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CASEfest Calendar



We're proud to share this information from our partner, Art Saint Louis, announcing the opening of "Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience" tomorrownight from 5-7pm. Come see what inspires regional artists 70 + years of age. Great conversations during the run of the show and wonderful coffees at their Catalyst Coffee Bar.

[Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience 2018](#)

Please join Art Saint Louis for our Spring 2018 exhibit, *Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience*, featuring works by 32 St. Louis regional artists.

***Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience* April 14-May 24, 2018. FREE reception Saturday, April 21, 5-7 p.m.**

Art Saint Louis presents *Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience*, an all media juried exhibit presented in the Art Saint Louis Gallery at 1223 Pine Street in downtown St. Louis, MO. The exhibition is presented April 14 through May 24, 2018, and opens with a **FREE reception on Saturday, April 21 from 5-7 p.m.**



APRIL 14 - MAY 24, 2018



MATURITY AND ITS MUSE

Celebrating Artistic Experience

Multi-media juried exhibit showcasing the talents of Artists Informed by Time. Artists aged 70+ who, by making art, share their thoughts & ideas about the world and themselves with us.

JURORS
Lynn Friedman Hamilton, independent curator, Executive Director, Maturity and Its Muse, St. Louis; and Hannah Klemm, Assistant Curator, Modern and Contemporary Art, Saint Louis Art Museum

FREE
Opening reception
Saturday, April 21, 2018, 5-7 p.m.

FREE & OPEN to the public
Monday - Friday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Closed Sundays & Holidays





Art Saint Louis | 1223 Pine St. | St. Louis, MO
Presented by Art Saint Louis with support from Regional Arts Commission and Missouri Arts Council

Graphic design by Emily Amberger. This juried exhibit showcases the talents of Artists Informed by Time. This exhibit was open to artists aged 70+ who, by making art, share their thoughts & ideas about the world and themselves with us. For this exhibit, 135 artworks were submitted by 49 St. Louis regional artists

for consideration by exhibition Jurors Lynn Friedman Hamilton and Hannah Klemm from which they selected 51 artworks in a variety of media by 31 artists from Missouri and Illinois for the final show.

Artworks featured in this multi-media exhibit address all themes, styles, techniques, and media—the theme of this exhibit is actually the artists themselves. The 51 artworks featured include book arts, ceramics, collage, digital media, drawing, glass, jewelry, painting, pastel, photography, and more.

We invite you to take a sneak peek at the exhibit in our Facebook exhibit album [here](#). All of the works featured in the show can be viewed in this album, which also includes gallery views. We will add highlights from our April 21 opening reception shortly.

Serving as Jurors for this year's exhibit were Lynn Friedman Hamilton and Hannah Klemm. Lynn Friedman Hamilton is Founder and Executive Director of [Maturity and Its Muse](#), a St. Louis-based organization that engages older adults and celebrates aging. Lynn has spent more than a quarter of a century organizing social group activities for older adults through Maturity and Its Muse. A curator, former gallery owner and entrepreneur, she has extensive experience in the arts. Hannah Klemm is Assistant Curator of Modern & Contemporary Art at the Saint Louis Art Museum, St. Louis, Missouri. Klemm previously was the Fisher Collection Graduate Curatorial Fellow at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA.

This exhibit is a follow-up to our 2016 presentation, [Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience](#). We had such an enjoyable time presenting the previous exhibit that we decided to do it again in 2018.

The 31 featured artists in this exhibition include:

J'Ann Schoonmaker Allen, St. Louis, MO

Bob Bolla, Chesterfield, MO

[Ty de LaVenta](#), St. Louis, MO

Dion Dion, Ballwin, MO

[John Dyess](#), Eureka, MO
Marcia Gay, Defiance, MO
M.J. Goerke, St. Louis, MO
James Hildebrand, St. Louis, MO
[Maurice Hirsch](#), Chesterfield, MO
Jane Johnson Hoeltzel, Clayton, MO
[Barbara Holtz](#), Clayton, MO
Jane Isenberg, Chesterfield, MO
[Sandy Kaplan](#), Richmond Heights, MO
Terry Lay, St. Louis, MO
Jo Rezny McCredie, Arnold, MO
[Kitty Mollman](#), Ladue, MO
[Elizabeth Moore](#), St. Louis, MO
John Newman, St. Louis, MO
[Pat Owoc](#), St. Louis, MO
[Adrienne Patel](#), St. Louis, MO
[Judith Repke](#), Bridgeton, MO
[Dennis Ringer](#), Collinsville, IL
Clarence Robinson, Florissant, MO
Harvey Salvin, St. Louis, MO
Marceline Saphian, Chesterfield, MO
Marilyn R. Smith, St. Louis, MO
Charles L. Vincent, Festus, MO
Kate Warner, Kirkwood, MO
Razine Wenneker, St. Louis, MO
Kay Wood, St. Louis, MO
Barbara Zucker, St. Louis, MO



SPECIAL EVENT

COFFEE WITH THE ARTISTS: SATURDAY GALLERY TALK

Saturday, April 28, 10-11 a.m. **FREE**

Please join us at Art Saint Louis on **Saturday, April 28, at 10 a.m.** and meet four of the featured artists in *Maturity and Its Muse: Celebrating Artistic Experience*.

Guests can enjoy complimentary coffee tastings courtesy of [Catalyst Coffee Bar](#) while the artists talk about their works on view in the exhibit, discuss the media that they use and the various techniques that they apply to making their form of artwork. The artists may also bring in small samples of their other artworks. Guests will walk with the artists through the Gallery as they talk about their works on view in this special exhibition. This event is FREE & open to the public.

Meet the following artists at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 28:

- J'Ann Schoonmaker Allen, *mixed media, printmaking*
- [Ty de LaVenta](#), *mixed media painting*
- [Sandy Kaplan](#), *ceramic sculpture*
- [Elizabeth \(Betty\) Moore](#), *painting*

PARKING RECOMMENDATIONS

There are parking METERS on Pine Street and Olive Street & other nearby streets. Parking meters run 8 a.m. until 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday. [Fines](#)

[are steep](#) (\$15-20), so don't let your meter expire. If you park at a meter for the reception, remember that meters operate in downtown until 7 p.m. on Saturday. [Visit Downtown St. Louis.org's website](#) for additional parking suggestions. You can also download the handy [Parkmobile app](#), whereby you can monitor & pay your parking meter via your mobile phone.

Hourly parking is available in the PARK PACIFIC GARAGE with an entrance on the South side of Olive just West of Tucker. Parking is at your own expense-we do not validate. Pay for parking with cash or credit at machine in elevator bay (no more than 15 minutes prior to departure) OR by credit card upon exiting garage. Be sure to take your parking receipt/ticket with you when you exit your car to visit the Gallery or you won't be able to get back in to the garage to get to your garage. Your parking ticket is your key to get back in to the garage.

The Gallery is easily accessible by PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION with MetroLink and MetroBus with MetroBus stops on Olive Street and Tucker right near the building.

All contents of this newsletter can be found at Art Saint Louis' [webpage](#).

Need transportation to any of our events? Please email lynn@maturityanditsmuse.org. She will do her best to be sure you get there!

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