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Southern Watercolor Society 41st Annual Exhibit On Display at ArtCenter Manatee, May 15 – June 22

BRADENTON, Fla. April 24, 2018 – The beauty of watercolor. The diverse styles representing each artists unique vision, along with the high technical quality of each piece, makes the 41st Annual Juried Exhibition of the Southern Watercolor Society a must see show. From a field of over 200 watercolor paintings representing artists from 19 southern states, the juror, John Salminen, an internationally recognized urban landscape painter, selected 94 paintings for inclusion in the exhibit.

The artists and their work present a compelling story of life, from portraits to street scenes and landscapes to abstracts. The body of work is impressive.

Founded in 1975, the Southern Watercolor Society, a nonprofit corporation, formed to elevate the stature of watercolor and educate the public to the significance of watercolor as an important creative and permanent painting medium. They are dedicated to the highest aesthetic standards.

The 41st Annual Juried Exhibition, will be on display in all three galleries of ArtCenter Manatee from May 15 through June 22, a fitting venue for a beautiful show. The Opening Reception will be Saturday, May 19th from 5:00-7:00pm. The reception and exhibit are free and open to the public.

About ArtCenter Manatee

Located in downtown Bradenton, Florida, ArtCenter Manatee is the premier center for art, art education and unique gifts in Manatee County. The nearly 10,000 sq. ft. building in downtown Bradenton features three galleries, five classrooms, an Artists' Market gift shop and an art library featuring over 3,000 art volumes. Day, evening and weekend art classes for adults and children are offered year round in painting, drawing, pastels, pottery, jewelry design, photography and more.

The Artists' Market features unique, affordable gifts by local and national artists. Exhibitions in the galleries change monthly and showcase local, regional and national artists. Meet the exhibiting artists at the monthly evening opening receptions.

Hours: M,F, S 9:00-5:00 - T, W, Th 9:00-6:00 Closed Sunday
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Attached images:

Eno River Fall Walk by Joseph Lahita
Rowena & Pretty Baby by Dean Mitchell
Florida Reflections III by Frank Spino

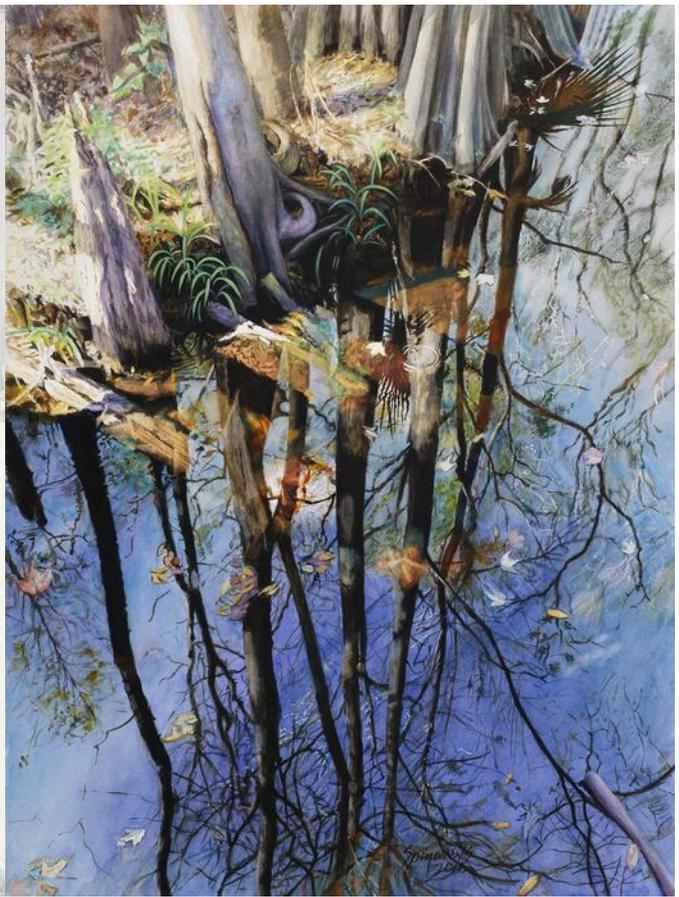
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