

BOOM

A JOURNAL OF CALIFORNIA

VOLUME 5 | NUMBER 2 | SUMMER 2015



ART, PHOTOGRAPHY, AND THE LAY OF THE LAND

Contributors iii

From the Editor's Desktop v

The *Boom* List | *Boom Staff*

What to do, see, hear, and read this summer in California i

Instant, Insistent History | *Richard White*

Photographs by Jesse White 4

Manifesting Destiny | *Tony Gleaton* 12

Human Nature | *Laura Aguilar* 22

The *Boom* Interview | *Lauren Bon*

The Metabolic Studio's devices of wonder 28

River Glass | *Matthew Kingle*

Photographs by Michael Kolster 42

Dry Season | *Matt Black* 52

Industrial Materials | *Barron Bixler* 64

Bloom | *Ken Goldberg, Sanjay Krishnan, Fernanda Viégas,*
and Martin Wattenberg

Text by JoAnne Northrup 78



Parks Are Social | *Jon Christensen*

Photographs from Flickr 86

Show, Don't Tell | *Lynell George* 92

On the Edge | *William L. Fox*

Photographs by Marie-José Jongerius 100

The Santa Ana | *Susan Straight*

Photographs by Douglas McCulloh 112



Tree Lines | *Michael P. Cohen*

Drawings by Valerie Cohen 122