



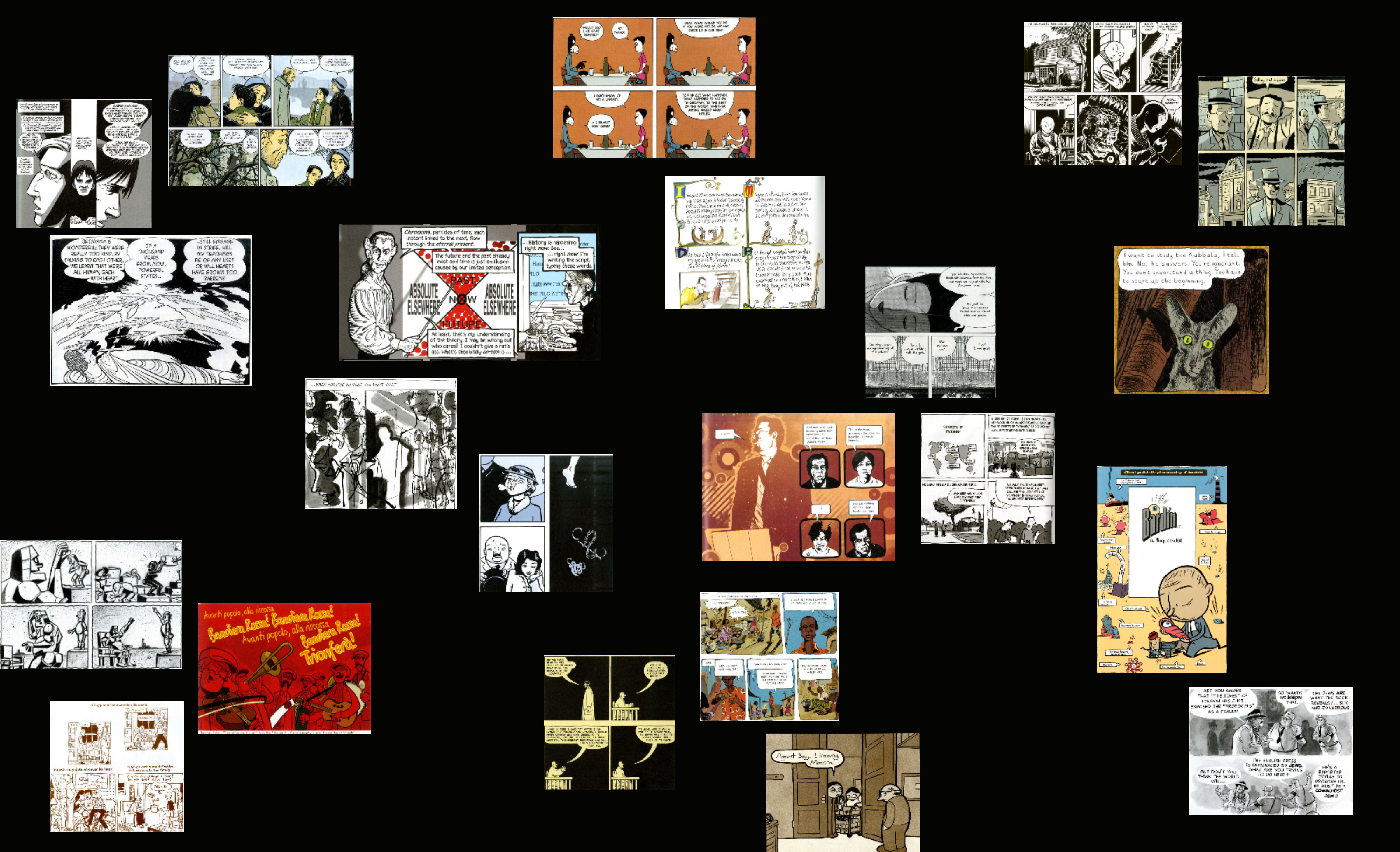
COMICS IN THE CURRICULUM

Graphic novels and comics are, for the most part, a recent addition to the Columbia University Libraries collections, and this addition reflects both the variety and sophistication of the medium as well as critical and academic interest.

The “graphic novel” is a format—narrative conveyed through sequential art—not a genre, and as such these works encompass a myriad of genres and artistic styles, as you can see in the images here.

While these materials can be read for entertainment—as can much of the literature in the libraries’ collections—they can also be incorporated into research and curricula to illustrate a variety of themes. The examples in the display cases that follow merely scratch the surface.

For more information about Butler’s graphic novels collection, contact Karen Green at klg19@columbia.edu



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