vase, wooden pedestal, mounted wall text and image and a written description,

Dimensions variable

Loan of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Reena Spaulings

active 2004; New York, USA

Red FLAG, 2008

Acrylic and screenprint on linen, overall: 88 x 64 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Reena Spaulings

active 2004; New York, USA

Dealer Rack (Porte-Galleristes), 2007

Photo-offset lithographs and postcard rack, overall:

51 × 21 1/8 × 21 1/8in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Reena Spaulings

active 2004; New York, USA

The Dealers, 2007

Oil, acrylic, graphite pencil, and rhinestone earrings on canvas and linen, twenty parts, 28 x 22 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Pádraig Timoney

b. 1968, United Kingdom

Stari Most, 2007

Rabbit skin glue, pigment, and wood on canvas,

102 3/8 x 157 1/2 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Christopher Wool**

b. 1955, Boston, USA

He Said She Said , 2001

Silkscreen ink on linen, 108 x 72 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Christopher Wool**

b. 1955, Boston, USA

Untitled [Sans titre], 2002

Enamel on linen, overall: 107 13/16 x 71 15/16 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Heimo Zobernig

b. 1958, Austria

Untitled, 2004

Acrylic, blue box Trevira Television CS,  $78\,\%$  x  $78\,\%$  in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner



#### Heimo Zobernig

b. 1958, Austria *Untitled*, 2007

Swarovski round stones, Crystal/ Acrylbinder, pencil and acrylic on canvas, 78 3/4 x 78 3/4 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 2**

#### John Dogg

active 1986–2003; New York, USA Ulysses (Dogg), 1987 Stainless steel tire ring and engraved faceplate, automobile tire and rim, overall:  $28 \times 28 \times 8 \frac{1}{2}$  in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Robert Gober**

b. 1954; Wallingford, CT, USA

The Ascending Sink, 1985

Two sinks, plaster, wood, wire lathe, steel, and enamel, overall (each sink): 30 x 38 x 27 in

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#### **Jeff Koons**

b. 1955; Pennsylvania, USA

Dr. Dunkenstein, 1985

Chromogenic print, 35 3/4 x 22 in

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#### **Jeff Koons**

b. 1955; Pennsylvania, USA

Come Through with Taste — Myers's Dark Rum —

Quote Newsweek, 1986

Oil on canvas, 46 1/4 x 61 3/4 in

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#### Sherrie Levine

b. 1947; Hazleton, PA, USA

After Stuart Davis, 1984
Watercolor, opaque watercolor, pen and ink, and graphite pencil on paper, 13 7/8 x 10 15/16 in
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Sherrie Levine**

b. 1947; Hazleton, PA, USA

After Joan Miró, 1985

Watercolor, graphite pencil and opaque watercolor on paper, 13 7/8 x 10 7/8 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Sherrie Levine**

b. 1947; Hazleton, PA, USA
After Kasimir Malevich, 1985
Watercolor and graphite pencil on paper, 13 11/16
x 10 11/16 in
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Richard Prince**

b. 1949, Panama
Untitled (Cowboy), 1980-1984
Chromogenic print, 43 5/8 x 29 3/8 in
Edition 2/2
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

## **Richard Prince** b. 1949. Panama

Untitled (RP007) (Cigarettes), 1978-1979

Two chromogenic prints, 20 x 24 in each

Edition 5/10

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#### **Richard Prince**

b. 1949, Panama
Untitled (Joke: I went to see a psychiatrist...), 1987
Acrylic and graphite pencil on canvas, overall: 24 × 18 in
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 3**

#### Larry Clark

b. 1943; Tulsa, OK, USA
Untitled (blow job), 1972
Gelatin silver print, 13 7/8 x 10 7/8 in
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
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#### Larry Clark

b. 1943; Tulsa, OK, USA
42nd Street, 1979
Gelatin silver print, 14 x 10 15/16 in
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Robert Gober**

Newspaper, 1992 Photolithographs with string, 4 1/8 x 14  $\frac{1}{2}$  x 15  $\frac{1}{2}$  in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

# Robert Gober and Christopher Wool

b. 1955, Illinois, USA Untitled, 1988 Gelatin silver print, 19  $\frac{3}{4}$  x 16  $\frac{1}{2}$  Edition 2/10

b. 1954; Wallingford, CT, USA

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Mike Kelley

b. 1954; Detroit, MI, USA d. 2012; South Pasadena, CA, USA

Why I Got Into Art (Vaseline Muses) 16, 1989 Gelatin silver print, 10  $7/16 \times 8 \frac{1}{2}$  in + frame Edition 3/3

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich

#### Mike Kelley

b. 1954; Detroit, MI d. 2012; South Pasadena, CA, USA

Why I Got Into Art #2 (Vaseline Muses), 1989 Gelatin silver print, 10  $7/16 \times 8 \frac{1}{2}$  in + Frame Edition 3/3

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich

#### Mike Kelley

b. 1954; Detroit, MI d. 2012; South Pasadena, CA, USA

Why I Got Into Art #8 (Vaseline Muses), 1989 Gelatin silver print, 10  $7/16 \times 8 \frac{1}{2}$  in + Frame Edition 3/3

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Peter Nagy**

b. 1959; Bridgeport, CT, USA

Entertainment Erases History, 1986

Laminated Photostats with grommets, 24 x 40 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich

#### **Bruce Nauman**

b. 1941; Fort Wayne, IN, USA
Good Boy Bad Boy, 1985
Two-channel video installation, color, sound, 60
min and 52 min looped
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
Thea Westreich

#### **Richard Prince**

b. 1949, Panama

Nancy to Her Girlfriend, 1988

Acrylic and screenprint on canvas, 56 1/16 x 96 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich

#### **David Robbins**

b. 1957; Whitefish Bay, WI, USA

Talent, 1986

Eighteen gelatin silver prints, 10 5/8 x 8 5/8 in each

Edition 100/100

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich

#### **Cindy Sherman**

b. 1954, New Jersey, USA
Untitled (portrait), 1975
Gelatin silver print, 19 5/16 x 12 15/16 in
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Wagner

#### **Cindy Sherman**

b. 1954, New Jersey, USA

Untitled Film Still #27, 1979

Gelatin silver print, 10 x 8 in

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#### **Cindy Sherman**

b. 1954, New Jersey, USA
Untitled Film Still #23, 1978
Gelatin silver print, 8 x 9 15/16 in
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#### **Christopher Wool** b. 1955, Boston, USA

Untitled, 1990-1991
Enamel on aluminum, 108 x 72 in
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#### **ROOM 4**

#### Jutta Koether

b. 1958, Germany
 Demonic Options (large format #1), 2010
 Acrylic, liquid glass, mixed media, and accessories on three canvases, overall (large canvas area):60

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Klara Lidén

x 48 in

b. 1979, Sweden

Untitled (Trash Can), 2010

Found trash can, 26 x 16 x 12 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Klara Lidén

b. 1979, Sweden
Untitled (Poster Painting), 2007
Found posters, blank poster paper, and wheat paste, 30 x 24 in
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Steven Parrino

b. 1958; New York, NY, USA d. 2005; NY, USA Untitled, 1997 Enamel on canvas, 60 x 60 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Steven Parrino

b. 1958; New York, NY, USA d. 2005, NY, USA Exit/Dark Matter, 2002

Photo collage, 8 x 10 ½ in

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#### **Steven Parrino**

b. 1958; New York, NY, USA d. 2005, NY, USA

Exit/Dark Matter, 2002

Photo collage, 9 3/4 x 11 1/2 in

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#### Steven Parrino

b. 1958; New York, NY, USA d. 2005, NY, USA Untitled, 1998 Enamel and graphite on vellum, 17 x 18 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Heimo Zobernig

b. 1958, Austria Untitled, 1989 Mirror, synthetic lacquer, cardboard, 63 1/3 x 39 5/8 x 4 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift

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#### **ROOM 5**

#### **Merlin Carpenter**

b. 1967, United Kingdom

Black Painting #1 (I Like Chris Wool), 2007

Oil on canvas, 84 x 60 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and

Ethan Wagner

#### **Merlin Carpenter**

b. 1967, United Kingdom

Made in USA (The Very Idea), 2005

Oil and acrylic on canvas  $48 \times 60$  in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and

Ethan Wagner

#### Matias Faldbakken

b. 1973, Denmark

Remainder VII, 2009

Felt pen on ceramic tiles mounted on wall,  $95\,5/8$ 

x 231 x .08 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Michael Krebber

b. 1954, Germany

Bruce Jones, 2008

Windsurfing board and wall mounts,  $23 \frac{1}{2} \times 223$  in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift

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#### **Christopher Wool**

b. 1955, Boston, USA

Incident on 9th Street, 1997

Gelatin silver print, 11 x 14 in each

AP 3/4, edition of 12

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#### **ROOMS 6 AND 6 BIS**

#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland

Casting Portraits I, 1995–97

Two black-and-white photographs, 15 x 21 5/8 x 1/2

framed

Edition no. 1/10, 2 AP

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Ethan Wagner

#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland

Casting Portraits II, 1995–97

Two black-and-white photographs, 15 5/8 x 21 3/4

x 1/2 framed

Edition no. 1/10, 2 AP

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promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and

Ethan Wagner

#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland

Casting Portraits III, 1995-97

Three black-and-white photographs, 15 1/4 x 30

3/4 x 1/2 in framed

Edition no. 1/10, 2 AP

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#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland

Casting Portraits IV, 1995-97

Three black-and-white photographs,  $15 3/8 \times 31 \times 10^{-2}$ 

1/2 framed

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#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland

Casting Portraits V,1995-97

Three black-and-white photographs,  $15 \times 31 \times 1/2$ 

framed

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#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland

Casting Portraits VI, 1995-97

Four black-and-white photographs,

15 1/2 x 38 1/8 x 1/2 framed

Edition no. 1/10, 2 AP

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#### Gilbert & George

active 1969-, United Kingdom

Praying, 1980

Mixed media, 94 1/2 x 78 3/4 x 1 in

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#### Gilbert & George

active 1969-, United Kingdom *Up*, 1980

Mixed media, 95 1/4 x 79 1/2 x 1 in

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#### Henrik Olesen

b. 1967, Denmark

Untitled (Vitrine 1: Alice Austen etc.), 2007

Various materials, collages/ computer printouts in

Vitrine, 35.4 x 59.1 x 23.6 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Henrik Olesen

b. 1967, Denmark

Untitled (Vitrine 2: Life of Lili Elbe/ The

transformations of Forrest Benz.), 2007

Various materials, collages/ computer printouts in

Vitrine, 35.4 x 59.1 x 23.6 in

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#### **ROOM 7**

#### Ryan Gander

b. 1976, United Kingdom

Absorbing the sounds and the sights, 2009 Painted resin figure on a white shelf, 5  $1/8 \times 37/8 \times 37/8$  in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Ryan Gander

b. 1976, United Kingdom

Absorbing the sights and the sounds, 2009

Painted resin figure on a white shelf, 5  $1/8 \times 37/8 \times 37/8$  in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Ken Okiishi

b. 1978; Ames, IA, USA

(Goodbye) to Manhattan, 2013

Video, color, sound, 72 min, 4/3

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#### Philippe Parreno and

b. 1964, Algeria

#### Rirkrit Tiravanija

b. 1961, Argentina

Puppets, 2009

Mixed media, 29 1/2-34 1/4 in each

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Philippe Parreno

b. 1964, Algeria

Fraught Times: For Eleven Months of the Year it's an Artwork and in December it's Christmas, 2009

Cast and painting aluminum, 63 x 53 1/3 in

including top decoration

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Josef Strau

b. 1957, Austria

The Assistant, 2008

Ink, pencil, peals, and adhesive on canvas, mixed media lamp, painting: 50 x 48 in, overall dimensions variable

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Josef Strau

b. 1957, Austria

Bruno Schulz, 2007

Fabric, plastics, lacquer, metal, silver leaf, electrical components, wooden plinth, framed, sculpture: 39 x 26 5/8 x 19 in, photograph: 32 5/8 x 23 1/4 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner



#### **ROOM 7 BIS**

#### **Christopher Williams**

b. 1956; Los Angeles, CA, USA

Clockwise from Manufacturer Name (Outer Ring) Michelin..., 2008 Gelatin silver print, sheet: 24 x 20 in, frame: 37 1/8 x 33 5/8 x 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  in

Edition no. 7/10, 4 AP

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Christopher Williams**

b. 1956; Los Angeles, CA, USA Cutaway model Switar 25mm f1.4 AR..., 2007 Gelatin silver print, sheet: 20 x 24 in, frame: 33 5/8 x 37 1/8 x 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  in Edition no. 6/10, 4 AP Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Christopher Williams**

b. 1956; Los Angeles, CA, USA

Rollerstacker, R-136MR, 2005

Three chromogenic prints: sheet, 16 x 20 each; image, 15 x 18 1/2 each

Edition no. 8/10

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#### **ROOM 8**

#### Martin Barré

b. 1924, France d. 1993, France 60-T-47, 1960 Oil on canvas, 28 ¾ x 47 ¼ in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Martin Barré

b. 1924, France d. 1993, France 65-A-73x54, 1965
Oil on canvas, 28 ¾ x 21 ¼ in
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation,
promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and
Ethan Wagner

#### Martin Barré

b. 1924, France d. 1993, France 67-F-2-113x105, 1967
Acrylic resin on fabric, 44 ½ x 41 1/3 in
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation,
promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and
Ethan Wagner

#### Martin Barré

b. 1924, France d. 1993, France
74-75-C-113x105, 1974-75
Oil on canvas, overall: 44 1/2 × 41 5/16 in
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Martin Barré

b. 1924, France d. 1993, France 90-91-96x112-C, 1990-1991 Acrylic resin on fabric, 37 7/8 x 44 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Blake Rayne

b. 1969; Lewes, DE, USA

Untitled Painting #12, 2008

Acrylic and oil on linen, 84 3/16 x 58 3/16 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Cheyney Thompson**

b. 1975; Baton Rouge, LA, USA
Chronochrome 11, 2011
Oil on canvas, in two parts, overall (part one): 109 x 75 in, overall (part two): 29 x 75 in
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 9**

#### **Bernadette Corporation**

active 1994–, New York, USA
Nutten Chillen, 2010
Dornbracht Madison complete shower set with
etching and engraving, dimensions variable
Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from
Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner



#### **Bernadette Corporation**

active 1994– , New York, USA *Untitled (Table Sculpture)*, 2005

Table, color photograph, vase, and frames,  $43.31 \times 39.37 \times 39.37$  in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Bernadette Corporation**

active 1994– , New York, USA

Creation of a False Feeling, 2000

Chromogenic print, framed: 74 x 52 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Claire Fontaine

active 2004– , France
Passe Partout (Zurich), 2007

Hacksaw blades, keychains, and mixed media, dimensions variable

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Fondation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Claire Fontaine**

active 2004-, France

Tout objet depose ici sera détruit/ Any item left here will be destroyed, V.I., 2007

Wood, melamine, plexiglass, vitrine, scissors, knives, penknives, gaffer tape, razors, box cutter, etc.

45 1/4 x 17 1/3 x 17 1/3 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Claire Fontaine**

active 2004-, France

Instructions for the Sharing of Private Property, 2006 Digital video, color and sound, 45'23

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#### Klara Lidén

b. 1979, Sweden
Self Portrait with the Keys to the City, 2005
Digital print, 14 x 9 in
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Klara Lidén

b. 1979, Sweden 550 Jamaica Ave., 2004 DVD, 3 minutes

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#### Reena Spaulings

active 2004–; New York, NY, USA

Brick Flag Sculpture, 2007

Acrylic and grommets on canvas, with pole,
overall: 54 x 84 in

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Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Reena Spaulings

active 2004–; New York, NY, USA

Danica, 2008

Duratrans print and lightbox, overall: 36 1/4 x 45

5/16 x 6 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Reena Spaulings

active 2004–; New York, NY, USA Passe Partout Knockoff USA, 2008 Chain, saw blades, key rings, bullet case, plastic ring, and key fobs, overall:  $32\ 1/2\times4\ 3/4\times3/4$  in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 10**

#### Jan De Cock

b. 1976, Belgium

Denkmal 2, Astillero Ascorreta 2, Pasajes San Pedro, San Sebastian, 2004

Three lightboxes, 70 7/8 x 70 7/8 x 11 13/16 in each Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Sam Lewitt

b. 1981; Los Angeles, CA, USA

Paper Citizen 4321, 2010

Chromogenic print, sheet, 63 3/8 x 49 5/8 in; image, 62 1/2 x 48 7/8 in

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#### Sam Lewitt

b. 1981; Los Angeles, CA, USA *Paper Citizen 4322*, 2010

Chromogenic print, sheet, 63 3/8 x 49 5/8 in;

image, 62 1/2 x 48 7/8 in

Edition no. 1/3

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#### Sam Lewitt

b. 1981; Los Angeles, CA, USA Paper Citizen 4323, 2010

Chromogenic print, sheet, 63 3/8 x 49 5/8 in;

image, 62 1/2 x 48 7/8 in

Edition no. 1/3

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#### Sam Lewitt

b. 1981; Los Angeles, CA, USA

Paper Citizen 4324, 2010

Chromogenic print, sheet, 63 3/8 x 49 5/8 in;

image, 62 1/2 x 48 7/8 in

Edition no. 1/3

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#### Sam Lewitt

b. 1981; Los Angeles, CA, USA

Portfolio (MGM), 2008

Portfolio with ink drawing on paper, book page, inkjet print, board, and plastic sleeve, dimensions variable

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Liver (Depository), 2006

Chromogenic print, 15 1/4 x 10 1/4 in

Edition 3/3

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Liver (Paying in Slips), 2006

Chromogenic print, 15 1/4 x 10 1/4 in

Edition 1/3

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Liver (Supplies), 2006

Chromogenic print, 15 1/4 x 10 1/4 in

Edition 1/3

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Liver (Pen Holder), 2006

Chromogenic print, 15 1/4 x 10 1/4 in

Edition 1/3

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Liver (World is your ATM), 2006

Chromogenic print, 15 1/4 x 10 1/4 in

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#### Josephine Pryde

b. 1967 United Kingdom

Liver (Pen resting in liver), 2006

Chromogenic print, 15 1/4 x 10 1/4 in

Edition 2/3

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Rirkrit Tiravanija

b. 1961, Argentina

Untitled, 2000-2007 (newspaper clippings) III, 2007 Collage on board, overall: 47 9/16 x 75 1/16 x 2  $^{3}$ 4 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Danh Võ

b. 1975, Vietnam

02.02.1861, 2009

Ink on paper, 11 5/8 x 8 1/4 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Danh Võ

b. 1975, Vietnam

Carnation, 2010

Gold leaf on unfolded cardboard box,  $20 5/8 \times 27 3/16$  in

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#### Danh Võ

b. 1975, Vietnam 16:32:15 – 26.05.2009, 2009 Chandelier, dimensions variable

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 11**

#### Marc Camille Chaimowicz

b. 1947, France

Basel Sequence, 2011

Acrylic on plywood and graphite pencil, pastel, and paint on paper, six parts: five boards,  $96 \times 48$  in each; framed drawing,  $15 \cdot 1/2 \times 12 \cdot 3/4$  in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Annette Kelm**

b. 1975, Germany *Turning into a Parrot*, 2003 Chromogenic print, 19 5/8 x 15 3/4 in Edition no. 5/5, 2 AP

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Annette Kelm**

b. 1975, Germany

I Love the Giant Baby Panda; I'd welcome one to my veranda, 2003

7 Chromogenic prints, 19 5/8 x 15 3/4 in. each Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Annette Kelm**

b. 1975, Germany

Big Print #5, 2007

Chromogenic print, 44 1/16 x 39 ½ in

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#### Annette Kelm

b. 1975, Germany

Untitled (plates), 2010

Chromogenic print, 29 1/8 x 39 3/8 in

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#### **Annette Kelm**

b. 1975, Germany Yellow (Paisley), 2010

Chromogenic print, frame:  $14 \times 17$  in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Laura Owens

b. 1970; Euclid, OH, USA

Untitled (LO 312), 2006

Acrylic and oil on linen, 43 x 37 1/2 in

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#### Laura Owens

b. 1970; Euclid, OH, USA

Untitled (Berries), 2001

Spit-bite and lift-ground aquatint with spray paint,
35 1/4 x 24 7/8 in

Edition no. 23/30

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from

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#### **Emily Sundblad**

b. 1977, Sweden

Because he's alone, a sailor is always telling himself who he is, 2011

Oil on canvas, overall: 33 x 31 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 12**

#### Eija-Liisa Ahtila

b. 1959, Finland *If 6 was 9*, 1995

3-channel video installation in dolby stereo, archive master looped length: 90 minutes each tape (Original content length 10 min.)

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner



#### **ROOM 13**

#### **Antek Walczak**

b. 1968; Grand Forks, ND, USA

Cyberbarbarian – the meaning pervading technology hides itself, 2009-2013

4 painted posters, two silkscreen on canvas, camouflage wall painting, dimensions unknown Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Liz Deschenes

b. 1966; Boston, MA, USA

Green Screen #7

Enamel on linen, 50 x 66 in

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#### **Gary Hill**

b. 1951; Santa Monica, CA, USA Remarks on Color, 1994

Video and sound installation, color, sound, 45 minutes

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Hito Steyerl**

b. 1966, Germany Red Alert, 2007

Triptych, three films each thirty second looped; three thirty inch cinema flat screens, three mac minis, mounting system, connecting hardward, three cinema flat screens, thirty inches each 3 cinema flat screens, 30 in each

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 14**

#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom *The Thinker*, 2001

Software, ca. 118 x 50 x 43 in

Enamel sprayed aluminum, steel, computers,

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagne**r** 

#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing, (20 Questions), 1999

Mixed media on paper,  $60 \ 3/4 \ x \ 47 \ 5/8 \ in$ ,  $61 \ 3/4 \ x \ 49 \ 5/8 \ in$  framed

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing, (Right Wall + Roof Sections Ghent), 2000

Mixed media on paper,  $60\ 3/4\ x\ 47\ 5/8$  in paper,  $61\ 3/4\ x\ 49\ 5/8$  in framed

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing, (Potential...), 2000

Mixed media on paper, 60 3/4 x 47 5/8 in paper, 61 3/4 x 49 5/8 in framed

Unfinished wood frame, floated on mat with spacers and non-uv glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing, (A Window on an Infinite Cellular Blanket V2), 2000

Mixed media on paper, 60 3/4 x 47 5/8 in paper, 61 3/4 x 49 5/8 in framed

Unfinished wood frame, floated on mat with spacers and non-uv glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall drawing: Bouncing Bucephalus, 2000 Mixed media on paper

 $60 \times 47 \, 3/4$  in paper,  $62 \times 49 \, 3/4 \times 1 \, 3/4$  in framed, Signed, titled and dated on masonite backing Floated in a natural wood frame with 3/4" face on mat with non-UV glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: Pick a Card, Any Card - The Properties of One, 2001

Mixed media on paper,  $60 \times 47 \times 3/4$  in paper,  $62 \times 49 \times 3/4 \times 1 \times 3/4$  in framed

Signed K. Tyson 01 on gallery sticker on verso, floated in a natural wood frame with 3/4" face on mat with non-UV glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: Chemical Hitchhikers Await a Vehicle to another World, 2001

Mixed media on paper,  $60 \times 47 \ 3/4$  in paper,  $62 \times 49 \ 3/4 \times 1 \ 3/4$  in (157 x 126cm) framed

Floated in a natural wood frame with 3/4" face on mat with non-UV glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: The Thinker (after Rodin)-Technicals/ Notes, 2001

Mixed media on paper,  $60 \times 47 \ 3/4$  in paper,  $62 \times 49 \ 3/4 \times 1 \ 3/4$  in (157 x 126cm) framed

Floated in a natural wood frame with  $3/4^{\prime\prime}$  face on mat with non-UV glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing:The Paradigm Shift Is Upon Us, 2001

Mixed media on paper,  $60 \times 47 \ 3/4$  in paper,  $62 \times 49 \ 3/4 \times 1 \ 3/4$  in  $(157 \times 126 \text{cm})$  framed

Floated in a natural wood frame with 3/4" face on mat with non-UV glass

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: Game at South London Gallery, 2001

Mixed media on paper,  $59\ 3/4\ x\ 47\ 3/4$  in paper, unsigned, unframed

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: A Dissection of the Agonies, 2001

Mixed media on paper

 $59\ 1/2\ x\ 47\ 1/4$  in paper,  $61\ 15/16\ x\ 49\ 11/16$  in framed, Signed K. Tyson 02 on gallery sticker on recto, natural maple frame with natural wax finish, Cast Perspex glazing

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: Drowning in a teleological labyrinth (7th August 2003), 2003

Mixed media on paper, 61 13/16 x 49 5/8 in framed Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: "The block begins its journey..." 2003

mixed media on paper, 61 13/16 x 49 5/8 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing (There is Another World...Part 1 and Part 2), 2001

Mixed media on paper, (2) parts:  $61\ 13\ /16\ x\ 49\ 5/8$  in framed each, each panel titled and signed K. Tyson 01 on recto

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#### **Keith Tyson**

b. 1969, United Kingdom

Studio Wall Drawing: Miracle at the Conservationists, June 24, 2002

Mixed media on paper 59  $1/2 \times 47 \cdot 1/4$  in paper, 60 x 49 5/8 in framed, natural maple frame with natural wax finish, Cast Perspex glazing



#### **ROOM 15**

#### Mark Alexander

b. 1966, United Kingdom

Portrait of Francis Bacon by Lucian Freud, 2006 Oil on wood, 7 x 5 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Mark Alexander

b. 1966, United Kingdom *Untitled*, 1997-1999

Oil on canvas in artist's frame, glazed,  $39.5 \times 49.5 \times 3.5$  in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Mark Alexander

b. 1966, United Kingdom

Via Negativa (Sunflower Painting No.13), 2008

Oil on canvas, 28.76 x 36.25 in

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#### Mark Alexander

b. 1966, United Kingdom
The Victory Series I, 2003
Oil on canvas, 110 3/16 diameter
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#### Pablo Bronstein

b. 1977, Argentina Horological Promenade III, 2008 Two clocks on pedestals and ink wash and gouache on paper, plinth pedestals,  $44\,3/4\,x\,16\,1/4\,x\,11$  in each; drawing,  $23\,1/4\,x\,26\,1/4$  in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Pablo Bronstein

b. 1977, Argentina

Neoclassical Building with New Façade in the Style of Michael Graves, 2005

Ink, gouache, and pencil on paper, with frames; two parts 29  $1/2 \times 23 \cdot 1/4$  in each

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Pablo Bronstein

b. 1977, Argentina

Piazza with Temporary Festival Architecture, 2007 Ink and gouache on paper, 27 1/2 x 33 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### **ROOM 16**

#### Simon Starling

b. 1967, United Kingdom

Work, made ready in light of nature, 2003
Four wood and glass vitrines, two aluminum casts, and two aluminum objects, dimensions variable
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Simon Starling

b. 1967, United Kingdom
Weeding Aralia, 2002
Silkscreen on linen, 7 9/10 x 161 2/5 in
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Ryan Gander

b. 1976, United Kingdom

The Knowing, or Everything goes black, but your eyes are still open, that's it!, 2010

Bronze and wood, three parts: bronze figure, 39  $3/8 \times 97/8 \times 153/8$  in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Paulina Olowska

b. 1976, Poland

Untitled (Beside blank canvas), 2002

Oil on canvas, 69 x 49 in

Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

#### Lucy McKenzie

b. 1977, United Kingdom

After G. Hobe, Salon Library for the Great Exhibition, 1902, Turin, 2006

Acrylic and ink on canvas,  $105\ 1/8\ x\ 177\ 1/8$  in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner



#### **PROJECTION ROOM**

9 June – 26 September : Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner collection

9 June – 4 July : Hito Steyerl6 July – 1 August : Ed Atkins

• 3 August - 29 August : Klara Lidén

• 31 August – 26 September: Mark Wallinger

#### **Ed Atkins**

b. 1982, United Kingdom
Death Mask II: The Scent, 2010
HD Video 8 minutes 19 seconds
Edition 3 of 5
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised

gift from Thea Westreich

#### Klara Lidén

b. 1979, Sweden
DVD, 3 min
Edition 2/10
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner

#### Klara Lidén

b. 1979, Sweden
Corps de Ballet, 2010
Digital video, color, silent; 1:05 min
Édition 1/5
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner

#### Mark Wallinger

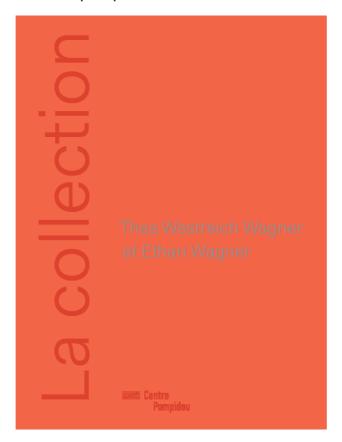
b. 1959, United Kingdom
Angel, 1997
Video BCSP format Digital Beta
Edition 8 of 10 plus one AP
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner

#### Hito Steyerl

b. 1966, Germany
In Free Fall, 2010
High Definition Video, single channel video, sound color, 32 min
Edition 1/7, 2 AP
Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner

# 4. PUBLICATION

#### **Centre Pompidou publication**



#### **Exhibition catalogue**

THEA WESTREICH WAGNER AND ETHAN WAGNER COLLECTION edited by Christine Macel and Elisabeth Sussman Co-published with the Whitney Museum of American Art A publication with 352 pages. Indicated price :  $\bigcirc$  70

With over 500 illustrations, the French version published by the Centre Pompidou (with the Editions du Centre Pompidou) contains essays by the curators, including a simultaneous interview with Christine Macel, Elisabeth Sussman, Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner, and a separate publication with numerous biographies and notices on works in the European section.



# 4. FROM THE CATALOGUE

#### **FOREWORD**

Serge Lasvignes, President Centre Pompidou Bernard Blistène, Director Musée national d'art moderne

This exhibition showcase part of the contemporary art collection of Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner, an exceptional ensemble of artworks that the couple has amassed over the course of nearly twenty-five years. In 2012 Westreich Wagner and Wagner, the Centre Pompidou Foundation—an institution intrinsically linked to the Centre Pompidou since its founding by Dominique de Menil in 1977 and the Musée national d'art moderne entered into a tripartite contract for a promised gift of more than three hundred works by some forty European artists. Represented in this impressive corpus are some especially well-known artists whose place in the history of twentieth-century art has long been assured, such as Eija-Liisa Ahtila, Martin Barré, and Philippe Parreno, as well as younger artists with clearly important works, among them Ryan Gander, Josephine Pryde, Danh Vo, and the collective Claire Fontaine. This unprecedented gesture leaves an indelible mark on the history of the Centre Pompidou. It is a compelling act of generosity and trust that will prove transformative for the character and structure of the museum's contemporary collections. It is reminiscent of the philanthropic spirit and prestigious tradition of collectors past, who through their generosity have helped shape the character of France's national collections. The donation by Louise and Michel Leiris in 1984 comes to mind, as does that by Daniel Cordier, presented at the Centre Pompidou in 1989, and, more recently, the January 2012 bequest of works on paper by Florence and Daniel Guerlain. There are myriad ways in which Westreich Wagner and Wagner are unique as contemporary art collectors. What stands out most, perhaps, is the couple's demonstrated, ongoing commitment to artists over the course of their careers. This can be seen in the depth and breadth of the work they have promised to the Centre Pompidou by such artists as Keith Tyson, Annette Kelm, and Klara Lidén. The couple has consistently done a great service to the many artists whose careers they have supported; they clearly are true art lovers. Westreich Wagner and Wagner have always made sure to nurture their own discourse around art, contributing to a wealth of discussions and debates, and regularly sharing their conception of contemporary art. Over the years, they have collaborated with artists on numerous artists' books; hosted seminars, exhibitions, and performances at their offices in New York's SoHo neighborhood; and offered a frank, clear vision, guided by passion of both collecting and living with art in their publication Collecting Art for Love, Money and More (Phaidon, 2013). And their collecting extends beyond contemporary art: they maintain a library of some 13,000 volumes, underscoring their unflagging interest in research and critical analysis. Through all of these activities, Westreich Wagner and Wagner have shown tenacious and enthusiastic dedication to the promotion of contemporary art, long the preserve of a few discerning collectors..(...)



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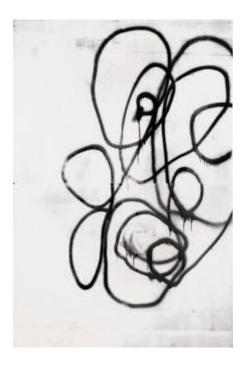




#### Josephine Pryde

Relax (grey), 2004

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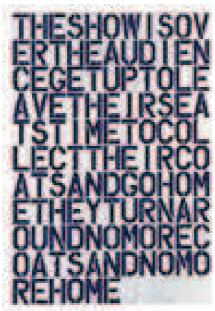
#### Christopher Wool

He Said She Said, 2001

Silkscreen ink on linen, 108 x 72 in

Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner

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#### Christopher Wool

Untitled, 2002

Enamel on linen, overall: 107 13/16 x 71 15/16 in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner Prêt du Whitney Museum.

 $\ensuremath{\mathbb{O}}$  Christopher Wool; Courtesy of the artist and Luhring Augustine, New York





#### Pádraig Timoney

Stari Most, 2007

Rabbit skin glue, pigment, and wood on canvas, 102 3/8 x 157 1/2 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner

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#### Cindy Sherman

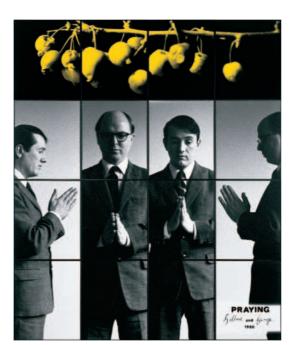
Untitled (portrait), 1975
Gelatin silver print, 19 5/16 x 12 15/16 in
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#### Michael Krebber

Bruce Jones, 2008

Windsurfing board and wall mounts, 23 1/2 x 223 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner © Michael Krebber; courtesy of the artist and Greene Naftali, New York



#### Gilbert & George

Praying, 1980
Mixed media, 94 1/2 x 78 3/4 x 1 in
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Ropac, Paris/Salzburg and Lehmann Maupin,

New York/Hong Kong





#### Klara Lidén

Self Portrait with the Keys to the City, 2005
Digital print, 14 x 9 in
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Wagner

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Jan De Cock

Denkmal 2, Astillero Ascorreta 2,

Pasajes San Pedro, San Sebastian, 2004

Three lightboxes, 70 7/8 x 70 7/8 x 11 13/16 in each

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#### Marc Camille Chaimowicz

Basel Sequence, 2011

Acrylic on plywood and graphite pencil, pastel, and paint on paper, six parts: five boards, 96 x 48 in each; framed drawing, 15 1/2 x 12 % in

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#### Ryan Gander

The Knowing, or Everything goes black, but your eyes are still open, that's it!, 2010 Bronze and wood, three parts: bronze figure, 39 3/8 x 9 7/8 x 15 3/8 in

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#### Paulina Olowska

Untitled (Beside blank canvas), 2002 Huile sur toile, 175,3 x 124,5 cm Oil on canvas, 69 x 49 in Deposit of the Centre Pompidou Foundation, gift from

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 $\hbox{@}$  Paulina Olowska ; courtesy of the artist

and Metro Pictures, New York.

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#### Lucy McKenzie

After G. Hobe, Salon Library for the Great Exhibition,
1902, Turin, 2006
Acrylic and ink on canvas, 105 1/8 x 177 1/8 in
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#### Mark Alexander

Self Portrait II, 1997-99
Oil on canvas with frame, 39 3/8 49 5/8 in
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#### Jeff Koons

<code>Junkyard</code>, 2002 Oil on canvas, 102 3/8  $\times$  138  $\frac{1}{4}$  in Loan of the Whitney Museum, promised gift from Thea Westreich Wagner and Ethan Wagner © Jeff Koons.



#### Hito Steyerl

In Free Fall, 2010

High Definition Video, single channel video, sound color, 32  $^{\circ}$  Director: Hito Steyerl

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London; Henie Onstad Museum, Oslo

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#### Danh Võ

16:32, 26.05, 2009, 2009

Late-nineteenth-century chandelier,

dimensions variable

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#### Eija Liisa Ahtila

If 6 was 9,1995

3-channel video installation in dolby stereo, archive master looped length: 90 minutes each tape (Original content length 10 min.)
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