ANDREA BOWERS

Born in 1965, in Wilmington, Ohio. She lives and works in Los Angeles.

Upcoming solo exhibitions

2022 kaufmann repetto, Milan
 GAM - Galleria d'Arte Moderna, Milano
2021 Hammer Museum, Los Angeles
 Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago

Upcoming group exhibitions

2021 Vogliamo tutto, OGR - Officine Grandi Riparazioni, Torino

Selected solo exhibitions

- 2020 Abteiberg Museum, Mönchengladbach, Germany

 Think of Our Future, Andrew Kreps Gallery, New York
- 2019 Light and Gravity, Weserburg Museum, Bremen
- 2018 Disrupting and Resisting, kaufmann repetto, Milan Open Secret, Capitain Petzel, Berlin
- 2017 HAMMER PROJECTS: Andrea Bowers, Hammer Museum, Los Angeles
 Womxn Workers of the World Unite!, Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati
 Andrea Bowers and Marcos Erre, Westmont Ridley Tree Museum, Los Angeles
- 2016 Whose Feminism Is It Anyway?, Andrew Kreps gallery, New York
 The United State v. Tim DeChristopher, Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland
 Triumph of Labor, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Los Angeles
 Andrea Bowers: Sanctuary, Bronx Museum, New York
- 2015 Self-determination, kaufmann repetto, Milan
- 2014 IN SITU-1, Espace Culturel Louis Vuitton, Paris

 Andrea Bowers: #sweetjane, Pitzer College Art Galleries and Pomona
 College Museum of Art, Claremont
- 2013 Cultivating the Courage to Sin, Capitain Petzel, Berlin
 Transformer Display for Community Fundraising: phase 4, collaboration
 with Olga Koumoundouros, The FrancesYoung Teaching Museum and art
 gallery, Skid More College, Saratoga Springs, New York
- 2012 Help the Work Along, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Los Angeles
- 2011 The New Women's Survival Guide, Andrew Kreps Gallery, New York
 Ni Una Muerte Mas, Project Room, National Museum of Contemporary Art,
 Athens
 - Transformer Display of Community Information and Activation, Collaboration with Olga Koumoundouros, Art Public, Art Basel Miami Beach, Miami Transformer Display For Community Fundraising: Version 2, Collaboration with Olga Koumoundouros, Outpost for Contemporary Art, Los Angeles
- 2010 The Political Landscape, Susan Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Los Angeles
- 2009 Mercy Mercy Me, Andrew Kreps Gallery, New York
 An Eloquent Woman, Praz-Devallade, Paris
 Your Donations Do Our Work: Andrea Bowers and Suzanne Lacy, UCR Sweeney
 Art Gallery, Riverside
- 2008 Sanctuary, Van Horn, Düsseldorf

The Weight of Relevance, ZKM/Zentrum für Kunst und Medientechnologie, Karlsruhe

2007 The Weight of Relevance, The Power Plant, Toronto
The Weight of Relevance, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Los
Angeles

The Weight of Relevance, Wiener Secession, Vienna

2006 Vows, Halle für Kunst, eV, Lüneburg

Nothing is Neutral: Andrea Bowers, REDCAT, Los Angeles; traveling to: ArtPace, San Antonio; Contemporary Art Museum St. Louis, St. Louis Eulogies to One and Another, Galerie Praz-Delavallade, Paris Your Whole Fucking Culture Alienates Me, Galerie Mehdi Chouakri, Berlin Letters to an Army of Three, Core Program, Glassell School of Art, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston

Andrea Bowers: All the World is Waiting for You, Cornell University, New York Mehdi Chouakri, Riverside Wall, Berlin

- 2005 Culture of Choice, Van Horn, Düsseldorf
- 2004 Soft Blockades Part 2, Magazin 4, Voralberger Kunstverein, Bregenz Soft Blockades, Mary Goldman Gallery, Los Angeles Nonviolent Civil Disobedience Training, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York
- 2003 Magical Politics, Chouakri Brahms, Berlin
- 2002 Virtual Arena, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York
 From Mouth to Ear, Goldman Tevis, Los Angeles
 Box with Dance of Its Own Making, Chouakri Brahms, Berlin
- 2001 Democracy's Body Dance Dance Revolution, Art 32 Basel, Art Statements, Basel, presented by Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York
- 2000 Intimate Strangers, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York
 I Need a Hero, Institute of Visual Arts (INOVA), University of Wisconsin,
 Milwaukee

One and the Same Body, ARCO Project Room, Madrid, Spain, presented by Sara Meltzer's Gallery, New York

- 1999 Moving Equilibrium, Sara Meltzer's Gallery, New York
- 1997 Spectacular Appearances in the Food Court, a project with the Santa Monica Museum of Art, Santa Monica

 Video installation, Santa Monica Place Mall, Santa Monica

 Spanish Box, Santa Monica
- 1994 Damaged Goods, Bliss, Pasadena
- 1993 FOOD HOUSE, Santa Monica

Selected group exhibitions

2020 Radical Tradition: American Quilts and Social Change, Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo

Drawing 2020, Gladstone Gallery, New York

Time for Outrage! Art in Times of Social Anger, KUNSTPALAST, Düsseldorf Vent'anni - Twenty Years, 20th anniversary exhibition, kaufmann repetto, Milan

What is Nature?, Museum Sinclair-Haus, Bad Homburg vor der Höhe Don't Let This Be Easy, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis 20 Year Anniversary Show, Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects Conversational Spirits, Jessica Silverman Gallery, San Fransisco Solstice: Create Art for Earth, Turner Carroll Gallery, Belen ecofeminism(s), Thomas Erben Gallery, New York
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Permanent Collection, National Museum of Contemproary Art (EMST), Athens

New Time: Art and Feminisms in the 21st Century, Berkeley Art Museum, Berkeley

The Condition of Being Addressable, Institute of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles

2019 In Plain Sight, Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle United by AIDS: an exhibition about loss, remembrance, activism and art in response to HIV / AIDS, Migros Museum für Gegenwartskunst, Amsterdam The Street. Where the world is made, La Panacée - MoCo, Montpellier HOW THE LIGHTS GET IN, Johnson Museum of Modern Art, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York

The Warmth of Other Suns: Stories of Global Displacement, The Phillips Collection, Washington

La Rue. Où le monde se crée, La Panacée - MoCo, Montpellier Political Affairs - Language is not innocent, The Kunstverein, Hamburg Summer Season opening in the park, Art Omi opening, New York Navigator art on paper prize 2019, Sociedade Nacional de Belas Artes, Lisbon

Queer California: Untold Stories, Oakland Museum of California, Oakland 2018 The Street. Where the world is made, Maxxi, Rome

What Is Enlightenment? 200 Years of the Print Room of the University of Warsaw Library, Museum of Modern Art in Warsaw, Warsaw, Poland West by Midwest, MCA Chicago, Chicago

After Posada: Revolution, El Paso Museum of Art, El Paso

Art & Activism: Drawing the line, Children's Museum of the Arts, New York Half the Picture: A Feminist Look at the Collection, Elizabeth A. Sackler Center for Feminist Art, Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn

The Un-Heroic Act. Representations of Rape in Contemporary Women's Art in the US, Shiva Gallery at John Jay College, Cuny

Artists and Their Books / Books and Their Artists, The Getty Center, Los Angeles

Kinship, Jessica Silverman Gallery, San Francisco

Power to the People. Political art now, Schirn Kunsthalle Frankfurt, Frankfurt

Agora, The High Line, New York

Nothing Stable under Heaven, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco

Manifesto: A Moderate Proposal, Pitzer College Art Galleries, Claremont The un-heroic act: representations of rape in contemporary women's art in the u.s., Shiva Gallery, New York

2017 Sonic Rebellion: Music as Resistance, MOCAD, Detroit documenta 14, Fridericianum, Kassel

La Terra Inquieta, Triennale di Milano and Nicola Trussardi Foundation, Milano

I Plan to Stay a Believer, Andrew Kreps Gallery, New York Graphic Witness, Drawing Room, London

Unfinished Conversations: New Work from the Collection, The Museum of Modern Art, New York

Women to the Front, Lumber Room, Portland

The Arcades: Contemporary Art and Walter Benjamin, The Jewish Museum, New York

"Political intent" and "beyond limits", Museum of Fine Arts, Boston Intersectional Self, The Shelley and Donald Rubin Foundation, New York Occupancy, Boston University Art Galleries, Boston

So Close and So Far, Westmont-Ridley Tree Museum of Art, Santa Barbara Resistance Training, Mills College, Oakland

We need to talk... - Artists and the public respond to present conditions in America, Friedrich Petzel Gallery, New York

On the Edge - Art of California, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art San Francisco Marching to the Beat, Jessica Silverman Gallery, San Francisco I Plan to Stay a Believer, Andrew Kreps Gallery, New York

2016 Frozen World of the Familiar Stranger, KHOJ, New Delhi
The Neighbors, part two, in two parts - Sanctuary: Andrea Bowers, The
Bronx Museum of the Arts, New York, The Gildless Age, Torrance Art
Museum, Torrance

Take Me (I'm Yours), Jewish Museum, New York

Agitprop!, Brooklyn Museum, New York

- Displacement: Symbols and Journeys, The Cornell Fine Arts Museum, Winter Park
- 2015 Biennal of the Americas, Denver

Drawing. The Bottom Line, S.M.A.K. Museum of Contemporary Art, Vienna Drawing Now, Albertina Museum of Art, Vienna

Old News (Again), Cneai, Chatou

- Acting on Dreams: The State of Immigrant Rights, Conditions, and Advocacy in the United States, Franklin Street Works, Stamford
- 2014 L'avenir (looking forward), La Biennale de Montréal, Montréal Burning Down the House, 10th Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju Unsettled Landscapes, SiteLines, Santa Fe Andrea Bowers and Suzanne Lacy, The Drawing Center, New York Pace Gems, Linda Pace Foundation, San Antonio Grip friheten! Take Liberty!, Museum of Contemporary Art, Oslo The Sunken Living Room, Franklin Street Works, Stamford If I can't dance to it, it's not my revolution, Cantor Fitzgerald Gallery, Haverford College, Haverford
- 2013 The Other Side: Chinese and Mexican Immigration to America, USC Pacific Asia Museum, Pasadena

The Past is Present, MOCAD, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit Labour and Wait, Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Santa Barbara Approximately Infinite Universe, Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego Arctic, Louisiana Museum of Modern Art, Humlebaek

Tøjner and Mathias Ussing Seeberg

Revolution from Within, kaufmann repetto, Milan

2012 The Residue of Memory, Aspen Art Museum, Aspen

The Black Whale, MARCO de Vigo, Vigo

Make Liverpool a City of Sanctuary, Liverpool Biennial, Liverpool No Person May Carry a Fish into a Bar, Blum & Poe, Los Angeles Drawn from Photography, DePaul Art Museum, Chicago

Malas Artes, Galeria Nieves Fernandes, Madrid

Audience as Subject, Part 2: Extra Large, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco

Go Tell In On The Mountain, Charlie James Gallery, Los Angeles Five Acts: Chronicles of Dissent, Marginal Utility, Philadelphia Femmescapes, Lenore Pereira & Rich Niles private gallery, San Francisco

2011 Nothing Beside Remains, collaboration with Shizu Sadamando, L.A.N.D., Marfa

Why I Never Became a Dancer, Sammlung Goetz at Haus der Kunst, Munich I Am Still Alive: Politics and Everyday Life in Contemporary Drawing, MoMA, New York

Greater LA, Elanor Cayre and Joel Mesler, MoMA PS1, New York Drawn from Photography, The Drawing Center, New York Alles Kannibalen?, Me-Collector's Room, Berlin

Audience as Subject, Part 2: Extra Large, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco

In Process, Ann 330 Gallery, Los Angeles

Word Is..., CSULA Fine Arts Gallery, Los Angeles

2010 The Last Newspaper, New Museum, New York

Everything is Political, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles Supernatural, Jancar Gallery, Los Angeles

In the Balance: art for a changing world, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney

2009 Collection: MOCA's First 30 Years, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles

Fight the Power, Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofia, Madrid Andrea Bowers and Suzanne Lacy: Your Donations Do Our Work, Sweeney Art Gallery, University of California Riverside, Riverside

2008 Wunderkrammer Lüneburg, Halle für Kunst, Lüneburg

California Biennial 2008, Orange County Museum of Art, Newport Beach *Progress*, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York

Index: Conceptualism in California from the Permanent Collection, The Geffen Contemporary at MOCA, Los Angeles

nach/sichten. Video works from the Goetz Collection, Edith Russ Site for Media Art in Oldenburg, Oldenburg

Proyecto Civico / Civic Project, Centro Cultural Tijuana (CECUT), Tijuana Memory is your image of perfection, Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, San Diego

Southern Exposure: Works from the Collection of the MCA San Diego, Museum of Contemporary Art, Syndey

Currents: Recent Acquisitions, Hirshhorn Museum, Washington
The Way That We Rhyme: Women, Art and Politics, Yerba Buena Center for
the Arts, San Francisco

We Remember The Sun, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco Amateurs, CCA Wattis Institute for Contemporary Arts, San Francisco La Mirada Iracunda / The Furious Gaze, Centro Cultural Montehermoso, Vitoria-Gasteiz

Small Things End, Great Things Endure, New Langton Arts, San Francisco Furious Gaze, Centro Cultural Montehermoso, Vitoria-Gasteiz

2007 Radical Hospitality, The Suburban, Chicago

Nothing Moments Projects, Steve Turner Contemporary, Los Angeles space.gaze.desire, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen Resistance is..., Whitney Museum of American Art, New York OHIO, Gahlberg Gallery, McAninch Arts Center at College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn

Encore, Gallery 40000, Chicago

Classe de Danse, Madonna fust Galerie, Bern

The California Files: Re-Viewing Side Effects of Cultural Memory, CCA Wattis Institute for Contemporary Art, San Francisco

Tanzen Sehen, Museum für Gegenwartskunst, Seigen

The Evil, Galerie Gebr. Lehmann, Dresden

2006 Personal Affairs, Morsbroich Museum, Leverkusen
Particulate Matter, Mills College Art Museum, Oakland
Prevailing Climate, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York
First Artist Defines Meaning, Camera Austria, Kunsthaus Graz, Graz
Human Game: Winners and Losers, Fondazione Pitti Discovery, Florence

Human Game: Winners and Losers, Fondazione Pitti Discovery, Florence This is Not a Love Song, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Los Angeles

Anticipation, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago

Art for our sake!, Bard College, Annendale-on-Hudson, New York Welcome Home, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York Jump Cut-Nights, (a symposium on choreographic structures in moving images) and Videoperformance-stories told through movement, Cinema of Museum Ludwig, Cologne

2005 Monuments for the USA, CCA Wattis Institute for Contemporary Arts, San Francisco; traveling to White Columns, New York

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Touch of Evil, Gallery Estacion Tijuana, Tijuana

The Last Christmas, Mehdi Chouakri, Riverside Wall, Berlin

Estacion Tijuana, Tijuana

Mary Goldman, Los Angeles

Old News, Los Angeles Contemporary Exhibitions, Los Angeles

New Tapestries, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York

Nonviolent Civil Disobedience Training (screening), Kunsthalle Basel, Art/Film, Art/36/Basel, Basel

Fast Forward, Media Art from the Goetz Collection, Conde Duque Centro Cultural, Madrid

2004 100 Artists See God, traveling to The Jewish Museum, San Francisco;
Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach; Institute of Contemporary Arts, London;
Contemporary Art Center of Virginia, Virginia Beach; Albright College
Freedman Art Gallery, Reading; Cheekwood Museum of Art, Nashville
Whitney Biennial, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
Dance Dance Revolution, The Leroy Neiman Gallery Columbia University, New
York

Victory 2004, Ronald Felman, New York

Kurzdavordanach, Die Photographische Sammlung/ SK Stiftung Kultur, Cologne Vieja Gloria, film screening, University of Illinois, Chicago

The Freedom Salon, Deitch Projects, New York

Drawings, Galerie Praz-Delavallade, Paris

2003 Fast Forward: Media Art Sammlung Goetz, Media Works from the Goetz Collection between Ethno-Narration and Formal Innovation, ZKM, Karlsruhe, Germany Conde Duque Centro Cultural, Madrid Rendered, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York

Yard: An exhibition about the private landscape that surrounds suburban domestic architect, Socrates Sculpture Park, Long Island City Extended Play: Art Remixing Music, Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand

C.O.L.A. 2003, Municipal Art Gallery, Barnsdall Art Park, Los Angeles Conversations, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles

2002 Videodrome II, New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York; Santa Barbara Contemporary Arts Forum, Santa Barbara; Weatherspoon Art Museum, Greensboro; Bates College Museum of Art, Lewiston

Time-Share, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York

Remix: Contemporary Art and Pop, Tate Liverpool, Liverpool

DV Noir: Video Art from Under the Shadow of Hollywood, Museum at

California Center for the Arts, Escondido

LA On My Mind: Recent Acquisitions from MOCA's Collection, MOCA @ The Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles

Gallery Group Show, Goldman Tevis, Los Angeles

New Heimat, Frankfurter Kunstverein, Frankfurt

Retake, Neuer Aachener Kunstverein, Aachen

Untitled (Bowers, Hamilton, Schwarz, Steinfeld), Haggerty Gallery, University of Dallas, Irving

2001 Casino 2001, Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst Ghent, Ghent

Everybody Now, The Bertha & Karl Leubsdorf Gallery, Hunter College, New York

Subject Plural, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston

False Start, Center for Curatorial Studies, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson

2000 Video Take, Stuc en Hedendaagse Kunsten, De Openabare Bibliotheek, Leuven Making Time: Considering Time as a Material in Contemporary Film & Video, UCLA Hammer Museum, Los Angeles; PBICA, Palm Beach

Radar Love, Galleria Marabini, Bologna

Game On!, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York

Moving Pictures, Galerie Tommy Lund, Copenhagen

1999 Painting: Fore and Aft, ACME, Los Angeles

Drawing the Line, Scripps College, Claremont

Venus, Arc, Vienna

Motion Studies, Kunsthallen Brandts Klaedefabrik, Odense

Living Theatre, Salzburger Kunstverein, Salzburg

Video Cult/tures, ZKM, Museum of Contemporary Art, Karlsruhe

More Than Meets the Eye, Deichtorhallen, Hamburg

In Rezone, Diverse Works, Houston

People-Going Places-Doing Things, N.A.M.E. Gallery, Chicago

Pretty, FOOD HOUSE, Santa Monica

Second Skin, Espace, San Francisco

Utter Realities, Cerritos College Fine Art Gallery, Cerritos College, Norwalk

PARANOID, M*Y*T*H* Series at the Brewery, Los Angeles

Transfer, Videonale-Intermezzo, Kunstmuseum Bonn, Bonn

I'm the Boss of Myself, Sara Meltzer's on view, New York

Me Mine, Luckman Fine Arts Gallery, California State University, Los Angeles

Group Exhibition, Virgin Atlantic VIP Lounge, Newark Airport, Newark

1997 Unfinished History, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis; Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago

Guarene Arte 98, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo per l'arte, Turin Ohio, (two person show with Sam Durant) Dogenhaus, Berlin

Time Dilates, Three Day Weekend, New York

Kamikaze, Marstall, Berlin

Phoenix Triennial, Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix

In the Polka Dot Kitchen, Otis Gallery and Armory Center, Los Angeles Love at the End of the Tunnel, or the Beginning of a Smart New Day, Center of Contemporary Art, Seattle

Wings of Desire, Walter McBean Gallery, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco

Three Day Weekend, Los Angeles

Youth Studies, POSTdowntown, Los Angeles

Places That Are Elsewhere, David Zwirner Gallery, New York

Quartzose, Galleri Tommy Lund, Copenhagen

Hot Coffee, Artists Space, New York

The Summer of Love, Fotouhi Cramer Gallery, New York

1996 Space Space, POST, Los Angeles

True.BLISS, Los Angeles Contemporary Exhibitions, Los Angeles
Trying/Pattern, Chance, a project by Art Center College, Whisky Pete's
Open House, Art Center College of Design, Pasadena

Ether, Angles Gallery, Santa Monica

Report from Spring Training, Spanish Box, Santa Barbara

1995 Neotoma, Otis Gallery, Otis College of Art and Design, Los Angeles

Couldn't Get Ahead, Independent Artists Space, London

Loose Slots, Temporary Contemporary, Las Vegas
Melancholic Consolation and Cynicism, Kuenstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin
Ruth Bloom Gallery, Santa Monica
Thank You, FOOD HOUSE, Santa Monica
Public & Private Pleasure, Nomadic Sites, Los Angeles
Cherry Bomb, Southern Exposure, San Francisco
Heaven Missing, Jose Freire Gallery, New York
FOOD HOUSE Visits the Art Store Gallery, The Art Store, Los Angeles
Imp of the Perverse, Sally Hawkins Gallery, New York

Selected public collections

ArtPace, San Antonio Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn Hammer Museum, Los Angeles Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art, Cornell University, Ithaca Hirshhorn Museum, Washington Ingvild Goetz Collection, Munich Linda Pace Foundation, San Antonio Museum of Modern Art, New York The Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles Museum of Fine Arts, Houston Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, La Jolla Museum Abteiberg, Moenchengladbach National Museum of Contemporary Art, Athens Orange County Museum of Art, Newport Beach Pomona College Museum of Art, Claremont Rennie Collection, Vancouver San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco San Jose Museum of Art, San Jose Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Santa Barbara Tate Modern, London Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City Whitney Museum of American Art, New York

Grants and awards

- 2011 Anonymous Was a Woman, Grant Recipient Art Matters, Grant Recipient
- 2010 FOCAFellowship, Grant Recipient
- 2009 The California Community Foundation Arts Fellowship Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation, Grant Recipient
- 2008 United States Artists Broad Fellow Contemporary Collectors: Orange County, Fellowship The Durfee Foundation, Grant Recipient
- 2003 City of Los Angeles (C.O.L.A.) Fellowship Recipient for Visual Arts
- 1998 Nominee, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo per l'arte WESTAF/NEA, Regional Fellowship for Visual Arts in Sculpture