## **MASTERWORKS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL GUILD OF REALISM**

MASTERWORKS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL GUILD OF REALISM is a new initiative intended to recognize achievement in realism and result in a traveling museum exhibition. The exhibition consists of about 70 artworks by 65 artists selected by a jury-of-peers shaped by input from the project's tour director. Artcyclopedia.com/ defines Contemporary Realism as a movement which emerged in America, in the late 1960's and early 1970's concerned with "the straightforward realistic approach to representation which continues to be widely practiced in this post-abstract era . . . (and) is different from Photorealism, which is somewhat exaggerated and ironic and conceptual in its nature." The International Guild of Realism represents some 350 artists from some 35 countries around the world who form a disparate group, and, though literate in conventions of Modern Art, choose to work in traditional forms.

The mission of the International Guild of Realism is to advance realism in fine art and to promote the careers of the representational artists it represents. Among the goals of The Guild are to recognize the best realists working today, and to share their work with the public. Toward that end, The International Guild of Realism reached out to David J. Wagner, L.L.C., to produce a traveling exhibition of museum-quality works representative of the best work of its members today who work in a range of media including oil, acrylic, watercolor, egg tempera, graphite and colored pencil.

Jurors responsible for selecting works for MASTERWORKS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL GUILD OF REALISM included: Donald Clapper, painter and Founding Charter Member, International Guild of Realism; Vala Ola, painter and sculptor from Iceland (now U.S), and Charter Member, International Guild of Realism and Art Renewal Center Living Master; and William Rowett, Scottsdale Realism Collector. David J. Wagner, Ph.D., served as Curatorial Advisor to the jury. MASTERWORKS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL GUILD OF REALISM is comprised of work embodies which high standards of excellence and ranges from ultra-contemporary to timeless traditional realism. The checklist of the exhibition is as follows:

Alban	Lee	USA	The Toy Box	2011	Oil On Panel
Alberto	Jorge	USA	"C" is for cat	2013	Oil On Panel
Alberto	Jorge	USA	Allegory of the Arts	2012	Oil On Panel
Andresen	Nancy	USA	Barnum	2014	Oil on Canvas
Anthony	Janice	USA United	Threshold	2015	Acrylic on Linen
Barthelemy	Christian	Kingdom	French Alps, Mont Blanc massif autumn	1999	Oil on Canvas
Beasley	Glenn	USA	First Light	2014	Oil on Panel
Besse	Linda	USA	The Art Student	2013	Oil on Board
Blackburn	R. Geoffrey	USA	Twilight on the Colorado	2012	Oil on Linen
Bowen	Ginger	USA	Hawk	2012	Oil on Linen on Board
Bowers	David Michael	USA	The Observer	2010	Oil on Panel
Bowers	David Michael	USA	Made in America	2011	Oil on Linen
Brooks	Hebe	USA	Patriotic Melody	2013	Oil on Linen
Cantrell	Sheila	USA	Red Pears at Play	2010	Colored Pencil
Carroll	Pamela	USA	Jean-Baptiste Greuze Post Card	2008	Oil on Board
Cassity	Daniel Mark	USA	Keys to the Kingdom	2012	Oil on Panel
Chandler	Marsha	USA	Pear Mosaic	2012	Watercolor on Paper
Clapper	Donald	USA	Ernest, Which Stamp is Real?	2003	Oil on Panel

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Clements (Barber)		USA	Serene Afternoon on Cape Ann	2012	Oil on Canvas
Copley	Ed	USA	One Stitch at a Time	2015	Oil on Linen
Copley	Ed	USA	Breath Taking	2014	Oil on Linen
Diefenbach	Lyn	Australia	Reflections on a Journey 4 - Behind the Mask	2014	Oil on Linen
Dolan	John Philbin	USA	Nolan	2013	Pastel
Dunphy	Evelyn	USA	Exuberance	2013	Watercolor
Engel	Camille	USA	A Song Worth Volumes	2010	Oil on Panel
Gonzalez	George A.	USA	Brain Games	2014	Oil on Panel
Gorman	Allan	USA	Ruby & Sapphire	2014	Oil on Linen
Grimes	Deanna	USA	Duck Social	2012	Oil on Canvas
Henchell	Paula	Canada	Mountain Bluebird	2014	Oil on Panel
Henderson	K.	USA	PB&J #2	2014	Oil on Linen
Hinojosa	Albino	USA	Relics	2015	Acrylic
Johnson	Joan Essex	USA	After We Play	2012	Oil on Panel
Jones	Jane	USA	Crimson Evening	2012	Oil on Canvas
Jones	Steven	USA	Books & Strings I	2008	Oil & Tempera
Kim	Grace	USA	Dragon Fruit	2013	Oil on Linen
Kloosterboer	Lorena	Belgium	Tempus ad Requiem III	2014	Acrylic on Canvas
Kornachuk	Anne-Marie	Canada	Leaving Eden: Vertigo	2010	Oil and Gold Leaf on Panel
Lalik	Sharon Guyton	USA	Ketchup and Pepper	2010	Oil on Canvas
Lende	Jette van der	Norway	Freedom of Speech	2008	Oil on Canvas
Lindamood	Patsy	USA	Just Giraffe	2014	Pastel on Ampersand
McWethy	Tatiana	USA	Caravaggio	2011	Oil on Linen
Miller	Terry	USA	February Sun	2011	Graphite
Nelson	Priscilla	USA	Chasing Shadows	2014	Oil on Canvas
Nixon	Daphne Wynne	USA	Hard-Boiled Lemon & Egg Squeezer	2003	Oil on Board
Nyayapathi	Sivananda	USA	Damon Carter	2013	Oil on Linen
Ola	Vala	USA	Moonstruck	2012	Oil on Canvas
Pech	Arleta	USA	Collected Toys	2014	Oil on Linen
Penning	Cees	USA	Cupcakes	2015	Oil on Panel
Peyton	Anne	USA	Prey Watch	2014	Acrylic
Poole	Colin	USA	Daydream	2000	Oil on Panel
Prezioso	Michael Robert	USA	Homage to Ingre	2014	Oil on Linen
Pruys	Cher	Canada	The Bubble	2014	Mixed Media
Royston	Scott	USA	Propitiation	2013	Oil on Panel
Rusin	Len	USA	Misty Morning Climber	2012	Oil on Panel
Saunois	Laurence	France	Ordinary Wildlife	2014	Oil on Board
Scaglia	Ken	USA	Saratoga 300	2011	Acrylic on Canvas
Schwartz	Gerald	USA	Dusk	2013	Oil on Canvas
Sistrunk	Beth	USA	Athena in Spring	2014	Oil and 23.5 Gold Alum
Skudal	Atle	Norway	Sewing Machine	2008	Oil on Canvas
Srebnik	Craig	USA	Her Morning Bath	2015	Oil on Panel
Starostka	Ardith	USA	Persephone	2012	Oil on Linen Mount Panel
Starostka	Ardith	USA	Pearl Necklace	2011	Oil on Linen
Stommes	Jan -	USA	Trompe l'Oeil Series: Art of Raptors	2014	Acrylic
Swift	Peter	USA	Sewing a Strawberry	1982	Oil on Canvas
Thompson	S. Mark	USA	Morning Glory	2012	Egg Tempera
Thompson 	S. Mark	USA	Delft Vase with Rembrandt Tulips	2010	Egg Tempera
Tiessen	Josh	Canada	Pond's Edge	2013	Acrylic on Baltic Birch
Tietjen	Laurie	USA	Cleo Sleeping on Bed	2012	Watercolor
Weiss	Elizabeth	USA	Reawakening	2015	Oil on Linen
Wright	William	USA	Altar of Sacrifice, Zion NP	2013	Oil on Panel
Yee	Karen	USA	Nikki	2014	Acrylic
Yenkevich	William Michael	USA	Still Life - Essence of Beauty	2013	Oil on Linen on Hardwood Panel

## THE MASTERWORKS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL GUILD OF REALISM TOUR

Produced by David J. Wagner, L.L.C.

## **ITINERARY**

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September 1 - October 31, 2015 Appleton Museum of Art Ocala, FL

February 6 - June 11, 2016 Albany Museum of Art Albany, GA

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