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• Main Projects

1996 – **Human Hunting Trophies (HHT)** – beginning of the project

1997 – **Mail-Order Territory Sale (VTPC)** > <http://goulet.free.fr/vtpc>

2000 – **SkinBag** – first objects > www.skinbag.net

2001 – **Relic of the Bionic Man**

2005 – **Protected Kisses** – performances (facial condoms)

2008 – **Human Profile** – beginning of the drawing series

2013 – **Onirika** – interdisciplinary project : architecture, art, performance, well-being - www.onirika.org

2014 – **O Democracy** – study for a governance softwar

• Solo Exhibitions

1989 – **Im Waldwinkel** – forest installations, Berlin, D

1992 – **Walking on the Cow's Back** – Institut Français, Mainz, D

1993 – **Moving Islands** – Art Centre, Plymouth, GB

1994 – **Installation** – Cité des Arts, Atelier A, Paris

1996 – **Stop Breathing** – Artothèque de Caen

2001 – **Human Relics** – Galerie du Bellay, Rouen

2005 – **e-magicians** – Valenciennes

2006 – **Skin** – Roxy, Basel, CH and Rigiblick, Zürich, CH

2007 – **SkinBag Shop Windows** – 107RIVOLI, Paris

2010 – **For Life** – Château de Boisset les Prévanches

2010 – **Transcorporation** – Hypertopie Gallery, Caen

2012 – **Human Hunting Trophies** – LUX, Caen

2013 – **MixCorpus** – Bains-douches, Alençon

• Group Exhibitions

1992 – **Drift of a Fossil Land and Its Inhabitants** – installation, Trélon

1992 – **Polar Night in a Blind Head** – installation, Hérouville-St-Clair Video Festival

1993 – **Master 93** – installation, ENSB-A, Paris

1997 – **Skin** – Galerie Alain Gutharc, Paris

1997 – **White Lands** – VTPC site presentation, CICV, Montbéliard

1998 – **Mutants** – Galerie Philippe Rizzo, Paris

1998 – **Night of Mutation** – By The Way Agency

2002 – **NIM Retrospective** – Galerie Patricia Dorfmann, Paris

2004 – **Immobilis, the Immobile Body** – presentation of TCH, Musée des moulages, Lyon

2004 – **Mutatis Mutandis** – Musée d’Histoire de la Médecine, Paris
 2004 – **Posthumous Art** – Galerie Artcore, Paris
 2005 – **A Body Defended** – ENS Festival, Lyon
 2005 – **Designer’s Day** – Galeries Lafayette, Paris
 2006 – **Curiosities** – MateriO, Paris
 2006 – **20 Years** – Artothèque de Caen
 2006 – **Eden DNA** – Saint-Etienne Design Biennale
 2006 – **Figures of Artifice** – Musée d’Ethnographie, Neuchâtel, CH
 2007 – **Nature Design** – Museum für Gestaltung, Zürich, CH
 2007 – **Heroic Women** – Musée de l’Homme, Paris
 2008 – **Sk-interfaces** – FACT, Liverpool, GB
 2008 – **Skin Deep** – Glas Museum, Leerdam, NL
 2008 – **Design & Emotion** – Landesmuseum, Karlsruhe, D
 2008 – **Article 08** – Contemporary Art Biennale, Stavanger, NO
 2009 – **Freeze ! 2009** – International MedTech Art Show, Museum of Modern Art, Taipei, Taiwan
 2009 – **Sk-interfaces** – Casino Luxembourg, LU
 2009 – **(dis) common accords** – Frac HN, Rouen
 2009 – **Passport Number** – Vitrites du Palais Royal, Paris
 2010 – **Inspired by Nature** – MateriO Paris / Bucharest, RU
 2010 – **Skin** – Wellcome Collection, London, GB
 2010 – **A moment in** – show room A. Demeulemeester, Paris
 2011 – **Evil Things** – Gewerbemuseum Winterthur, CH
 2011 – **El dia de los muertos** – Pavillon de Normandie, Caen
 2011 – **Skin** – Fondation Claude Verdan, Lausanne, CH
 2011 – **Beauty is Always Strange** – Frac HN, Rouen
 2012 – **Flaubert’s Disease** – Musée Flaubert and Medical History, Rouen
 2014 – **Evil Things** – Hofmobiliendepot, Möbel Museum Wien, A
 2014 – **TransVision 2014** – Espace Pierre Gilles de Gennes, Paris
 2019 – **Liberty, Equality, Diversity** – Abbaye Daoulas
 2020 – **Fields of Possibilities** – ar[T]senal, Dreux
 2023 – **Fashion, or the Enchanting Spectacle of the Code** – NYC, USA

• Performances & conferences

1993 – **Narrative Installation** – Fondation Schlumberger, Château de Crèvecœur en Auge
 2001 – **Post-Human** – discussion with Paul Ardenne, Galerie du Bellay, Rouen
 2004 – **VTPC** – conference at Musée des moulages, Lyon
 2004 – **O Game Video** – Vidéoformes (Clermont-Ferrand) and Rencontres Parallèles (Hérouville St-C.)
 2005 – **Orbitallink** – dance improvisation, OPA, Paris
 2005 – **Masterclass** – Studio National des Arts Contemporains, Le Fresnoy, Roubaix
 2005 – **SkinBag: Organic / Digital Interface** – conference, e-magicians, Valenciennes
 2006 – **Skin** – choreography by Cathy Sharp, Basel, CH
 2006 – **Skin** – Dieppe Scène Nationale Festival
 2006 – **Night of Mutation** – SkinBag Performance, Budapest, HU
 2006 – **Ending Anthropomorphism** – Organism seminar lecture, Paris 3 Sorbonne
 2008 – **Dance Improvisation** – University of Stavanger, NO for Article 08
 2008-10 – **Protected Kisses** – performance, Liverpool, GB / Leerdam, NL / Caen
 2010 – **Orbitallink** – dance performance, Cabinet of Curiosities, Paris

2010 – **For Life** – performance with SB-burqa, Boisset, Caen / London, GB
 2012 – **The Moment of the Living** – Conference, Cerisy la Salle
 2012 – **Molecular Soup** – performance, Assises du Vivant, ESPGG, Paris
 2013 – **The Game of Go** – lecture, conference A quoi sert le concept de jeu ?, Cerisy la Salle
 2013 – **Assises du Vivant** – intervention, UNESCO headquarters, Paris
 2013 – **Magnetic** – dance performance with SB-burqa, Blois
 2013-15 – **Painting Festival** – Onirika, Boisset, 27
 2014 – **O Democracy and Governance Software** – Conf., TransVision 2014, ESPGG, Paris
 2016 – **From Skinfolts to Gestural Unfolding** – performative lecture, The Fold conf., EnsAD, Paris
 2016 – **For Life** – performance with SB-burqa, Fleury Mèrogys
 2017 – **Song of Gestures: Ambiguous Gestures** – performative lecture, Cehta / INHA, Paris
 2017 – **Life is a Vapor** – performance with D. Peysson, Opéra Comique, Paris
 2018 – **Meeting in 1000 Breaths** – performance with L. Pointelin, Sepulcre, Caen
 2019 – **Meeting in 1000 Breaths (dark version)** – Le Labo des Arts, Caen
 2020 – **Shared Air** – arTsenal, Dreux
 2021 – **Flower of Skin** – performance with D. Peysson, Sorbonne, Paris
 2021 – **Life is Steam** – performance with D. Peysson, festival Si (Non) Oui, Evry
 2021 – **Shared Air** – festival Si (Non) Oui, Evry
 2021 – **Skin Deep** – performance with D. Peysson, Sorbonne, Paris
 2022 – **Echoes** – Qi Gong improvisation with P. Lallemand, Echoes of Pink Floyd, Giverny
 2023 – **Musical Improvisation** – with N. Perdillat, library, St-André de l'Eure
 2023 – **Thanks to Life** – musical improvisation with N. Perdillat and Z. Goulet, library, St-André de l'E.

• Publications

1988 – **And the Stories** – 9 woodcuts and 9 personal texts, 200 copies
 1990 – **Waldwinkel Petite Forêt Cinéraire** – 2 vols., text (68 p.), engravings (50 p.), 100 copies
 1991 – **Petite Forêt Cinéraire** – booklet for dance performance, 50 copies
 1996 – **381 Characters, 381 Places, and Two Colors** – Artothèque de Caen Catalogue
 2002 – **Bye-bye (Domestic Massacre)** – Arlix/Goulet, 16 p., 1000 copies
 2007 – **Figures of Artifice** (Cat.) – Musée Ethno. Neuchâtel, CH, pp.38-39, 179 & 210-217
 2007 – **Nature Design** (Cat.) – Museum für Gestaltung, Zürich, CH, pp.204-205
 2008 – **Sk-interfaces** (Cat.) – FACT, Liverpool, GB, pp.150-152
 2009 – **Freeze ! 2009** (Cat.) – Museum of Modern Art, Taipei, Taiwan, pp.88-90
 2014 – **Creative Skins** – Klinckseck, pp.85-86
 2015 – **Through the Prism of the Game** – Ed. Hermann, lecture on Go, pp.207-221
 2016 – **The Moment of the Living** – PUF, pp.441-459

• Public Collections

1991 – **Petite Forêt Cinéraire** – engraving, Artothèque de Caen
 1995 – **Walking on the Cow's Back** – engraving, Artothèque de Caen
 2006 – **Suzanne and John** – photographs, Artothèque de Caen
 2007 – **Facial Condom and SkinBag Vest** – Museum of Ethnography, Neuchâtel, CH
 2008 – **SkinBag Bags** – Musée d'Art Moderne de Saint-Etienne
 2008 – **Human Profile n°7 and SkinBag Head-Hand** – FRAC Haute-Normandie
 2010 – **Human Profile n°8 Ecce Homo and HP n°10 Watcher** – Artothèque de Caen