

currently & in practice

- Performances and Experimental sets
 - The Radiohole
 - Fluxus
- Lorna Simpson
- Carrie Mae Weems
- Bill Viola
- Marta Rosler
- Sophie Calle
- Charles Ray
- Adrian Piper
- Bruce Nauman
- Chris Burden
- Mike Kelley

Performance and Conceptual Inspirations

- Jonas Mekas
- Chris Marker
- Ana Mendieta
- Joel Peter Witkin
- Rodney McMillian
- David Hammons
- Deanna Bowen
- Glenn Ligon

In Content

Installations and aesthetics

- Nam June Paik - Sculptures and Installations
- Tony Oursler - Installations and media sculptures
- Man Ray - Photograms, Photographs
- Ann Hamilton
- Kurt Vostell
- Mona Hatoum
- Glenn Ligon
- Adrian Piper
- Paul Etienne Lincoln
- Sol Lewitt
- Shigeeko Kubota
- Rodney McMillian
- David Hammons
- Pina Bausch
- Merce Cunningham
- Deanna Bowen

In Visual interaction

- Isaac Julien - Looking for Langston
- Chris Marker - Sans Soleil, La Jetee
- John Akomfrah
- Andre Serrano - Morgue Series, Piss Christ
- Duane Michals
- Jonas Mekas
- Peter Greenaway - Belly of an Architect, The Cook, The Thief, His Wife, Her Lover, A Zed & Two Noughts, Drowning by numbers, Pillow Book
- Pina Bausch
- Maya Deren - Divine Horseman
- Kalil Joseph - Music Videos
- Shirin Neshat
- Vim Wenders - Wings of Desire, Tokyo Ga
- Caravaggio
- Joel Peter Witkin
- Merce Cunningham
- Agnes Vargas

- Haiti
 - music
 - Voudou
 - stories, tales & Myths
 - painting
 - Sculpture
- Senegal
 - Visual Arts - clothing, weaving, batik, block prints, etc; Sculptures, icons, masks
 - Myths, tales, stories
 - Food
 - Architecture - Mali (Music), Niger (Architecture)
 - clothing, weaving, jewelry, etc
- West Africa
- in Origins
- Francis Bacon - Pope paintings
- Romare Bearden
- Dada
- Jean Michel Basquiat
- Glenn Ligon
- David Hammonds
- Eugène Delacroix - Orientalism
- Ingres
- Lawrence of Arabia - Carravagio
- Henri de Toulouse-Lautrec

- Jorge Luis Borges - Labyrinth
- Gabriel Garcia Marquez - 1000 years of solitude, Love in the age of Cholera
- Tony Morrison - Beloved, Jazz
- Andre Breton
- Miles Davis
- Eric Satie - Gymnopedies
- James Baldwin - go tell it on the mountain, Giovanni's Room
- Charlie Parker
- Bulgakov - Master and the Margarita
- Pablo Neruda
- Langston Hughes
- Duke Ellington
- John Coltrane
- Alice Coltrane
- Charles Mingus
- Thelonious Monk
- Reggae
- Albert Camus - The Plague (La Peste), The Stranger (L'Étranger), The Fall (La Chute)

In thoughts and emotions

- Ryan Threcartin - Video Art & Music Videos
- Kalil Joseph
- Ana Roxanne - Electronica & Contemporary Composition
- Julius Eastmann
- Merce Cunningham - Break Dancing, Ballet
- Pina Bausch - Modern
- Carol Dunham - Dance
- Roni Size - Drum & Bass
- Fugazi - Punk Rock
- Bad Brains
- Fela - Afro Beat
- kendrick lamar - Hip-hop
- Shabbazz Palaces
- Tricky - Trip hop
- Dennis Brown - Reggae
- Bob
- Lee Perry
- Steel Pulse
- Upsetters

Creative interaction

- George Bataille
- Jean Paul Sartre
- Fred Moten - Black & Blur, Stolen Life, The Universal Machine
- Lisa Lowe - The Intimacies of Four Continents
- John Cage
- Philip Glass
- 1st wave Feminism - Simone De Beauvoir - The Second Sex
- 2nd & 3rd wave feminism - Eileen Miles, Donna J. Haraway - Simians, Cyborgs, and Women
- Queer Theory
- Post Modernism
- Deconstructivism
- Slavoj Žižek
- Joseph campbell
- Michel Foucault
- Julius Eastmann
- Post Colonialist Theory - Aimé Césaire, Léopold Sédar Senghor
- David Hammonds - Noirism
- Albert Camus - Black existencialism - Frantz Fanon - Black Skin, White Masks
- Greil Marcus
- Michael Awkward - Negotiating Difference

ideas