DON’T TOUCH!

EXAMINING THE SHIFTING ROLE OF THE MUSEUM

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Ritual Experience: one which has “a purpose, an end. It is seen as transformative: it confers or renews identity or purifies or restores order in the self or to the world through sacrifice, ordeal, or enlightenment” (Duncan, 13).
“Framing” the Museum

Fig. 1 LA Zoo Entrance

Fig. 2 LACMA Entrance
Winnick Family Children’s Zoo
WINNICK FAMILY CHILDREN’ S ZOO
HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES
WINNICK FAMILY CHILDREN’S ZOO

Fig. 4
Prairie Dog Enclosure
CRITTERS N’ KIDS

Fig. 5 Gorilla Footprints
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Fig. 6 Burdan, Chris. “Metropolis II.” LACMA
Thank You!