



Palo Alto **ART**Center

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Calendar Listing

The Djerassi Resident Artists Program and the Palo Alto Art Center with the Palo Alto Children's Theatre present, **"2011 Where Art Originates: Artists & the Creative Process"** – *Six fascinating programs: April 25-October 24, 2011, Mondays at 7p.m., Free Admission*

This lecture series features six exciting evenings that explore the creative process as 2011 Djerassi Program resident artists perform and speak about their work, exploring their personal approach to artistic growth and discovery. Programs conclude with a Q & A with the artists. Now at the Palo Alto Children's Theatre!

Please visit www.djerassi.org and www.cityofpaloalto.org/artcenter for more information or call 650.329.2367 for reservations.

Lecture Schedule:

Monday, April 25 - *Deeper Meaning*

James Barsness, visual artist, Athens Georgia
Jenna Butler, poet, Edmonton, Canada

Monday, June 6 - *Breaking Boundaries*

Aaron Hamburger, writer, New York, NY
Lena Lapschina, visual artist, Lagenlois, Austria

Monday, July 11 - *Sound and Insight*

Krisztina Megyeri, composer, Budapest, Hungary
Karen Tam, visual artist, Montreal, Canada

Monday, August 15 - *Words and Pictures*

Cliff Forshaw, poet, Hull, England
Rosalind Solomon, photographer, New York, NY

Monday, September 19 - *Art in Motion*

Andee Scott, choreographer, Austin, TX
Simon Zoric, media artist, East Bentleigh, Australia

Monday, October 24 - *Jazz and the Brain*

Laurie Frick, visual artist, Austin, TX

Hafez Modirzadeh, composer, San Jose, CA

Katherine Sherwood, visual artist, Rodeo, CA

**Programs are subject to change. No admission charge. Reservations required: Call 650.329.2367*

All programs at the Palo Alto Children's Theatre, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto, CA 94301 (Part of the Lucie Stern Community Center, at the corner of Middlefield and Melville). For more information on Palo Alto Art Center exhibits, events, art programs and classes: call 650.329.2366 or send an email to artcenter@cityofpaloalto.org.

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About Palo Alto Art Center

Bay Area residents can discover, learn, create and inspire as part of the Palo Alto Art Center's innovative *On the Road* programs, which bring the Art Center's popular and acclaimed "see and make" approach to the arts directly into the community. Now through summer 2012, the Art Center offers events and activities for all ages throughout the area during its \$7.9 million transformation in anticipation of reopening next summer. *On the Road* events are designed to give the public opportunities to see art in exhibitions and site-specific art installations, and to make art in a variety of participatory classes, demonstrations and programs for all ages.

The Palo Alto Art Center's transformation is inspired by the Center's mission to engage the community in the creative process as both observers and creators through exhibitions and studio and education programs. The transformation will enable PAAC to expand its programs and services to a broader base while maintaining its high level of quality and enhance its reputation as a leading regional art center. The transformation has garnered community-wide support through the Palo Alto Art Center Foundation.

The Palo Alto Art Center has been one of the country's most popular and unusual facilities since it opened its doors to the public in 1971. Serving 70,000 residents annually, it combines both an internationally acclaimed exhibitions program with studio art, art instruction in painting, drawing, ceramics, glass, media arts, extensive art activities for school children.