



Naim June Paik - Electronic Superhighway

If, as Toni Cade Bambara says, “The role of the artist is to make the revolution irresistible,” how?? How do artists shatter the past & reassemble it into a new future? In this class, we’ll look at contemporary visual, performance, & video artists who reframe, rewire, & rewrite art history & popular culture. In our Zoom chats & live-Tweeting sessions, we’ll crack open our personal definitions of what art *should* be, in order to imagine what art *could* be. Naim June Paik reimagines screens as sculpture. Ryan Trecartin drains the glow from Reality TV. Young Jean Lee sets fire to the minstrel show & white domestic drama. America is cracking at the seams. Who imagines what’s next? ARTISTS.



Young Jean Lee - The Shipment (left), Ryan Trecartin - I-Be Area (right)

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