

Robert Therrien

Born in Chicago, 1947

Lives and works in Los Angeles

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- Flag Art Foundation. New York, NY.
Size DOES Matter. 19 February – 27 May 2010. *
- MAC'c Musee des Art Contemporains, Site du Grand-Hornu. Hornu, Belgium.
Le fabouleux destin du quotidien. 7 February – 23 May 2010. *
- Gagosian Gallery. Beverly Hills, CA.
Meet Me Inside. 15 January – 27 February 2010.
- Kunstmuseum Basel, Museum für Gegenwartskunst. Basel, Switzerland.
From Dürer to Goyer; 101 Master Drawings from the Kupferstichkabinett. 3 October 2009 – 24 January 2010. *
- Sprüth Magers. Berlin, Germany.
ROBERT THERRIEN: Drawings. 1 May – 20 June 2009. †
- Tate Modern. London, England.
ARTIST ROOMS: The d'Offay Donation. 27 April 2009 for one year.
- Flag Art Foundation. New York, NY.
Wall Rockets. (travel: Albright-Knox Art Gallery. Buffalo, New York.) 3 October 2008 – 18 April 2009. *
- Cheim & Read Gallery. New York, NY.
"I won't grow up." 26 June – 29 August 2008.
- Kupferstichkabinett, Kunstmuseum Basel. Basel, Switzerland.
ROBERT THERRIEN: Works on Paper. 1 June – 7 September 2008. *†
- Gagosian Gallery, Chelsea. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 15 May – 11 July 2008. *
- Peres Projects. Berlin, Germany.
Sgozzata. 1 March – 19 April 2008.
- The Broad Contemporary Art Museum at LACMA. Los Angeles, CA.
The Inaugural Exhibition. 9 February – September 2008.
- Albright-Knox Art Gallery. Buffalo, NY.
The Panza Collection: An Experience of Color and Light. 16 November 2007 – 24 February 2008.
- Spruth Magers. Munich, Germany.
Uneasy Angel/Imagine Los Angeles. 14 September – 3 November 2007.
- The Museum of Modern Art. New York, NY.
Lines, Grids, Stains, Words. 13 June – 22 October 2007. *
- Museum of Contemporary Art. San Diego, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN: Tables and chairs. 10 June – 23 September 2007. †
- Albright-Knox Art Gallery. Buffalo, NY.
Remix the Collection: ROBERT THERRIEN. 26 January – 15 April 2007. †
- William Griffin Gallery. Santa Monica, CA.
Sculpture. 1 January – 24 March 2007.

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- Gagosian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
Sculpture. 12 July – 30 August 2006.
- Lora Reynolds Gallery. Austin, TX.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 14 March – 6 May 2006. †
- Centre Pompidou. Paris, France.
Los Angeles Art Scene, 1955 – 1985. Birth of an Artistic Capital. 8 March – 17 July 2006. *
- Albright-Knox Art Gallery. Buffalo, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN's No title (table and six chairs). Opens 24 February 2006. †
- Museum of Contemporary Art at La Jolla. San Diego, CA.
Selections from the Ruth and Murray A. Gribin Collection. 15 January – 7 May 2006.
- Public Art Fund. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN: Table and six chairs. 28 September – 28 November 2005. †
- Museum of Contemporary Art. San Diego, CA.
Southern Exposure. 18 September 2005 – 3 September 2006.
- William Griffin Gallery. Santa Monica, CA.
Weather. 12 July – 27 August 2005.
- Gagosian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 24 June – 10 September 2005. †
- Gagosian Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN: Two Recent Sculptures. 4 June – 29 July 2005. †
- Gagosian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
Works on Paper. 16 April – 14 May 2005.
- Inverleith House. Edinburgh, Scotland.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 7 August – 31 October 2004. †
- Philomene Magers/Monika Spruth. Munich, Germany.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 12 February – 3 April 2004. †
- Sprüth Magers Lee. London, England.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 10 February – 3 April 2004. †
- Gagosian Gallery. London, England.
Drawings. 29 January – 27 March 2004.
- San Jose Museum of Art. San Jose, CA.
The Not-So-Still Life: A Century of Painting and Sculpture. (travel: Pasadena Museum. Pasadena, California.) 22 November 2003 – 15 February 2004. *
- New York State Museum. Albany, NY.
Strangely Familiar: Approaches to Scale in the Collection of The Museum of Modern Art, New York. 5 April – 29 June 2003.
- Centro de Arte de Salamanca. Salamanca, Spain.
Comer o no Comer (To Eat or not to Eat). 23 November 2002 – 19 January 2003. *
- Von der Heydt Museum. Wuppertal, Germany.
Sammlung Rosencranz. 10 February – 31 March 2002. *
- Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Los Angeles, CA.
Four Decades of Art from the Broad Collection. 7 October 2001 – 6 January 2002. (travel: Corcoran Gallery, Washington, D.C. Museum of Fine Art, Boston, Massachusetts. Guggenheim, Bilbao, Spain.) *
- The Broad Art Foundation. Santa Monica, CA.
Selected Works, 2001-2002 Installation. 6 October 2001 – June 2002.

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- Gagosian Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 20 September – 27 October 2001. **
- Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego. La Jolla, CA.
Lateral Thinking: Art of the 1990s. 16 September 2001 – 13 January 2002. (travel: Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center. Colorado Springs, Colorado. Hood Museum, Dartmouth University. Hanover, New Hampshire. Dayton Art Institute. Dayton, Ohio.) *
- Doug Lawing Gallery. Houston, TX.
Locating Drawing. 20 January – 24 February 2001.
- Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Los Angeles, CA.
Made in California: Art, Image and Identity, 1900-2000. 22 October 2000 – 25 February 2001. *
- San Francisco Museum of Modern Art. San Francisco, CA.
The Anderson Collection; Selected Works. 7 October 2000 – 15 January 2001. *
- Tate Modern. London, England.
Tate Modern: Collection 2000. 2 October – 31 December 2000. *
- Museum of Modern Art. New York, NY.
MoMA 2000: Open Ends. 28 September 2000 – 2 January 2001. *
- Barbara Gladstone Gallery. New York, NY.
00: Drawings 2000 at Barbara Gladstone Gallery. 6 July – 31 August 2000.
- Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art. Kansas City, Missouri.
ROBERT THERRIEN. (brochure) 30 June – 3 September 2000. †
- Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Los Angeles, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 20 February – 7 May 2000. (travel: SITE Santa Fe. Santa Fe, New Mexico. Contemporary Art Museum. Houston, Texas. Museo d'Arte Contemporaneo (MARCO). Monterrey, Mexico.) **
- Museum of Contemporary Art. Los Angeles, CA.
Panza: The Legacy of a Collector. 30 January – 30 April 2000. *
- Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal. Montréal, Canada.
Culbutes dans le millenaire: Oeuvre d'impertinence. 25 November 1999 – 23 April 2000 *
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
A Selection of Recent Work on Paper. Summer 1999
- Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst. Ghent, Belgium.
De Opening. 9 May – 5 December 1999. *
- Castellani Art Museum. Niagara University, NY.
In Company: Robert Creeley's Collaborations. 10 April – 12 June 1999. (travel: New York Public Library, New York, NY. Weatherspoon Art Gallery, Greensboro, North Carolina. The University of South Florida Contemporary Art Museum, Tampa, Florida. Green Library, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA.) *
- BildMuseet. Umea, Sweden.
Collectieopstelling. 17 January – 14 March 1999.
- Gagosian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 9 October – 7 November 1998. †
- Paule Anglim Gallery. San Francisco, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 1 October – 14 November 1998. †
- The Museum of Modern Art. New York, NY.
A Decade of Collecting: Selected Recent Acquisitions in Contemporary Drawing. 17 September – 13 January 1998.

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- St-Pietersabdij. Ghent, Belgium.
Back to Basics. 17 September – 18 October 1998.
- Museum of Fine Arts Boston. Boston, Massachusetts.
Photolmage: Printmaking 60s to 90s. 7 July – 27 September 1998. (travel: Baltimore Museum of Fine Art. Baltimore, Maryland. Des Moines Art Center Des Moines, Iowa.) *
- Domaine de Kerguehennec Centre d'Art Contemporaine. Bignan, France.
Densité ou le musée Inimaginable. 13 April – 3 May 1998.
- The Eli Broad Family Foundation. Los Angeles, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. Large-scale Sculpture. Opens 12 December 1997.
- Museum for Moderne Kunst. Copenhagen, Denmark.
Magasin 3 Stockholm Kunsthalle at Arken. Selections from the Collection. 29 November 1997 – 8 February 1998. *
- The Contemporary Arts Center. Cincinnati, Ohio.
Sculpture by ROBERT THERRIEN. Under the Table. 21 June – 24 August 1997. †
- The Museum of Modern Art. New York, NY.
Selections from the Collection. 30 May – 19 August 1997.
- The Museum of Modern Art. New York, NY.
Objects of Desire: The Modern Still Life. 21 May – 26 August 1997. (travel: The Hayward Gallery. London, England.) *
- Louisiana Museum of Modern Art. Humlebaek, Denmark.
Sunshine & Noir. Art in L.A. 1960-1997. 16 May – 7 September 1997. (travel: Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg. Wolfsburg, Germany. Castello di Rivoli, Museo d'Arte Contemporanea. Rivoli, Italy. California UCLA at The Armand Hammer Museum of Art. Los Angeles, CA.) •
- Tel Aviv Museum of Art. Tel Aviv, Israel.
Book Obsession. April – July 1997. *
- Saidye Bronfman Centre for the Arts. Montreal, Canada.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 7 November – 20 December 1996. (travel: The Art Gallery of York University. Toronto, Canada. Illingworth Kerr Gallery, Albert College of Art & Design. Calgary, Canada.) †
- Centre National d'Art Contemporain de Grenoble. Grenoble, France.
Morceaux Choisis du Fonds National d'Art Contemporain. 14 October – 7 January 1996.
- Museo d'Arte Contemporanea. Trento, Italy.
The Panza Di Biumo Collection: Artists of the 80s and 90s. 13 September – 1 December 1996.
- Karsten Schubert. London, England.
From Figure to Object A Century of Sculptors' Drawings. 12 September – 2 November 1996. (travel: Southampton City Art Gallery, Southampton, England.) *
- The Institut Néerlandais. Paris, France.
Avant-première d'un musée - Le Musée d'Art Contemporain de Gand. 12 September – 27 October 1996.
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
Drawings. 28 May – 26 July 1996. †
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 15 March – 13 April 1996. †
- Gagolian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
Leo Castelli: An Exhibition in Honor of His Gallery and Artists. 27 January – 2 March 1996.
- The Carnegie Museum of Art. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
Carnegie International 1995. 4 November 1995 – 18 February 1996. *

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- The White House. Washington, D.C.
Twentieth Century American Sculpture at the White House. Fall/Winter 1995-96.
- Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst. Ghent, Belgium.
Collectieopstelling. 29 April – 5 June 1995.
- Lannan Foundation. Los Angeles, CA.
Floored (Sculpture from the Lannan Foundation Collection). 8 April – 13 August 1995.
- The American Center. Paris, France.
Micromegas. 10 March – 4 June, 1995. (travel: The Israel Museum. Jerusalem, Israel.)
- The Museum of Modern Art. New York, NY.
Permanent Collection.
- Galerij Micheline Szwajcer. Antwerp, Belgium.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 23 February – 2 April 1995. †
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
Richard Artschwager, Edward Ruscha, Robert Therrien: Selected Works. 18 February – 18 March 1995.
- The Eli Broad Family Foundation. Los Angeles, CA.
Robert Therrien. 1994 - 1995.
- San Diego, California / Tijuana, Mexico.
inSITE94. 23 September – 31 October 1994. *
- Madison Art Center. Madison, Wisconsin.
Southern California: The Conceptual Landscape. 13 August – 13 November 1994.
- Magasin 3 Stockholm Konsthall. Stockholm, Sweden.
From the Collection. June – August 1994.
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 13 November – 4 December 1993. †
- Fonds Régional d'Art Contemporain, Domaine de Kerguéhennec. Brittany, France.
From the Hand to the Head, the Theoretical Object. 1 May – 19 September 1993. *
- Konrad Fischer Gallery. Düsseldorf, Germany.
ROBERT THERRIEN. †
- Tate Gallery. London, England.
New Acquisitions. 15 December – 15 January 1992.
- Musée National d'Art Moderne, Centre Georges Pompidou. Paris, France.
Manifeste 6. 18 June – 25 October 1992.
- Museum Fridericianum. Kassel, Germany.
Documenta IX. 13 June – 20 September 1992. *
- Museo Cantonale d'Arte. Lugano, Switzerland.
Panza di Biumo, The Eighties and the Nineties from the Collection. 10 April – 5 July 1992. *
- Galerij Micheline Szwajcer. Antwerp, Belgium.
Mees, Klingelholler, Prince and Therrien. 28 February – 4 April 1992.
- Museum of Contemporary Art. Los Angeles, California.
Recent Acquisitions - Selected New Works in the Permanent Collection. 9 February – 17 May 1992.
- Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofia. Madrid, Spain.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 27 November 1991 – 24 February 1992. •†
- Neues Museum. Bremen, Germany.
Lafrenz Collection, Hamburg. (travel: The Irish Museum of Modern Art. Dublin, Ireland.) 1991.

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- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 21 May – 22 June 1991. †
- The Greenberg Gallery. St. Louis, Missouri.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 15 January – 2 March 1991. (travel: Barbara Krakow Gallery. Boston, Massachusetts.) †
- Museum of Modern Art. Rijeka, Yugoslavia.
12th International Biennale of Drawings. 20 December 1990 – 17 February 1991.
- Konrad Fischer Gallery. Düsseldorf, Germany.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 12 May – June 1990. †
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 3 February – 24 February 1990. †
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
Dreams and other Works on Paper. 21 October – 11 November 1989.
- Whitney Museum of American Art. New York, NY.
Art in Place, Fifteen Years of Acquisitions. 27 July – 15 October 1989. *
- Fundació Joan Miró. Barcelona, Spain.
I Triennial de Dibux Joan Miró. 15 June – 10 September 1989. *
- Lannan Museum. Lake Worth, Florida.
Abstract Expressions, Recent Sculpture. 18 December – 10 May 1988.
- Museum of Contemporary Art. Los Angeles, CA.
Individuals: A Selected History of Contemporary Art, 1945-86. 10 December – 10 January 1988. *
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 19 November – 17 December 1988. †
- Aargauer Kunsthhaus. Aarau, Switzerland.
Skulptur/Sculpture, Material und Abstraktion 2 x 5 Positionen. 18 June – 31 July 1988. (travel: Musée Cantonal des Beaux-Arts. Lausanne, Switzerland. The Swiss Institute and The City Gallery. New York, NY.) *
- Walker Art Center. Minneapolis, Minnesota.
Sculpture Inside Outside. 22 May – 18 September 1988. (travel: Museum of Fine Arts. Houston, Texas.) *
- Whitney Museum of American Art. New York, NY.
Vital Signs. 28 April – 17 July 1988. *
- Konrad Fischer Gallery. Düsseldorf, Germany.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 10 October – November 1987. †
- Centro Cultural Arte Contemporaneo. Polanco, Mexico.
Leo Castelli y sus Artistas. 25 June – October 1987. *
- Albright-Knox Art Gallery. Buffalo, NY.
Structure to Resemblance: Work by Eight American Sculptors. 13 June – 23 August 1987. *
- Larry Gagosian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
Leo Castelli at Gagosian. 3 December 1986 – 10 January 1987.
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN - A Series of Three Installations. 5 – 22 November 1986, 3 January – 7 March and 12 May – 27 June 1987. †
- Leo Castelli Gallery. New York, NY.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 10 May – 14 June 1986. †

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- Whitney Museum of American Art. New York, NY.
Major Acquisitions Since 1980: Selected Paintings and Sculpture. 18 September – 30 November 1986.
- Larry Gagosian Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
Actual Size: An Exhibition of Small Paintings and Sculptures. 24 September – 16 October 1985.
- Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Los Angeles, CA.
Permanent Collection. 1985.
- Whitney Museum of American Art. New York, NY.
Biennial Exhibition. 31 March – 6 June 1985. *
- Ace Gallery. Los Angeles, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. February – March 1985. †
- La Biennale di Venezia. Venice, Italy.
XLI Esposizione Internazionale d'Arte. La Biennale di Venezia. Aperto '84. 10 June – 9 September 1984. *
- San Antonio Museum of Art. San Antonio, TX.
Awards in the Visual Arts 3. 13 May – 15 July 1984. (travel: Loch Haven Art Center. Orlando, Florida. Cranbrook Academy. Bloomfield, Michigan.) *
- Hoshour Gallery. Albuquerque, New Mexico.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 4 May – 30 June 1984. †
- Museum of Contemporary Art. Los Angeles, CA.
ROBERT THERRIEN. 17 March – 17 June 1984. **

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SELECTED MUSEUM AND PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- Eli Broad Art Foundation, Los Angeles
- Brooklyn Museum, NY
- The Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA
- The Contemporary Museum, Honolulu, HI
- Dallas Museum of Art, TX
- Everson Museum, Syracuse, NY
- Fondaci? "La Caixa", Barcelona
- French National Collection, Paris
- J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
- Grand Rapids Art Museum, Grand Rapids, MI
- The Grunwald Center for the Graphic Arts, University of California, Los Angeles
- High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA
- Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
- Lannan Foundation, Santa Fe, NM
- List Visual Arts Center, MIT, Cambridge, MA
- Los Angeles County Museum of Art
- Musée National d'art Moderne, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
- Museo Cantonale d'Arte - Lugano, Switzerland
- Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
- The Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles

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- Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego, CA
- Museum of Modern Art, New York
- Museum voor Schone Kunsten, Oostende, Belgium
- Newport Harbor Art Museum, Newport Harbor, CA
- The Oakland Museum, Oakland, CA
- Panza di Biumo Collection, Varese, Italy
- Queensland Art Gallery, South Brisbane, Australia
- The Spencer Collection of the New York Public Library, New York
- Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium
- Tate Gallery, London
- University Art Museum, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA
- Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
- Whitney Museum of American Art, New York