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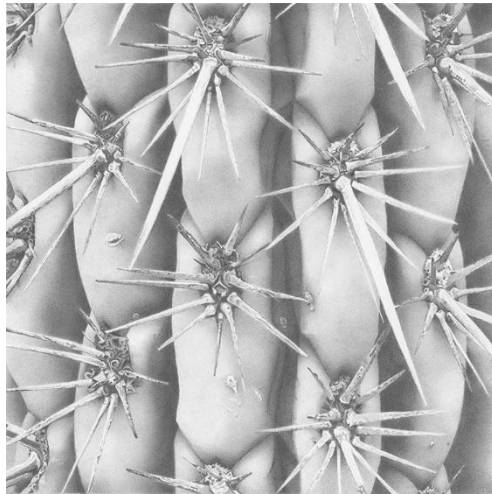
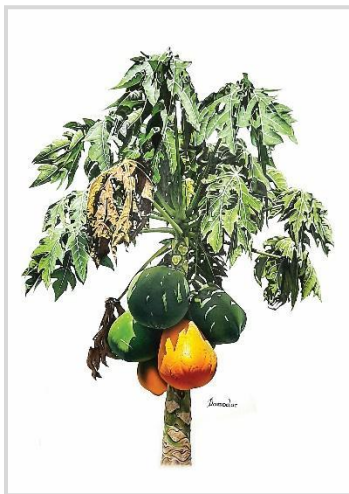
Wave Hill Presents Annual Exhibition of Botanical Art in Collaboration with the American Society of Botanical Artists

November 19–December 30, 2022

Bronx, NY, November 3, 2022—A public garden in the Bronx, Wave Hill is pleased to welcome back the American Society of Botanical Artists (ASBA) for the 25th Annual International ASBA juried exhibition. The annual exhibition took place at Wave Hill in 2018 and 2020, as well. In addition to an opening reception on Saturday, November 19, a virtual talk with exhibiting artists, moderated by John Pastoriza-Piñol will be held on Tuesday, December 13.

Nature as Artistic Subject, Framed by a Stunning Garden

Organized in collaboration with the ASBA, the 25th Annual International celebrates both the enduring appeal of nature as a subject for artists and the complex and rich diversity of plants including shrubs, flowers, fruits, nuts, and legumes among them.



From left: Damodar Lal Gurjar, Papaya Tree, 2022. Carica papaya. Tempera on paper. 16 x 13 inches. Claudia Campazzo, Danger, 2021. Echinopsis chiloensis. Graphite on paper. 8 x 8 inches. Akiko Enokido, Camellia chrysantha, 2021. Watercolor on vellum. 10 1/4 x 8 1/2 inches.

All photos courtesy of the artist and American Society of Botanical Artists.

The exhibition features 46 artworks that highlight a range of botanical interests. They were selected by exhibition jurors John Pastoriza-Piñol, botanical artist and educator; Karen Kluglein, botanical artist and instructor; and Eileen Jeng Lynch, Director of Curatorial Programs, Bronx Museum of the Arts and former Curator of Visual Arts at Wave Hill. The international roster includes artists from the United States, Canada, Czech Republic, France, India, Ireland, Japan,

Korea, and the United Kingdom. Several of the plants depicted in the artworks can be spotted in Wave Hill's gardens and greenhouses, giving visitors the unique opportunity to compare botanical art with actual specimens.

Exhibition Artists

Aislinn Adams, Anastasiya Arvest, Margaret Best, Claudia Campazzo, Hyunjin Cho, Mary Crabtree, Jessica Daigle, Mary Dillon, Crystal Driedger, Jean Emmons, Akiko Enokido, Christiane Fashek, Ingrid Finnan, Jane Fisher, Lara Gastinger, Gaye Grossman, Damodar Lal Gurjar, Diane Harm, Albina P. Herron, Asuka Hishiki, Wendy Hollender, Vincent Jeannerot, Katy Lyness, Lucy Martin, Angela Mirro, Sandy Morrison, Keiko Nibu Tarver, An Suk Park, Sengmany Phommachakr, Dr. Dick Rauh, Betsy Rogers-Knox, Kathy Schermer-Gramm, Kaori Shimura, Liz Shippam, Kim Spink, Maryna Stasyuk, Anna Suprunenko, Faye Van Wert, Catherine Watters, Kerri Weller and Carol Woodin.



Asuka Hishiki, PeekABoo! An heirloom tomato and a praying mantis, 2022. Solanum lycopersicum, Tenodera aridifolia. Watercolor on paper. 8 1/2 x 9 1/2 inches. Photo courtesy of the artist and American Society of Botanical Artists.

An illustrated catalog with a forward by Robin A. Jess, Executive Director of the ASBA, will be available in The Shop at Wave Hill. Works on view will also be available for purchase through The Shop.

Upcoming Public Programs at Wave Hill

Exhibition Opening Reception

Sat, November 19, 2022, 1:00–4:00 PM

The opening reception for the 25th Annual International American Society of Botanical Artists Exhibition at Glyndor Gallery. Several artists will be present at the event. Free with admission to the grounds.

Virtual Artist Talk: American Society of Botanical Artists

Tue, December 13, 2022, 5:00– 6:00 PM

For this virtual conversation held on Zoom, artists in the American Society of Botanical Artists' 25th Annual International exhibition will discuss their artistic process for creating depictions of flora with the utmost specificity and attention to detail, and the artists' commitment to depicting nature as subject matter. The conversation will be moderated by botanical artist and educator John Pastoriza-Piñol, one of the three jurors who selected the works on view at Wave Hill. Registration is required: Please register online wavehill.org or by calling 718.549.3200 x213. Questions? Please email us at information@wavehill.org or call the number and extension listed here.

The 25th Annual International American Society of Botanical Artists Exhibition is organized by Carol Woodin, Exhibitions Director at the American Society of Botanical Artists and Gabriel de Guzman, Director of Arts & Chief Curator, Wave Hill, with additional exhibition support from Rachel Gugelberger, Curator of Visual Arts, and Cecilia Lu, Curatorial Assistant.

Support for Wave Hill's Visual Arts Program is provided by the Lily Auchincloss Foundation; Milton and Sally Avery Arts Foundation; National Endowment for the Arts; New York City Department of Cultural Affairs; New York Community Trust Edward and Sally Van Lier Fund; New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the Office of the Governor and the New York State Legislature; Pollock-Krasner Foundation; and by the Cathy and Stephen Weinroth Commissioning Fund for the Arts. Wave Hill's operations are made possible in part by public funds provided through the New York City Department of Cultural Affairs; and the Zoos, Botanical Gardens and Aquariums Grant Program administered by the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation.



About ASBA

The American Society of Botanical Artists has a membership of over 1,600 members from the United States and 34 other countries around the world. Its mission is to provide a thriving, interactive community dedicated to perpetuating the tradition and contemporary practice of botanical art.

About Wave Hill

A 28-acre public garden and cultural center overlooking the Hudson River and Palisades, Wave Hill's mission is to celebrate the artistry and legacy of its gardens and landscapes, to preserve its magnificent views, and to explore human connections to the natural world through programs in horticulture, education and the arts.

HOURS: Open all year, Tuesday–Sunday, 10AM–4:30PM. Glyndor Gallery hours: 10AM–4:00PM
ADMISSION TO THE GROUNDS: \$10 adults, \$6 students and seniors 65+, \$4 children 6-18. Free Thursdays. Free to members, children under 6. Reservations can be made online at wavehill.org or by calling 718.549.3200 x251.

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