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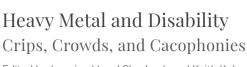
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Metal's preoccupation with unleashing and controlling sensorial overload acts both as an analogue of neurodiversity and as a space in which those who are neurodivergent find ways to understand and leverage their sensory capacities. It does not necessarily mean that this potential is always explored or that metal scenes are hospitable to those with disabilities. This collection is disability-positive, validating people with disabilities as different but not damaged.

The scholars who contribute to this collection see metal as a space of possibility, in which dis/ability and other intersectional identities can be validated and understood, but does not imply that the possibilities that metal affords are always actualized. It situates itself in a wider struggle to open up metal, challenging its power structures.



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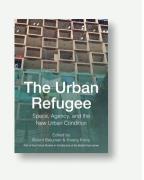
#### Perspectives from the Field

Edited by Bryan Powell and Gareth Dylan Smith

A manuscript-megaphone for a variety of perspectives on popular music education, including those we do not usually hear from, but who are doing far and away the coolest, most relevant and most interesting things.

It includes rants, manifestos and pieces that are pithy and punchy and poignant, which has resulted in a wide tonal variety among chapters, from more traditionally scholarly pieces replete with citations and references, through descriptions of practice, to straightup polemics. It is more about beliefs, experiences and motivation, about frustrations, aspirations and celebrations. The chapters are intended to whet appetites, prime pumps, open eyes and keep cogs turning. Intended for academics of all ages and stages, but the writing is often deliberately non-academic in tone.





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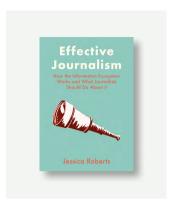
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The central argument of the book is that journalists and audiences can no longer afford to pretend that all information is competing on an even playing field, and that it is enough for journalists to simply publish 'the facts'. Effective Journalism explains the reality, rather than the ideal, of how people seek and process information, and what journalists and their audiences can do to try to create an informed public in the face of that reality.



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By Namrata Rele Sathe

Namrata Rele Sathe investigates the impact of unchecked expansion of neo-liberal values in India, using popular films and culture as the focal point. The book explores the concept of the neo-liberal self, which, contrary to being a stable marker of modern Indian identity, reveals a contradictory and fragmented nature.

The identity commonly seen in mainstream Indian culture struggles to uphold its image of self-promotion, optimism and belief in progress and prosperity. Rele Sathe reveals the underlying feelings of insecurity and inherent inequality imposed by neo-liberal systems. The analysis is explicitly political and incorporates theories from feminist media studies, popular culture analysis and film studies to critique Hindi cinema produced in the past two decades.

#### Ulrike Ottinger Film, Art and the Ethnographic Imagination

Edited by Angela McRobbie

The first English language scholarly collection of essays on the leading Berlin-based German artist and filmmaker Ulrike Ottinger. This volume engages with the full range of her works, from the early Berlin feature films of the 1970s and 1980s to the ethnographic documentaries, also including the art exhibitions, photography shows and installations. The book brings together feminist film theorists with art historians and cultural theorists, each with a distinctive and detailed perspective on the queer fabulist genres of Ottinger now in her 80s.



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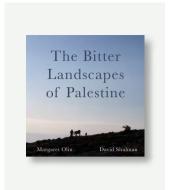
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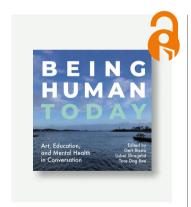
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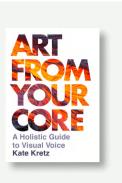
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#### Being Human Today Art, Education and Mental Health in Conversation

Edited by Gert Biesta, Lisbet Skregelid and Tore Dag Bøe

Education, mental health and the arts all share a concern for human beings and for how they live their lives. Living one's life, and living it well, has always been a challenge – life never simply happens. But what the particular challenges are, differs from time to time, from location to location and even from individual to individual.

This collection stages conversations between art, education and mental health around the question of what it means to be human today. Moving beyond the suggestion that this requires 'strong' educational or therapeutic interventions or can be resolved by means of individual expression, the chapters explore new possibilities for 'the arrival of I' – for the humanizing work of art, education and mental health in the world today.



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By Kate Kretz

A practical, holistic guide to the discovery and development of the art that each individual was born to make.

Using real-life examples and exercises, this book tears down the cultural, educational and psychological obstacles to finding an authentic visual voice. Kate Kretz explores methodologies to tap into the subconscious, cultivate breakthroughs, instil bravery and create environments to maximize the gestation of ideas to produce deeply layered, unique works of art. This is a book that students and artists will keep on the studio shelf, to pick up time and time again, as their responses to the exercises change throughout their career.



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Comics exist in complex relationships with other media and so have always embraced a diversity of formats and been dynamic in their response to new technologies and means of distribution. This collection explores interactions between comics and other media and technologies, employing a wide range of theoretical and critical perspectives.

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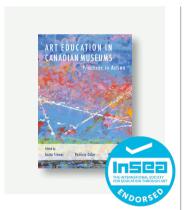
#### Art, Sustainability and Learning Communities

Call to Action

Edited by Raphael Vella and Victoria Pavlou Series edited by Anita Sinner and Rita Irwin

The editors do not offer us miraculous solutions to address the ongoing environmental challenges faced by the world. Instead, they advocate for three crucial components - art, sustainability and learning communities. They, along with their contributors, view these elements as fundamental in the process of reevaluating priorities and making positive changes.

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Authors impart collective diversity through richly textured exposés, first-person accounts, essays and visual essays that enfold cultural activism, sustainable practices and experimental teaching and learning alongside transformative exhibitions, all while questioning – Who is a learner? What is a museum? Whose art is missing?



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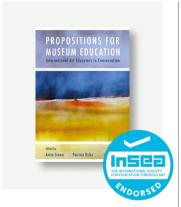
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In Walking in Art Education, authors explore walking and a/r/tography in their local contexts. As a result, the book finds that kinship and relationality are significant themes that permeate across a/r/tographic practices focused on ecopedagogy and learning with the land. These walking practices serve as ecopedagogical moments that attune us to human-land and more-than-human relationships, while also moving us past western-centric understandings of land and place. More than this, the book situates this work in a/r/tographic practices taking up walking as one method for engagement.



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This collection considers how Canadian art educators are engaging with a new range of approaches to museum education, and why educators are responding to twenty-first-century challenges in ways that are unique to Canada.

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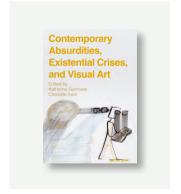
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## Modelling International Collaborations in Art Education

By Peter Sramek, Giselle Mira-Diaz and Charisse Fung Series edited by Anita Sinner and Rita Irwin

Based on over a decade of collective teaching, this book explores online and in-person collaboration as a means of offering international experience for university-level art students.

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By R. Lyle Skains

A foundational guide to practice-related research in the arts and a textbook to guide students who wish to incorporate creative practice into their research theses

Split into two parts, the book first gives the background and context of the practice-related research, the types of knowledge it can yield and other research methods that can be integrated into practice-based research projects. The second focuses on practical considerations and actions to take to complete a project. Definitions and contextualization of practice-based methods lead to a step-by-step approach to designing research projects, with practical guidance.

#### 3-D Experimental VR and Art Practices **Untangling Another Dimension**

By Rebecca Hackemann

Though we see in three dimensions, we tend to notice 3-D when it is artificially created, as with a stereoscope. Rather than tell the history of 3-D through technique and technology, Rebecca Hackemann brings a conceptual, artistic, and critical view to her topic, unpacking its use in conceptual art, sculpture and other mediums.

Bringing together artists such as Salvador Dalí, Marcel Duchamp, William Kentridge and Lydia Clark who were inspired by threedimensional imagery and their theories, Hackemann surveys sixty years of 3-D in contemporary art for indicators of a turn in visual culture, foregrounding meaning and content.





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Edited by Francesca Granata

Fashion Projects was founded in New York in 2005 as a zine. This book collects the best articles from the journal, most issues of which are now unavailable. From exploring the rise of digital fashion media with Penny Martin (the founding editor-in-chief of SHOWstudio) to the continued importance of connoisseurship with Harold Koda (former curator-in-chief of the Met's Costume Institute), the anthology records the increasing centrality of fashion to contemporary critical discourse. An index of a particular time within the fashion studies landscape and the fields of fashion writing and fashion curation during a meteoric rise.



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## Fashion Knowledge Theories, Methods, Practices and Politics

Edited by Elke Gaugele and Monica Titton

This new edited collection assembles academic essays and intellectual activism next to visual essays and artistic interventions, proposing a different concept for fashion research that eschews the traditional logic of academic fashion studies. Contributors look at new types of fashion knowledge that are forming along with shifting practices, shedding light on the entanglement of fashion and politics in both contemporary and historical moments.



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Each chapter of this collection focuses on an individual or group's mode of working and methodological practice of performance across a range of modes, disciplines, and media, from community opera to online gueer performance; from anti-racist classroom pedagogy to 1980s cabaret in nightclubs; from community art projects in schools to community writing projects in transport interchanges.

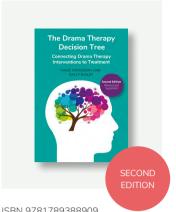
The performers, writers and creators represented here engage and grapple with contemporary performance as a situated practice and as a problem, offering case studies detailing socially engaged work that aligns with concepts of performance and community.

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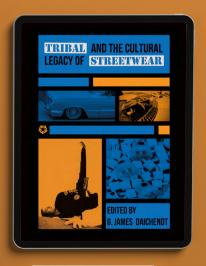
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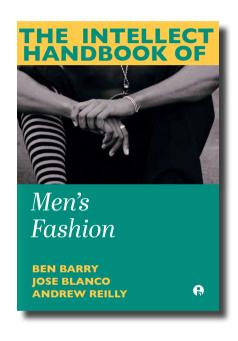


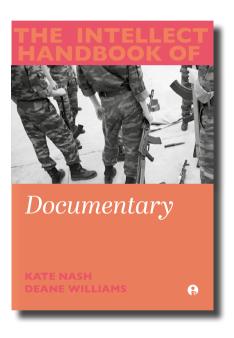






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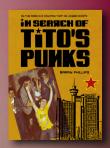


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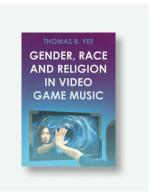












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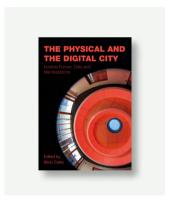


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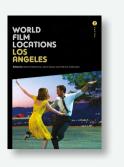
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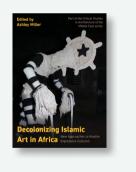
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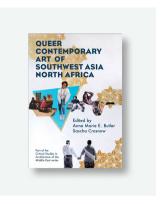
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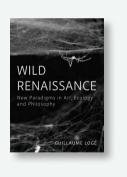
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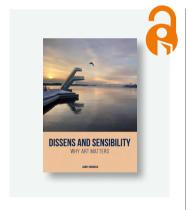
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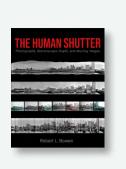
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Marisa Carnesky has been a central figure in performance and live art during the last thirty years; her practice as a showwoman promotes alternative visions of matriarchal entertainment utopias and a new relationship to women's position to power and politics.



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By Laura Levin

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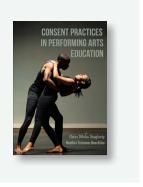
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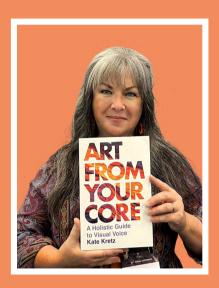
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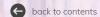
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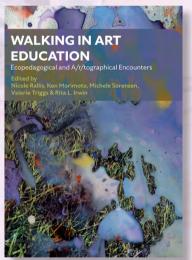


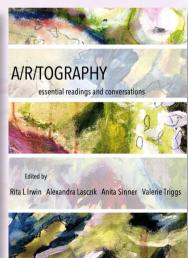
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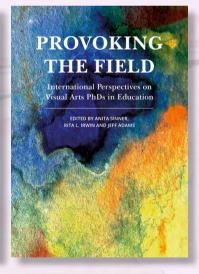
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