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Art San Diego Announces New Dates and Venue for 2019, Tickets on Sale Now

San Diego County's Largest Contemporary Fine Art Show Features Dynamic Programming including Art Labs, Art Talks, the LaunchPad Artist, Spotlight Program and the San Diego Art Prize Alongside Move to the San Diego Convention Center, October 10–13

San Diego, CA (July 25, 2019) — Redwood Media Group (RMG) announced today that Art San Diego, the county's premier contemporary fine art show, is moving downtown to the San Diego Convention Center for its 11th annual show Oct. 10-13. Art San Diego moves from the Wyland Center at the Del Mar Fairgrounds, where it has been the past two years. Art San Diego, with presenting sponsor [UBS Financial Services](#), is highly regarded in the industry for cutting-edge exhibitions and dynamic programming like Art Labs, Art Talks, the LaunchPad Artist, Spotlight Program and the San Diego Art Prize.

“Art San Diego has emerged as one of the best-attended cultural events in Southern California and continues to grow annually,” said Linda Mariano, Redwood Media Group's director of marketing. “San Diego is one of the nation's most vibrant urban cities—and the convention center is at the core of all the action. We're excited to offer attendees and exhibitors this great new location complimented by the vibrant downtown setting with a rich variety of restaurants, retail stores and world-class entertainment in mere walking distance.”

Entering its second decade this fall, Art San Diego is a four-day art event that showcases more than 70 local, national, and international exhibitors featuring works from over 500 established and emerging artists. The event is expected to draw over 15,000 in attendance over the four-day run. Art San Diego is set to be bigger than ever with the inclusion of new programs featuring a local artist spotlight night, a family day, a craft beer night and a brunch-themed Sunday. More information about each new program is to come.

New programs introduced last year that are back by popular demand are *Free Friday*, *Palette of Desserts* and *Access to Art*. Friday offers free admission to anyone from 1-5 p.m. *Palette of Desserts* is a partnership with local chefs and bakeries who draw inspiration from an artist's to-be-exhibited piece and create a dessert masterpiece to be sampled. *Access to Art* partners the visual arts with San Diego based nonprofits, resulting in a sizeable donation for each during the four-day event.

The San Diego Convention Center recently underwent a complete renovation and now features an industry-standard trade show floor, high-tech lighting and a cooling and heating system for maximum comfort year-round. Additionally, The San Diego Convention Center offers more accessibility options for attendees to see the show by means of car, bus or trolley.

Tickets are on sale now at www.art-sandiego.com. Artist exhibitor applications are still open at art-sandiego.com/exhibitor-application/. Sponsorship opportunities are also available; interested parties may email sponsors@art-sandiego.com for more information.

About Art San Diego

Art San Diego 2019, presented by UBS Financial Services, will take place October 10–13, 2019, at the San Diego Convention Center. Art San Diego has emerged as one of the best-attended cultural events in Southern California. Founded in 2009 as the first and only contemporary art show in San Diego, Art San Diego is a four-day art event that features more than 500 leading contemporary artists and offers dynamic programming that includes museum exhibitions, Art Labs, events, and Art Talks focused on collecting. Now in its 11th year, the four-day event attracts more than 15,000 high-net-worth collectors. Art San Diego provides a focus on San Diego's vibrant and diverse cultural art scene alongside an exciting collection of international galleries and artists. For more information, visit www.art-sandiego.com.

About Redwood Media Group

Since 2009, Redwood Media Group (RMG) has been revolutionizing the global fine art community by helping artists and gallery owners grow their businesses through fine art exhibitions and publications, art business education, mentoring, marketing, and social media. Today, RMG owns and operates six fine art shows: Artexpo New York, Spectrum Miami, Red Dot Miami, Art San Diego, and Art Santa Fe. Artexpo New York, the world's largest fine art trade show for 40 years and counting, attracts more than 40,000 art enthusiasts every year, including nearly 5,000 industry buyers. Spectrum Miami and Red Dot Miami take place during Miami Art Week, an annual attraction that draws over 100,000 art collectors to the city. Over the past eight years, RMG has welcomed hundreds of thousands of visitors to their events, sold millions of dollars' worth of art, and helped thousands of unrepresented and established artists launch or grow their careers. Aside from hosting multiple high-end art shows throughout the year, RMG also owns *Art Business News*.

For more information, visit www.redwoodmg.com, www.artexponeyork.com, www.art-sandiego.com, www.spectrum-miami.com, www.artsantafe.com, www.reddotmiami.com and www.artbusinessnews.com.

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Interviews: Representative of Art San Diego and Redwood Media Group are available for phone interviews ahead of the event and interviews during the event. Artists are also available for interviews; a comprehensive list of participating artists will be released soon. Please contact Lee & London PR to arrange all interviews.

Press Passes: Please contact Lee & London PR ahead of the event if you wish to attend Art San Diego. Please mention how many passes you need and for which days so we can add you to the list.

Public Show Hours:

FIRST LOOK FREE FRIDAY | MEDIA DAY

Free Admission

Friday, October 11 | 1:00PM - 5:30PM

COLLECTORS' OPENING NIGHT RECEPTION

Admission Required to Attend

Friday, October 11 | 6:00PM - 9:00PM

WEEKEND SHOW HOURS

Saturday, October 12 | 12:00PM - 8:00PM

Sunday, October 13 | 12:00PM - 5:00PM

Parking: \$15 to \$20 per vehicle per day with no in/out privileges

Tickets:

Friday Collectors' Opening Night Reception | (Admits 2 People): \$50

3 DAY Pass: Friday Collectors' Opening Night Party + Full Weekend Access | (Admits 1 Person): \$40

2 DAY Pass: General Admission Saturday & Sunday | (Admits 1 Person): \$25

2 DAY Pass: Students/Military/Seniors (60 & Over) | Saturday & Sunday | (Admits 1 Person): \$15

1 DAY Pass: General Public | (Admits 1 Person): \$20

1 DAY Pass: Students/Seniors | (Admits 1 Person): \$10

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