

THE ART STUDENTS LEAGUE'S EXHIBITION OUTREACH PROGRAM PRESENTS

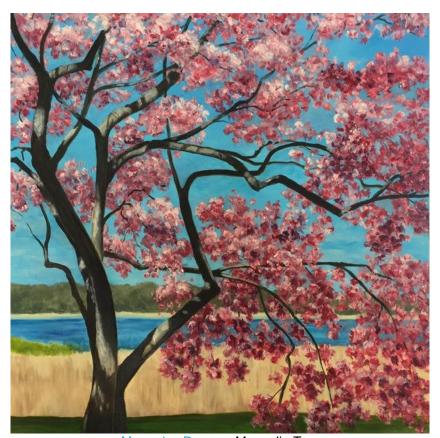
Primavera

GROUP EXHIBITION AT ONE BROOKLYN BRIDGE PARK

(360 Furman Street, Brooklyn; rear/waterfront side between Piers 5 and 6)

IN PERSON EXHIBITION

April 1 - June 18, Wednesday-Sunday, 10am - 4pm



Mercedes Dorson, Magnolia Tree

New York, NY:

After a challenging year, The Art Students League's Exhibition Outreach program is pleased to present the springtime group exhibition *Primavera*, in partnership with ChaShaMa. The air is fresh, the ground is lush and hope is returning. Through varied points of view, exhibiting artists pull you into the tangles of the forest primeval, reflect on transformation during this season of renewal, and meditate on the beauty of fleeting moments or a single blossom. This series is a surprising and sensory walk-through memory and fantasy, as vibrant as it is soft, and carrying with it the promise that growth will always resume. Nearly 100 artists with a total of 360 works applied for this exhibition, 23 works by 22 artists were selected. Come out of isolation, breathe the fresh air at the pier while seeing an art exhibition that promotes the healing we all need.



Featured Artists:

Beth Alberty
Valentine Aprile
Charles Basman
Aiko O Cascio
Pin Hsin Chu
Mercedes Dorson
Janet Dunson
Gillian J. Furniss
Dorian Goldman
Yolande Heijnen
Shannon Kayanagh

Instructor Review Committee:
Kamilla Talbot
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Chia Hsuan Kuo
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Leslie Marcus
Rosalind Reed
Cheryl Rubin
Tomoko Sawada
Yuri Tayshete
Ray Tsung-Jui Tsou
Rosemarie Turk
Amra-Faye Wright
Michael Wyetzner



Ray Tsung-Jui Tsou, De-Constructed Self Portrait, Sleep



Tomoko Sawada, Somewhere in Nara

This exhibition is made possible thanks to The Art Students League's partnership with ChaShaMa. In Summer 2020 and amidst the Pandemic, the two New York City nonprofits joined forces to host a series group exhibitions of League student artworks for in-person viewing. This collaboration provides public exhibition opportunities to artists and uplifts the community by reactivating vacant retail spaces throughout the city.

About The Art Students League of New York:

The League was founded in 1875 by students breaking away from the National Academy of Design. That independent spirit remains at The League today, where students pursue their work unconstrained by dogma, politics or burdensome tuition. We educate students in the language and process of making art in an environment where anyone who wishes to pursue arts education can realize his or her full potential. The League fulfills this mission by offering affordable, high-quality education and instruction in painting, drawing, printmaking, sculpture and assemblage. Artists who have studied at the League include Georgia O'Keeffe, Norman Rockwell, Jackson Pollock, Robert Rauschenberg, Louise Bourgeois, Alexander Calder, James Rosenquist and Ai-Weiwei, among others.



About Chashama:

For over two decades, ChaShaMa has played a central role in sustaining New York's vibrant artistic community and increasing access to the arts for all. ChaShaMa supports artists by partnering with property owners to transform unused real estate into space to create and present work and provides free art classes for NYC communities. Annually ChaShaMa operates 137 subsidized studios, presents 200 free exhibitions and performances, and provides 300 free art classes for 3,500+ participants in the Bronx, Washington Heights, and Sunset Park, and awards \$9 million worth of real estate to artists.

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Gillian Furniss, Slivermine Lake, New York



Valentine Aprile, Makibishi - In My Crown of Blossoms The Darkness Fades

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