

Miradas

*Mexican Art from the
Bank of America
Collection*





THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF MEXICAN ART
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cordially invite you to the opening reception of
le extiende una cordial invitación a la inauguración de

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Friday, January 23, 2009, 6 pm – 8:30 pm / *viernes, 23 de enero, 2009*

Exhibition continues through August 30, 2009 / *Exhibición termina el 30 de agosto, 2009*

This unique survey of one of the most extensive corporate collections in the U.S. takes a close look at paintings, prints, and photographs created over the past 80 years. The exhibition examines and celebrates work by artists on both sides of the U.S.-Mexico border, to reveal a variety of cultural aspects as they emerged in the years after the Mexican Revolution (1910-1920). Assembled here for the first time, visitors to the *Miradas* exhibition will have the opportunity to observe how many artists have been attracted to and inspired by Mexico's ancient civilizations and Modern theories alike.

Esta muestra exquisita de una de las colecciones corporativas más extensas de los EE. UU. examina pinturas, grabados y fotografías creadas durante los últimos ochenta años. Ésta exposición analiza y celebra las obras creadas por artistas de ambos lados de la frontera entre México y los EE. UU. Además revela una variedad de aspectos culturales que emergieron en los años que siguieron la revolución Mexicana (1910-1920). Montada aquí por primera vez, los visitantes a la exposición Miradas podrán observar cómo muchos de los artistas han sido atraídos e inspirados tanto por las civilizaciones antiguas de México como teorías de la modernidad.



Artists include:

Mario Algaze

Carlos Almaraz (1941-1989)

Manuel Álvarez Bravo (1902-2002)

Raymundo Andrade

Arnold Belkin (1930-1992)

Miguel Castro Leñero

Harry Callahan (1912-1999)

Jean Charlot (1898-1979)

Alejandro Colunga

Wijnanda Deroo

Elliott Erwitt

Sally Gall

Flor Garduño

Gunther Gerzso (1915-2000)

Roberto Gil de Montes

Robert Graham

Anthony Hernandez

Graciela Iturbide

Kenro Izu

Luis Jiménez Jr. (1940-2006)

Roberto Juarez

Danny Lyon

Alfredo Ramos Martinez (1871-1946)

Carlos Mérida (1891-1984)

Wayne Miller

Roberto Manguia

Amado Maurillo Peña

Gabriel Orozco

Martín Ramirez (1895-1963)

Ricardo Rendón

Diego Rivera (1886-1957)

Gustavo Ramos Rivera

Frank Romero

David Alfaro Siqueiros (1896-1974)

Aaron Siskind (1903-1991)

Paul Strand (1890-1976)

Rufino Tamayo (1899-1991)

Edward Weston (1886-1958)

Mariana Yampolsky (1925-2002)

Francisco Zúñiga (1912-1998)

Community Events

PUBLIC TOURS *VISITAS GUIADAS PARA EL PÚBLICO*

Saturdays / *sábados*, 12 pm English, 1 pm *español*
February 21, March 28, April 25, May 30,
June 27, July 25
Free / *Gratis*

FAMILY SUNDAYS *DOMINGOS FAMILIARES*

Sundays / *domingos*, 2 – 4 pm
Free / *Gratis*
Registrations / *reservaciones*: (312) 433-3950

February 22 – Pop-Out Paintings /
Pinturas Tri-dimensionales

March 15 – Watercolor and Collage Art /
Acuarela y collage

April 26 – Memory Box / *Cajita de recuerdos*

May 24 – Prints inspired by Rufino Tamayo /
Grabado inspirado por Rufino Tamayo

July 19 – Self-Portrait Collage / *Autorretrato en collage*

CURATOR TALK: A Survey of 20th Century Mexican Art from Both Sides of the Border

Saturday, March 14, 2 – 4 pm
Free / *Gratis*

Join us for an engaging lecture and presentation
led by the exhibition curator.

CHILDREN'S ART CLASSES *CLASES DE ARTE PARA NIÑOS*

Saturdays / *sábados*, 10 am – 1 pm
April 4, 11, 25 & May 2
\$30 Materials Fee / *Costo de materiales*
Registrations / *reservaciones*: (312) 433-3950

Children ages 8 – 11 will become familiar
with the works of art in the exhibition and
experiment with various artistic techniques.

*Niños de 8 a 11 años de edad conocerán las
obras de arte en la exhibición y explorarán
distintas técnicas artísticas.*

ADULT & EDUCATOR ART CLASS:

Modern Portrait Painting

CLASE DE ARTE PARA ADULTOS Y EDUCADORES:

Retratos al estilo moderno

Saturdays / *sábados*, 11 am – 3 pm

February 28, March 7, 14, & 21

\$50 materials fee / *costo de materiales*

CPDU's Available

Registrations / *reservaciones*: (312) 433-3950

EDUCATOR OPEN HOUSE

Friday, February 27

5 pm – 8 pm

Free, CPDUs Available

Registrations / *reservaciones*: (312) 433-3950

Enjoy light refreshments as you immerse yourself in the exhibition and learn new ways to introduce visual literacy to your students. A special exhibition guide will be available as well as additional resources designed especially for educators. Come early and receive a special discount in the Museum store. **Please call for reservations.**

BILINGUAL SUMMER CAMP

July 6-31, 9:30 am – 3 pm

Ages 7-11

Space is limited

\$250 per child

13TH ANNUAL CHICAGO DÍA DEL NIÑO FAMILY FESTIVAL

Saturday / *sábado*, April 18, 11 am – 4 pm

UIC Pavilion, 525 S. Racine

Free / *Gratis*

DÍA DEL NIÑO FAMILY HEALTH WALK *CAMINATA FAMILIAR DÍA DEL NIÑO*

10 am – 11 am

From: Museum (1852 W. 19th St.)

To: UIC Pavilion (525 S. Racine)





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Diego Rivera, *La Maestra/Los Frutos de la Escuela*, 1932, lithograph 80/100.

David Alfaro Siqueiros, *Indios*, 1968, lithograph 178/300. **Rufino Tamayo**,

Figura en Jarras, 1980, aquatint on guarro paper 65/99. **Alfredo Ramos**

Martinez, *The Prisoner*, tempera & charcoal. **Francisco Zuñiga**, *Soledad*

Acostada, 1973, lithograph 80/100. **Carlos Almaraz**, *The Gods Who Found Water*,

1984, oil on canvas **Martin Ramírez**, *Untitled*, 1955, color pencil. **Luis Jiménez**

Jr., *Bronco I*, 1978, lithograph 24/35. **Manuel Álvarez Bravo**, *Frida Kablo*

in Manuel Alvarez Bravo's Studio 1930s: printed before 1992, gelatin silver print.

Graciela Iturbide, *Nuestra Señya*, *Oakam* 1976, negative print c. 1992, gelatin silver print. **Edward Weston**, *Tina Modotti*,

Mexico 1924, negative, printed ca. 1924, platinum print. **Miguel Castro Liñero**,

Montaña con Caracol, 1995, oil on canvas.

Curated by Cesáreo Moreno

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