



INTERNATIONAL ARTWALK Program Description July 7, 2016

It's summertime's annual cooldown in Downtown Scottsdale along the ArtWalk Line. In celebration of the many fine artworks represented in Scottsdale Galleries with artists and images from around the world, ArtWalk presents video, music, and art representing the 7 continents in the cool surroundings of the galleries. After sundown, cool off on the ArtWalk Line while enjoying live street music throughout the venue and see the only display of 14 authentic lanterns from the Jinju Namgang Yudeung world heritage festival outside South Korea.

The 7 Continents will be represented either through gallery offerings or through supplemental offerings provided by organizers via additional programming that will be presented indoors in cooperating galleries.

IN-GALLERY PRESENTATIONS:

- **Amery Bohling Fine Art**, 7100 East Main Street #A – discover the international travel experience through an artist's eyes. Paintings from Amery's travels will be featured during Scottsdale's International ArtWalk
- **Andre Kohn Fine Art**, 7034 East Main Street – impressionist, figurative contemporary oils, Russian art, sculpture, drawings and landscapes by Andre Kohn
- **Calvin Charles Gallery**, 4201 North Marshall Way – Works by Vietnamese artists Pham Luan, Dinh Thi Tham Poong, and Hong Viet Dung; guest artist Gennaro Garcia will lecture about his career as a painter and ceramic artist
- **French Designer Jeweler**, 7148 East Main Street Work from German goldsmith Peter Schmid of Atelier Zobel; internationally recognized for his one-of-a-kind patterned 22K and 24K gold fused over oxidized sterling silver jewelry
- **Gallery Russia**, 7103 East Main Street – demonstrations by Latvian-born painter Larisa Aukon and Bulgarian-born painter Martin Dimitrov; "Forty on the Floor Under \$1,000"; displaying artists from Soviet Republics, China, Mongolia, Mexico, Scotland, and the U.S. Russian sweets and Kvas Soda
- **Legacy Gallery**, 7178 Main Street – Legacy Gallery invites you to travel the world from China to Slovakia, Italy, London, New York, and The American West with our international gallery artists
- **Pejman Gallery**, 7165 East Main Street – Pejman Gallery offers works by internationally recognized artist Bob Pejman who is known for his paintings of European vistas and cityscapes

- **The Signature Gallery**, Manvel Avendano, originally from Mexico, will be exhibiting his newest collection “Mundo Viejo,” impressions inspired from his recent travels to Europe and the Old World

3 SPECIAL IN-GALLERY PRESENTATIONS:

JUSTIN WINTERS – Antarctica & Australia Culture Through Art

Location: Calvin Charles Gallery – 4201 North Marshall Way

Phoenix-based audio/visual projection artist **Justin Winters** offers a special presentation based on the work of two artists.

Andrea Juan will be shown through her sculptural installations in Antarctica called “Solar Storm.” Juan is a professor of visual art at the National University of Tres de Febrero in Buenos Aires, who for the past decade has been journeying to Antarctica for month-long periods to stage installations and performances across the empty continent. Juan has joined the inner circle of the scientific colony working on the South Pole who acknowledge her as a fellow researcher of sorts. She now has her own residency program there, inviting other artists from across the globe to form more unconventional alliances between science and art.

<http://andreajuan.net/tpl/main.html#/app/proj/antart>

Juan’s work will be looped with the work of **Colin Jones** who explores how Australian Aboriginal art creates meaning, expressed in his artwork and illustrations, “Healthy Land, Healthy People,” created for the Queensland Rural Medical Education Reconciliation Action Plan. The painting gives a clear message about the importance of Country and culture in healing. His multi-layered dot paintings tell the stories of his ancestral lands where the rain forest, rivers and land connects. Jones’s art has been exhibited in leading galleries in Europe, America, Great Britain and Australia.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mQi1NMh9CvA>

<http://www.reconciliation.org.au/raphub/wp-content/uploads/raps/community/qrme-rap%202013-2014.pdf>

CARMEN ATTIKOSSIE – Founder, Cartik

Location: Calvin Charles Gallery – 4201 North Marshall Way

A native of Togo in West Africa, **Carmen Attikossie** relocated to Phoenix and founded Cartik, an ethical fashion and social entrepreneurship brand that works with artisans from Togo and Ghana known as the Nana Benz to create fashions inspired by West African culture. The Nana Benz began their journey as Togolese textile traders during French colonization, who rose from nothing to fame, power, and fortune because of their fabric prints. Carmen will display and discuss the cultural meaning of West African prints and decorative fashion.

<https://www.facebook.com/mycartik>

ASHA GOPAL – Founder/Director, Arathi School of Dance

Location: Amery Bohling Gallery – 7100 East Main Street

An accomplished dancer and disciple of celebrated Indian dance, **Kalashri Asha Gopal** works to preserve her Indian cultural heritage through performing and teaching the classical dance style of India. Her

accomplishments are worldwide, winning multiple international awards. For more than 30 years, she has taught and performed throughout the Valley, in Tucson, and Las Vegas. Asha will speak on the Indian sari wrap, food, and culture, and demonstrate through dance.

<http://www.ashagopal.com/5001.html>

STREET ENTERTAINMENT:

Music & Street Entertainment

The City of Scottsdale's regular ArtWalk programming will be publicized including the live entertainment planned by Philip Talarico.

LANTERN LOCATIONS:

On The Edge Gallery	7050 East 5th Street
Calvin Charles Gallery	4201 North Marshall Way
Salon Tru	7050 East Indian School Road
Horseshoe Falls	Indian School & Marshall Way
River Trading/Xanadu	7033 & 7039 East Main Street
Amery Bohling Gallery	7100 East Main Street
Gallery Russia	7103 East Main Street
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Shorr Gallery	7141 East Main Street
French & Brennan	7148 & 7150 East Main Street
Pejman Fine Art	7165 East Main Street
Signature Gallery	7177 East Main Street
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