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David Hollier was born in Wolverhampton, England in 1971. He got his Bachelor's degree in Visual Art from the University of Northumbria, and his Master's degree in Computer imaging and animation from London Guildhall University. He has been living and working in Brooklyn, New York since 2002, where he divides his time between painting and teaching. He has been an adjunct professor at Parsons School of Design - The New School in New York City since 2005.

In his recent series "Imago Verbosa," David Hollier creates images of cultural and political icons as composites of their famous words in the form of painted and typed text. The name Imago Verbosa is Latin for a picture made of words. Part social commentary and part documentary, Hollier's work literally blurs the lines between pop culture and politics and invites us to consider the power of words to influence and endure.