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McLean Project for the Arts presents *(Not) Strictly Painting 14* *Juried biennial exhibition opens Sept. 14, featuring the work* *of 50 Mid-Atlantic artists*

McLean, VA: McLean Project for the Arts (MPA) will open *(Not) Strictly Painting 14* on September 14, 2023. Now in its 14th iteration, *Strictly Painting* celebrates the depth and breadth of paintings, or works related in some way to paintings. This biennial exhibition features pieces from 50 artists throughout the Mid-Atlantic area. An Opening Exhibition Reception will be held on Thursday, September 14 from 7-9pm at MPA. RXPV.com.

Juried by Tim Brown, Director of I&A at Hillyer, *(Not) Strictly Painting* is regarded as one of the region's most important painting exhibitions.

"Now in its 14th incarnation, *(Not) Strictly Painting* will exhibit works by some of the most interesting and innovative artists currently active in the Mid-Atlantic region," said Nancy Sausser, MPA Director of Exhibitions and Curator. "The exhibit was expertly juried by Tim Brown, Director of I&A at Hillyer."

(Not) Strictly Painting featured artists include: Marlene Andreucci, Sandra Arkin, MK Bailey, Julia Bloom, Maria Brino, Nikki Bruggink, Tory Cowles, Pamela Crockett, Debra Dauter, Anna Davis, Thomas Dryson, Gayle Friedman, Gerie Giblin, Jane Godfrey, Pat Gooden, Brad Gower, Freya Grand, Lea Haney, Amelia Hawkins, Tom Hill, Andrew Hasky, Leslie Holt, Sabika Iqbal, Barbara Janaszekiewicz, Wayne Jones, Joanne Kent, Pamela Koravani, Chee King, Ruth Luzzier, Matthew Malone, Nicole Mahood, Nigam Manda, Sasha-Laraine McClain, Reggina Morton, Olivia Nixson, Cary Oberndorfer, Sookkyoung Park, Judith Pratt, Sharon Robinson, Violet Simulation, Kavika Sircar, Marsha Statger, Ann Stoddard, Monica Stroff, Terry Thompson, Roderick Turner, Jessica van Brakle, Ashley Jo Whitey, Sharon Wolpoff, and Debra Wright.



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