# LARRY LITT

Performance Artist-Writer-Producer

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Larry Litt is a New York based mixed ritual spoken word artist who produces videos and photos of his performances. Larry Litt has exhibited videos and performed in the Venice Biennale, Gwangju Biennale, Apokalypsa Festival, White Box NY, Holly Solomon Gallery, and many college and university galleries and museums. He is currently represented by Magnan Metz Gallery in Chelsea, NY. He is producer with Eleanor Heartney of the highly acclaimed "The Blame Show" videos and cable televison series. In early March 2007 Larry Litt performed *Hate Books—Holy Fires* at the 2nd Moscow Biennale in a Special Program. A more comprehensive CV follows:

### **Select Performances and Readings**

2011 Go Frack Yourself at Judson Memorial Church, NYC

2011 **Steel Cup Shaman** for Full Fathom Five Festival, Magnan Metz Gallery, NYC

2010 Babbling in Jxn Hts, Babel at Space 37, NYC

2010 Peace Piece Emily Harvey Foundation Gallery, NYC

2010 The Blame Show Live Emily Harvey Foundation Gallery, NYC

2010 The Blame Show Live Rutgers Camden, NJ

2009 Bad Patient The Tank @ 45<sup>th</sup> Street Theater, NYC

2009 Street Art Shaman Ritual at Pratt Falls Pratt Manhattan Gallery, NYC

2009 **Peace and Pleasure Shaman Licking Ritual with Nicolas Lee** Blago Bung 4 Emily Harvey Foundation Gallery, NYC

2009 Hate Books/Holy Fires Blago Bung 3 at Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich

2008 **Acid Refluxus Shaman Ritual** for Blago Bung 2 Festival @ Emily Harvey Foundation Gallery NYC

2008 **Prince Murki Zar al-Hazoil of Naudi Arabia** Pratt Manhattan Gallery NYC 2008 **What Is Political Art Worth At Auction?** Pratt Manhattan Gallery, NYC

2008 Making Good Luck Shaman Ritual Y Gallery, Jackson Heights NY

2008 We Don't Care Who You Are, Long As You Got Money Dean Projects, LIC NY

2007 Hate Books-Holy Fires Shaman Ritual, Blago Bung 1 @ Emily Harvey Foundation, NYC

2007 Hate Books-Holy Fires Shaman Ritual at Joe's Pub, Public Theater, NYC

2007 Hate Books--Holy Fires Shaman Ritual at Magnan Projects, NYC

2007 Hate Books--Holy Fires Shaman Ritual at Moscow Biennale 2

2006 Burn the Fox Shaman Ritual at Magnan Projects, NYC

2004 The Blame Show Live, Gwangju Biennale, So. Korea

1997 Commedia Dell' Art World, Performance Space Untitled, NYC

1997 Video-Golem Shaman Ritual at Mediale Fluxus Fest, Anthology Film Archives NYC

1996 **Brothers Boo**, Doksung University, Seoul, So. Korea, Walker Hill Art Center, Seoul, So. Korea

1995 Mixed Message Shaman Ritual, Za Moca Foundation, Tokyo, Japan

1995 Video Mudang Shaman Ritual, at Gwangju Biennale, So. Korea

1995 Poet's Brushstroke, Taipei Cultural Center, NY, Taipei ROC

1994-5 **Aesop's America** at Thread Waxing Space, NY,C Art-in-General, NYC, Museum Of The City Of New York , East-West Cultural Studies Center NYC, Anthology Film Archives, NYC, University Of Texas, Austin TX

1994 **Treasure Of A Woman From Algiers Shaman Ritual**, European Cultural Center, Delphi, Greece

1994 **Video-Golem Shaman Ritual,** Apokalypsa Festival, Czech Rep., La Mama E.T.C., NYC

Walker Hill Art Center, Seoul, Korea, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM

1993 **Video-Mudang Shaman Ritual**, German Pavillon, Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy

1992 Video-Mudang, Shaman Ritual at Art 20/21, Seoul, So.Korea, 1992 Video-Mudang, Shaman Ritual at Holly Solomon Gallery, NYC University Of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM 1992 I Never Want To See Your Face Again, at La Mama E.T.C., NYC

## **Select Video Exhibitions**

2003 Polite, Politic, Political Brooklyn-Queens Expressway Show, White Box, NY
2003 Before You Don't Vote, Palm Beach ICA, Lake Worth FL
2002 Dissent=Freedom, in Daily Terrors: Santa Fe Art Institute, Santa Fe, NM
2002 Dissent=Freedom, Museum of Contemporary Art, Cleveland, OH
2002 Polite, Politic, Political, in Queens Intl, Queens Museum of Art, NYC
2002 Dissent=Freedom, White Box, NYC

## **Select Collections**

Collective Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland CUNY-John Jay College, New York, NY Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, Video Study Collection, New York NY Eastern Washington University, Cheney WA Santa Fe Art Institute, Santa Fe NM Palm Beach Institute Of Contemporary Art, Lake Worth FL Museum Of Modern Art, New York NY League of Women Voters, Palm Beach FL Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs NY Kean University, Union NJ Sterling College, Sterling KS

Palm Beach Community College, Lake Worth FL Siena Heights University, Adrian MI Citizen Action NY, Albany NY Palm Beach Democratic Party, FL Queen Margaret University College, Edinburgh, Scotland Hales Gallery, London, England Center for Contemporary Art-Glasgow, Scotland White Box, New York NY The Proposition, New York NY Fairfield University, Fairfield CT Art-In-General, New York NY Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City MO School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL **Rolling Thunder Tour** The Cooper Union, New York NY Bucknell University, Lewisburg PA University of Michigan, Ann Arbor MI School of Visual Art, New York NY Drexel University, Philadelphia PA Rhode Island School of Design, Providence RI University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM Indiana University of PA, Indiana PA Florida International University, Miami FL University of Minnesota, Minnesota MN 1970 People's Flag Show, Judson Church, NYC

### Select Curatorial

**Pratt Falls** Pratt Manhattan Gallery NYC **Party HQ** Pratt Manhattan Gallery NYC **Making Good Luck** Y Gallery , NYC **What War?** White Box NY, NY **Democracy Is Fun?** White Box NY, NY **The Blame Show** White Box NY, NY

## **VIDEOGRAPHY:**

2007 Hate Books Holy Fires performance documentary by Vivek Sharma

2006 **Burn the Fox,** performance documentary by Artemis Willis and David Leitner

2006 **Professor Progreso and the Cynical Activists** video/performance project, Time Warner cable network

2005-06 **The Blame Show** weekly cable television show, Time Warner Cable network

2003 Before You Don't Vote: Advice to the Angry, Apathetic and Apolitical, commission Palm Beach ICA

2002 Polite, Politic, Political, commission Queens Museum, NYC

2002 Dissent = Freedom, commission White Box NYC

1990 Get This Through Your Head, commission Holly Solomon Gallery NYC

### SELECT SEMINARS, PANELS, RESIDENCIES

2008 What is Political Art? Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
2003 Video and Advocacy Palm Beach ICA, FL
2002 Dissent =Freedom Fairfield University, Fairfield CT
2002 Citizenship Communications Kean University, Newark NJ
2002 Art Now: Polite, Politic, and Political White Box, NYC NY
2002 Contemporary Critical Issues Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs NY
1994 Interdisciplinary Workshop, University of Texas, Austin TX
1993 Artist-In-Residence, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM
1992 Nam June Paik in Video Art 20/21, Seoul, So.Korea

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

1996 Golden Ingot Of Ideas, Oral Lit Press, NY

1996 Country Pigeon & City Pigeon, Translation By Morioka Press, Tokyo, Japan

1996 The Brothers Boo, Translation By Doksung University Press, Seoul, Korea

1996 Aesop's America, Oral Lit Press, NY

1995 Video-Mudang, Translation By Doksung University Press, Seoul, Korea

1995 Video-Golem, Oral Lit Press, NY

1993 Video-Mudang, Oral Lit Press, NY

1993 Video-Mudang, In Eine Data Base, Edition Cantz, Berlin, Germany

Reviews supplied on request.