MCCLAIN GALLERY

THE BRUCE HIGH QUALITY FOUNDATION

2001 Established in Brooklyn, NY

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2017	Portraits of the Artists as a Young Bruce, Thomas Ammann Fine Art (Zurich, Switzerland) The Second Coming, Leila Heller Gallery (New York, NY) Pearls, Pippy Houldsworth Gallery (London, UK)
2016	Selections from the Greek and Roman Collection of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, 6817 (Los Angeles, CA) Pizzatopia, Vito Schnabel Projects (New York, NY)
2015	Arcadia, The Bruce High Quality Foundation (Brooklyn, NY) Mother, Vito Schnabel (New York, NY)
2014	Isle of the Dead, McClain Gallery (Houston, TX) Vive La Sociale!, Almine Rech Gallery (Brussels, Belgium)
2013	Meditations of the Emperor, Mark Fletcher (New York, NY) Selections from the Greek and Roman Collection of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Vito Schnabel (New York, NY) Ode to Joy, 2001 - 2013, The Brooklyn Museum (Brooklyn, NY) Freedom, Cohen Gallery, Brown University (Providence, RI) The Transubstantial Bruce, Contemporary Fine Arts (Berlin, Germany)
2012	The Raft of the Medusa / Le Radeau de la Méduse, Galerie Bruno Bischofberger (Zurich, Switzerland) The Bruce High Quality Foundation, Galerie Bruno Bischofberger (St. Moritz, Switzerland) Art History With Labor, Lever House Art Collection and Vito Schnabel (New York, NY) Stay With Me, Baby, Alexander Dellal, Contemporary Fine Arts and Vito Schnabel (Berlin, Germany)
2011	The Princess and the Monolith, Unge Kunstneres Samfund (Oslo, Norway) Argumenta, Vito Schnabel (Venice, Italy)
2010	The Retrospective, Galerie Bruno Bischofberger (Zurich, Switzerland) Beyond Pastoral, 20 Hoxton Square Projects and Vito Schnabel (London, UK) Self Portraits, The Fireplace Project (East Hampton, NY)
2009	BHQFU, Susan Inglett Gallery (New York, NY) Happy Endings, Vito Schnabel (Miami, FL) Empire, Cueto Project (New York, NY)
2008	The Great Wall, DUVE Berlin (Berlin, Germany) The Retrospective, Susan Inglett Gallery (New York, NY) Beyond Pastoral, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo (Turin, Italy)
2007	Beyond Pastoral, Exit Art (New York, NY)
2005	Starleene: The Airplane Show, Galeria Aqua (Miami, FL) A Cheap Publicity Stunt, LMCC REDHEAD Project Space (New York, NY)

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

5 Years at Heddon Street, Pippy Houldsworth Gallery (London, UK) Zeichen und Wunder, Thomas AmmannFine Art (Zurich, Switzerland) 5 Years at Heddon Street, Pippy Houldsworth Gallery (London, UK) Radical Seafaring, Parrish Art Museum (New York, NY) Shrines to Speed, Leila Heller Gallery (London, UK)
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Shrines to Speed, Leila Heller Gallery (London, UK)
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The Armory Show, CFA (New York, NY)
2015 11th Annual Thanksgiving Collective, Tripoli Gallery (South Hampton, NY)
Icons: The Art of Appropriation, Sotheby's S 2 (New York, NY)
5 x 5: Other Voices, Litvak Contemporary (Tel Aviv, Israel)
Metropolis: Paintings of the Contemporary Urban Landscape, Edward Tyler Nahem (New York, NY)
2014 Rockaway!, MoMA PS1 and the Rockaway Artists Alliance (Ft. Tilden, NY)

LOOK AT ME: Portraiture from Manet to the Present, Leila Heller Gallery (New York, NY)

All the Best Artists Are My Friends, curated by Ray Smith, MANA Contemporary (Jersey City, NJ)

The Last Brucennial, Presented by Vito Schnabel and The Bruce High Quality Foundation (New York, NY)

2013 Come Together: Surviving Sandy, curated by Phong Bui, Dedalus Foundation (Brooklyn, NY)

Blackboard: Teaching and Learning From Art, Artipelag (Gustavsberg, Sweden)

Lyon Biennale: Meanwhile...Suddenly and Then (Lyon, France)

More Than A Likeness, McClain Gallery (Houston, TX)

DSM-V, The Future Moynihan Station, Curated by David Rimanelli, presented by Vito Schnabel (New York, NY)

Tectonic, The Moving Museum (Dubai, UAE)

White Collar Crimes, Acquavella Galleries (New York, NY)

2012 Of The People, Contemporary Wing (Washington D.C.)

Mediated Iconography, Pippy Houldsworth Gallery (London, UK)

Parque Industrial, curated by Julieta Gonzalez, Galerie Luisa Strina (Saõ Paulo, Brazil)

Portrait of a Generation, The Hole (New York, NY)

Minstrel and Chronicle, Hannah Barry Gallery (London, UK)

Merging Bridges, The Baku Museum of Modern Art (Baku, Azerbaijan)

Spring Fever, Tony Shafrazi Gallery (New York, NY) The Brucennial: Harderer. Betterer. Fasterer. Strongerer., Presented by The Bruce High Quality Foundation and Vito Schnabel (New York, NY)

2011 These Days, Sotheby's S2, curated by Vito Schnabel (New York, NY)

The State: Social/Antisocial?, Traffic (Dubai, UAE)

Dublin Contemporary 2011, curated by Jota Castro and Christian Viveros-Faune (Dublin, Ireland)

Bold Tendencies, 20 Hoxton Square Projects (London, UK) Verboten, Thomas Ammann Fine Art (Zurich, Switzerland)

Commercial Break, Garage Projects (Venice, Italy)

Don't Do It, Etc., Galerie Bruno Bischofberger (Zurich, Switzerland)

2010 Gray Day, Roberts and Tilton Gallery, curated by Noah Davis (Culver City, CA)

Greater New York, MoMA PS1 (Long Island City, NY)

Dominó Caníbal, Contemporary Art Project Murcia (Murcia, Spain)

No Soul For Sale: A Festival of Independents, X Initiative (New York, NY)

Dreamlands, Centre Pompidou (Paris, France)

The Brucennial: Miseducation, Presented by The Bruce High Quality Foundation and Vito Schnabel (New York, NY)

2010 Whitney Biennial, The Whitney Museum (New York, NY)

Spasticus Artisticus, Cerihand Gallery (Liverpool, UK)

2009 1969, MoMA PS1 (Long Island City, NY)

Free as Air and Water, Cooper Union, curated by Saskia Bos and Steven Lam (New York, NY) \

No Bees, No Blueberries, Harris Lieberman Gallery, curated by Sarina Basta and Tyler Coburn (New York, NY)

Plot 09: This World & Nearer Ones, Creative Time, curated by Mark Beasley (Governors Island, NY)

Smithumenta, Ray Smith Studio (Brooklyn, NY)

State of the Art: New York, Urbis Center (Manchester, UK)

2008 Jack*%ss, Susan Inglett Gallery (New York, NY)

The Brucennial (Brooklyn, NY)

Eb Beiti Aana Geezi (In My House, I'm a Cruiser), Sultan Gallery (Kuwait)

Greenwashing. Ambiente: pericoli, promesse e perplessita, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo (Turin, Italy)

Schweiz Uber Alles, Fundacion Jumex (Mexico City, Mexico)

2007 The Activist Way, Cueto Project, curated by Béatrice Gross (New York, NY)

PROJECTS AND PERFORMANCES

Ongoing The Bruce High Quality Foundation University, 2009 - present (New York, NY)

As We Lay Dying, 24th Annual Watermill Center Summer Benefit & Auction (Watermill, NY)

Public Art and Collaboration, Artist talk and Workshop at Iris New Holland (St. Petersburg, Russia)

Bruceforma, MoMA PS1 (Long Island City, NY) Animal Farm: A Musical (New York, NY)

2011 Apology, Installation at Iris New Holland (St. Petersburg, Russia)

Teach 4 Amerika: A Cross Country Rally For Anarchy in Arts Education, presented by Creative Time

2010 Field of Dreams (Brooklyn, NY)

Bruceforma (New York, NY)

2009 Cats on Bowery, La MaMa La Galeria (New York, NY)

2007 Cats on Broadway, The Bruce High Quality Foundation Theater (Brooklyn, NY)

Public Sculpture Tackle (Various locations, New York, NY)

Rent Strike! & Other Activist Jingles (Brooklyn, NY)

2006 L'eau de Vie, Un Film de Jean-Luc Godard (Miami, FL)

2005 The Gate: Not the Idea of the Thing But the Thing Itself (NYC Waterways)

LECTURES

2015	ods: A Lecture with the Bruce High	

2014 Contemporary Art Museum Houston, Artist Talk (Houston, TX)

NICC, The Bruce High Quality Foundation in conversation with Joachim Pissarro (Brussels, Belgium)

2013 Teaching Jim: On learning and loving and losing, School of Visual Arts (New York, NY)

Brown University, Artist Talk (Providence, RI)

2011 The Global Artworld: Regionalism, Miami Art Basel: Art Salon (Miami, FL)

Unge Kunstneres Samfund, Artist talk and screening (Oslo, Norway)

It Started With A Car Crash: Alternative Education Road Tour, 20 Projects and IMT Gallery (London, UK)

Pratt Institute, Visiting Artist Lecture Series (Brooklyn, NY) Williams College (Williamstown, MA)

2010 University of Minnesota (St. Paul, MN)

2009 Explaining Pictures to a Dead Bull, Harris Lieberman Gallery (New York, NY)

New York Art Book Fair at MoMA PS1 (Long Island City, NY)

School of Visual Arts (New York, NY)

Columbia University Symposium on Public Art (New York, NY)

Kunstraum Niederösterreich (Austria)

Art History With Benefits, X Initiative, Performa 2009 (New York, NY)

Tyler School of Art (Philadelphia, PA) 2008

ArCO School of Art & Design (New York, NY)

Cooper Union (New York, NY)

2007 Cooper Union Symposium, Student Lecture Series (New York, NY)

The Canal Chapter Artist Residency, Visiting Artists Lecture (New York, NY)

Cooper Union, Visiting Artists Presentation in Contempoary Art Issues Course (New York, NY)

ART FAIRS

2017	NADA New York, Skylight Clarkson North (New York, NY)
2014	Art Basel, Thomas Ammann Fine Art (Basel, Switzerland)
	Art Brussels, Almine Rech Gallery (Brussels, Belgium)
2013	Art Basel, Thomas Ammann Fine Art (Basel, Switzerland)
	Art Basel Hong Kong, Contemporary Fine Arts (Hong Kong, China)
	Frieze, Contemporary Fine Arts (London, UK)
2012	ViennaFair, Vienna Live Program (Vienna, Austria)
	Art Basel, Galerie Bruno Bischofberger (Basel, Switzerland)
2010	The Independent, Jose Mestre Projects (New York, NY)
2009	NADA Miami, Y Gallery (Miami, FL)

Artissima 16, DUVE Berlin (Turin, IT)

Volta Basel, Cueto Project (Basel, Switzerland)

Volta NY, Cueto Project (New York, NY)

Art History With Benefits, X Initiative, Performa 2009 (New York, NY)

PUBLICATIONS

Isles of the Dead, published by McClain Gallery, 2014

Ode to Joy, 2001 - 2013, published by The Bruce High Quality Foundation and Vito Schnabel, 2013

Freedom, published by The Bruce High Quality Foundation and Vito Schnabel, 2013

The Transubstantiation of Bruce, published by Contemporary Fine Arts, 2013

The Raft of the Medusa / Le Radeau de la Méduse, published by Galerie Bruno Bischofberger, 2012

Art History with Labor, published by The Bruce High Quality Foundation and Vito Schnabel, 2012

The Bruce High Quality Foundation Foundation & Other Ideas published by Susan Inglett Gallery, 2009

Cats on Broadway, published by The Bruce High Quality Foundation University Press, 80 pages, 2009 Five Courses of Empire, published by Cueto Gallery, 80 pages, 2009

SELECTED PRESS

2015 Artforum, "Bruce High Quality Foundation", January 2015.

2014 The Art Newspaper, "Good artists copy, great artists steal", June 20, 2014.

Blouin ArtInfo, "Strong and Steady Sales Continue at Art Basel" by Judd Tully, June 19, 2014.

Artnet News, "See the 25 Best Booths at Art Basel 2014" by Coline Milliard, June 18, 2014.

Art in America, "The Last Brucennial: The Interview" by Nick Irvin, March 5, 2014.

New York Post, "The Old Fashioned Office Building is Getting a Brand New Look" by Lois Weiss, April 27, 2014.

Collector's Q&A Archive, "Bruce High Quality Foundation," March 6, 2014.

Gallerist, "Ladies' Night: On the BHQF's Record-Breaking Last Brucennial" by Michael H. Miller, March 20, 2014. The Wall Street Journal, "Women's Artwork a Focus at the Last Brucennial," by Carmel Melouney, March 11, 2014. Columbia Daily Spectator, "A Biennial of one's own: Whitney and Bruces Clash" by Charlotte Murtishaw, March 7 Armory Week 2014, "At the Armory Show, a Special Section for Drawings by Women Artists," by Andrew Russeth.

Gallerist NY, "This Year's Brucennial, the Last Ever, Will Feature Only Female Artists" by Michael H. Miller,

February 19, 2014.

2013 The New York Times, "Fake Artifact by an Unknown? Sold" by Jesse McKinley, December 5, 2013.

Huffpost Arts & Culture, "Famous Artists Turn Cars Into Canvases In Automobile Exhibition," by Priscilla Frank, December 3, 2013.

Art F City, "Art at Its Best 2013: A Top Ten List", December 23, 2013.

The Brooklyn Rail, "The Importance of Being Bruce High Quality," By Jeremy Butman, October 3, 2013.

Time Out New York, "The Bruce High Quality Foundation: Ode to Joy", August 30, 2013.

Financial Times, "The Bruce High Quality Foundation: Ode to Joy, 2001-2013, Brooklyn Museum, New York--review" by Ariella Budick, August 29, 2013.

Brooklyn Daily, "Bruce High Quality Foundation gets Retrospective at the Brooklyn Museum" by Samantha Lim, July 24, 2013.

Artopia, "Warhol plus Beuys: The Bruce" by John Perreault, July 17, 2013.

Das Kunstmagazin, "Das Insider-Kollektiv" by Claudia Bodin, July 17, 2013.

New York Times, "Even Young Rebels Can Float a Retrospective" by Ken Johnson, July 11, 2013.

*Hyperallergic, "*The Quixotic Visions of Bruce High Quality at the Brooklyn Museum" by Hrag Vartanian, July 3, 2013.

Animal, "Bruce High Quality Foundation at the Brooklyn Museum" by Kyle Petreycik, June 27, 2013.

The Village Voice, "The Bruce High Quality Foundation," by Christian Viveros-Faune, June 26, 2013.

The Boston Globe, "What's up at Boston-area art galleries," by Cate McQuaid, May 14, 2013.

Vogue, "Flash: Social Responsibility / Insider Trading" by Chelsea Allison, March 2013.

ArtObserved, "AO On Site - New York: The Bruce High Quality Foundation 'Art History With Labor' at the Lever House" by G. Corrigan, July 16, 2012

Arfaqcity, "Art History With Labor: Working in the Arts Sucks" by Leighann Morris, July 10, 2012

ArtPress, "Á Marche Forcée (Once Over Lightly)" by Robert Storr, June 2012

Artnet, "Bruce High Quality Foundation at Lever House" by Rachel Corbett", May 24, 2012

The Village Voice, "Summer Art Guide: 'Ghosts in the Machine'" by Christian Viveros-Faune, May 23, 2012

Phaidon, "Who are The Bruce High Quality Foundation?", April 17, 2012

White Hot Magazine, "Brucennial 2012: Harderer. Betterer. Fasterer. Strongerer." by Lynn Maliszewski, April 2012 Artfagcity, "The Bruce High Quality Foundation's 'Animal Farm': This One Ends Well" by Whitney Kimball, March 8, 2012

Art in America, "The Bruces Deliver" by Richard Vine, March 7, 2012

The New York Times, "Art in Review: Brucennial 2012" by Ken Johnson, March 2, 2012

Capital New York, "Notes from the Brucennial" by Jed Lipinski, March 2, 2012

Artnet, "Brucennial 2012: High and Low" by Rachel Corbett, March 1, 2012

ArtObserved, "AO On Site - New York: Opening of Bruce High Quality Foundation's 'Brucennial 2012'", March 1, 2012

Artfagcity, "A Fountain of PBR and a Sea of Art" by Paddy Johnson, March 1, 2012

The Brooklyn Rail, Cover, March 2012

2012

ARTINFO, "The Bruces Are Back! A Q&A With The Bruce High Quality Foundation About Their 2012 Brucennial" by Reid Singer, February 27, 2012

2011 ARTnews, "Biting the Hand That Feeds Them" by Caroline Miranda, December 6, 2011

Gallerist New York, "La Dolce Vito! Schnabel the Younger Emerges From His Father's Shadow" by Michael Miller, November 1, 2011

The New York Times, "Sotheby's as a Gallery" by Carol Vogel, October 20, 2011

F News Magazine, "Cutting the Bullshit" by Jennifer Swann, August 29, 2011

ARTINFO, "Bruce High Quality Foundation Takes Art-School Conceptualism on the Road With Teach 4 Amerika" by Scott Indrisek, April 14, 2011

PNCA: Untitled Magazine, "An Interview with the Bruce High Quality Foundation" by Mack McFarland, April 2011

Artforum, "After School Special" by Michael Wilson, March 31, 2011

The New York Times, "Art Collective Announces Cross-Country Road Trip to Inspire Art Students" by Randy Kennedy, March 2, 2011

2010 Art in America, "Greater New York" by Faye Hirsch, September 11, 2010

Purple Magazine, "Interview with Bruce High Quality" by Parinaz Mogadassi, Summer 2010

Village Voice, "Duncan Campbell and the Bruce High Quality Foundation Take a Bumpy Ride to Utopia" by Martha Schwendener, March 16, 2010

Artnet, "Diary of an Art Star" by Reverend Jen, March 11, 2010

Art in America, "Higher Education" by Carly Berwick, March 2010

Artforum, "Their Name is Bruce" by Rhonda Lieberman, March 2, 2010

Artforum, "Review: The Bruce High Quality Foundation at Susan Inglett" by Joshua Decter, March 2010

The New York Times, "Who Needs the Whitney? They Have Their Own Show" by Holland Cotter, February 26, 2010

The New York Times, "At a Biennial on a Budget, Tweaking and Provoking" by Holland Cotter, February 26, 2010

The Daily Beast, "Best of the Whitney Biennial" by Rachel Wolff, February 24, 2010

The New York Times, "Inside Art: Their Own Brucennial" by Carol Vogel, February 19, 2010

Artnet, "Juice at the Bruce" by Charlie Finch, February 17, 2010

ARTINFO, "Conversation with Bruce High Quality Foundation" by Sarah Douglas, February 4, 2010

NYFA Current, "Bruce Alrighty?" by Andrea Neustein, January 7, 2010

The New York Times Style Magazine, "The Nifty Fifty" by David Colman, January 6, 2010

Frieze Magazine, "Review: Domíno Caníbal" by Sam Thorne, January 4, 2010

The New York Times, "And the Beat Goes On" by Julia Chaplin, December 6, 2009

Mousse Magazine, "The Bruce High Quality Foundation: Our Future is about Expansion" by Cecelia Alemani, November 2009

New York Magazine, "A New Kind of Boom" by Jerry Saltz, October 4, 2009

The New York Times, "Artists Without Mortarboards" by Roberta Smith, September 9, 2009

New York Magazine, "Jerry Saltz's Want-to-sees" by Jerry Saltz, August 23, 2009

Artnet, "Money Talks" by Mary Rinebold, August 20, 2009

L Magazine, "What Does it Mean to Call Art Too Professional" by Paddy Johnson, August 17, 2009

ArtObserved, "AO On Site - New York: PLOT/09 - 'This World & Nearer Ones' on Governors Island" by Madeleine Compagnon, July 16, 2009

The New York Times, "Island as Inspiration and Canvas" by Roberta Smith, June 26, 2009

Art in America, "Isle of the Dead: PLOT09 Takes Governors Island" by Sarah Hromack, June 25, 2009

Interview Magazine, "Up to Great Good" by Aimee Walleston, June 25, 2009

The Brooklyn Rail, "Bruce High Quality Foundation: Empire" by Maxwell Heller, April 2009

Art in America, "Enter the Afterlige: A Conversation With The Bruce High Quality Foundation" by Cameron Shaw, March 23, 2009

Le Journal des Arts, "New York is Freezing" by Azimi Roxana, March 20, 2009

The Bushwick News, "Artist Profile: Bruce High Quality Foundation" by Mimi Luse, March 6, 2009 Village Voice, "The Bruce High Quality Foundation: 'Empire'" by Robert Shuster, February 18, 2009

ArtSlant, "Empire of Myth" by Hong-An Truong, February 2009

2008 Le Monde, "Crisis Reaches the Art World" by Harry Bellet, November 20, 2008

Artfagcity, "IMG MGMT: Public Art & Collaboration" Guest post by BHQF, August 4, 2008

The Brooklyn Rail, "Le Radeau: Bruce High Quality Foundation Lands in Chelsea" by Maxwell Heller", June 2008
The New York Times, "The Listings: Bruce High Quality Foundation: The Retrospective" by Roberta Smith, May 16

New York Arts Magazine, "Mission Statement: Long Version", January 2008

Artcat, "Bruce High Quality Foundation this week on Broadway", December 10, 2007

2009

2007

Village Voice, "Cats on Broadway: The Bed-Stuy Version", December 2007 jameswagner.com, "Rent Strike & Other Activist Jingles" by James Wagner, August 8, 2007 Artnet, "Fair Flip-Flops" by Ben Davis, August 1, 2007

2005

New York Magazine, "The Approval Matrix", October 2, 2005
The New York Times, "A Miniature Gate in Hot Pursuit of a Miniature Central Park" by Randy Kennedy, September 24, 2005

Artforum, "The Dye is Cast" by Michael Wang, March 4, 2005

The New York Times, "Reality (on TV) Reaches Art World" by Randy Kennedy, March 2, 2005