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# LA Art Show News

### LA Art Show Just a Few Months Away...

Four months to showtime! We are looking forward to see you in person July 29 to August 1 at the LA Convention Center! Here's an update for our participating galleries, museums, art aficionados, sponsors and friends on what's in store at the LA Art Show this year. Stay tuned for more exciting news coming soon...

#### **ROOTS Highlights:**

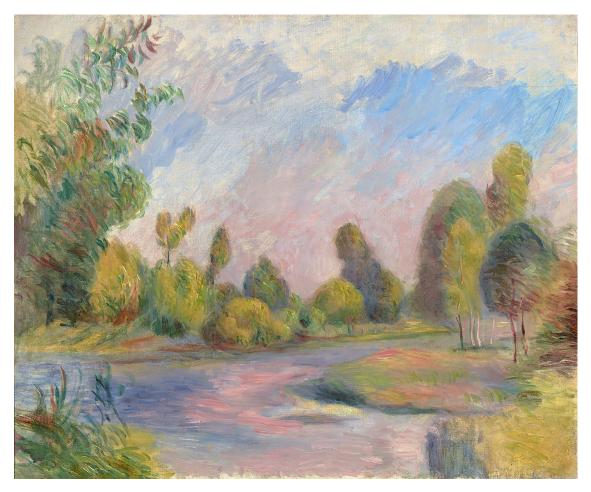
#### Featured Gallery: M.S. Rau, New Orleans

We're delighted to welcome back M.S. Rau as a participating gallery in the ROOTS section of the LA Art Show this year. Our ROOTS space is a special exhibition area dedicated to honoring voices and movements from the past. M.S. Rau is among the exhibitors that showcase historical works and contemporary artists following in those traditions.



Berthe Morisot by Edouard Manet. Courtesy M.S. Rau

Since 1912, M.S. Rau has earned the trust of discerning collectors worldwide. In 2019, the New Orleans based gallery unveiled a multi-million dollar gallery expansion, nearly doubling in size. Today, the gallery totals nearly 40,000 square feet overflowing with important, original paintings and sculptures, along with antiques by names including Tiffany & Co., Paul Revere and Fabergé and a diverse collection of fine jewels. A real show-stopper, M.S. Rau will be presenting a spectacular selection of paintings by luminary European, Asian and American artists at this year's fair.



Au Bord de la Rivière by Pierre-Auguste Renoir. Courtesy M.S. Rau

"M.S. Rau always looks forward to participating in the premier LA Art Show, and are thrilled to be returning this summer," said Bill Rau, CEO and owner of M.S. Rau Antiques. "We are excited to showcase some of our recently acquired works by important artists including Renoir, Manet, Cassatt, Hassam, and N.C. Wyeth. It's an honor to be a part of this creative community's reopening, and we can't wait to see everyone in L.A."

To find out more about M.S. Rau, <u>click here</u>.



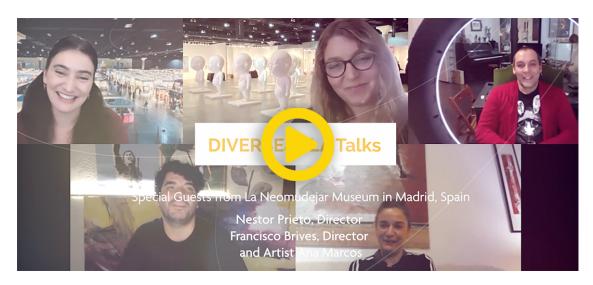
Bill Rau and daughter Rebecca Rau, 3rd and 4th generation owners of M.S. Rau in New Orleans, will showcase an extensive collection of museum-quality fine art spanning centuries and styles by masters likeClaude Monet, Vincent van Gogh, Norman Rockwell and Pierre Auguste Renoir.

#### **DIVERSEartLA Talks**

Please check out the latest edition of our new monthly virtual DIVERSEartLA Talks hosted by LA Art Show director Kassandra Voyagis and moderated by DIVERSEartLA curator Marisa Caichiolo. In the most recent episode, we feature special guests from the La Neomudéjar Museum in Madrid, Spain, La Neomudéjar Director Nestor Prieto, Director Francisco Brives and artist Ana Marcos.

This exciting new series of virtual discussions focuses on the contribution and presence of women and non-binary artists in the research and documentation of art, science and technology. Providing an opportunity to learn more about the DIVERSEartLA program and its vital role in the LA Art Show, the virtual talks offer behind the scenes stories and updates, to inform and engage our audience leading up to the 2021 LA Art Show.

The new series of dialogs is accessible for view now on the LA Art Show website!



## Close-up: St. Jude

### 13-year old Budding Artist Paints St. Jude Tree of Life

We're very pleased that <u>St. Jude Children's Research Hospital®</u> will return as our charity partner for 2021. Here's an inspiring story about a young St. Jude patient who loves to paint.

Victoria Rubio-LeBron's painting, "The St. Jude Tree of Life," tells the story of her experience as a patient at St. Jude, where she received proton therapy treatments after two surgeries on a brain tumor, called meningioma, which is rare in children. The trunk represents St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. "The long branches are all the departments, facilities and all the different parts of St. Jude. The little branches are all the doctors and nurses, and the donors, as well, who take care of St. Jude," said Victoria.



Victoria Rubio-LeBron

"Then all the leaves are the patients who are there. And if you look at it, there are some falling leaves. Those represent the patients who have passed away."

The 13-year old artist uses bright colors in her uplifting paintings, like her artistic contribution to the World Golf Championships-FedEx St. Jude Invitational. Her painting of an ice cream sundae was featured along with the art of other patients on TaylorMade putter covers used by golfers Dustin Johnson, Rory McIlroy, Jon Rahm, Jason Day, Matthew Wolff and Collin Morikawa.

Victoria's paintings have been auctioned to raise money for St. Jude, and she's collaborated with a noted South Florida artist, Alex Mijares, on the T-shirt art for the annual Team Victoria Walk/Run fundraiser. While she has said she'd like to be a radiation oncologist when she grows up, Victoria always wants art to be a part of her life.



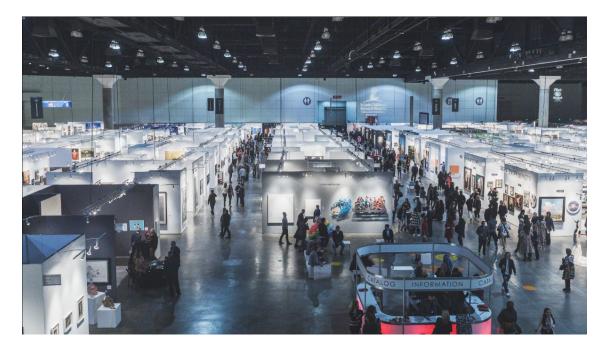
The St. Jude Tree of Life by Victoria



Ice Cream Sundae by Victoria

The 2021 edition of the LA Art Show will return to the LA Convention Center, West Hall, July 29—August 1, 2021. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Exhibitor applications are now open**. To apply for the 2021 LA Art Show, please <u>click</u> <u>here</u>.



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