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In addition to just a few cushions on patio furniture or an awning, there are now outdoor kitchens, porticos, rugs, drapes and curtains to consider. With that calling comes the need to find the right furniture and fabrics to enjoy a carefree experience. Once thought of as scratchy and stiff, the new fabrics are adding wonderful patterns and textures making them an important factor for indoor use as well. Indoor-outdoor fabrics are desirable for their fade resistant, water-resistant, mildew-resistant and easy cleaning properties. Fade resistance is measured by light hours under protected space. Printed solution polyesters usually give between light hours. Woven solution-dyed acrylics can give or more light hours before showing signs of fading. Water resistance will help fend off light moisture and mist but is not meant to withstand direct water contact on an on-going basis. Mildew resistance is a highly desirable quality as mildew can quickly discolor and destroy the fibers. It is important to follow cleaning instructions usually soapy water of the fabric to remove any stains quickly so mildew cannot take its toll. Outdoor fabrics can still be elegant as shown in this classic taupe and black paisley. Nothing says Coast more than breezy spa shades of aqua. Durability – Ah, the most common myth. If one is considering indoor-outdoor fabrics because of the perception that easy cleaning will mean a longer lasting chance against pets, kids and sloppy guests, then think again. With the new polyesters and performance fabrics on the market durability can exceed , double rubs. Most Indoor-outdoor fabrics fall in the 10, – 15, Double Rub category. If durable is truly the goal, then explore other offerings in fabrics. Here are some tips in selecting the right fabric for the project. Its soft hand makes it a great choice for seating comfort. A window bench seat that gets heavy sun might require indoor-outdoor graded fabrics more than the covered patio set. In other words, will you tire of the pattern and color before the fabric wears out. Outdoor cushions require a special outdoor foam that is mildew resistant. Spend money on getting great custom accent pillows instead. Armed with this info you will be ready to create the outdoor living space of your dreams. She is surrounded by the people and fabrics she loves daily in her store located in the Village of Arroyo Grande. Visit them at [www](http://www). For years one of his many successful research projects helped tuberculosis sufferers in sanitariums predominantly in California and Arizona. The perfume paraphernalia was bequeathed to him by his mother-in-law, Helen Miesse, via her gift from a French doctor who came to America to retire and make perfume. The creation of a new fragrance calls for expensive ingredients, both natural and chemical, and plenty of time for a bouquet to develop. Hind would develop five before testing among friends, nurses and customers to confirm their favorite. Circa 23 was then bottled for holiday gift giving for customers of Barnes-Hind Pharmacy. For years, customers would return asking to purchase more, but Hind never intended his career would change from research pharmacist to commercial perfume connoisseur. In , Hind passed away at 96, leaving a legacy of inventiveness, entrepreneurship and business acumen to his son and grandchildren, members of the Greg Hind Family. Circa 23 was never to be forgotten. Jane and daughter Kirsten Hind related the updated story: They decided to reproduce the fragrance and bring it to market after Kirsten graduated from college. They found a French parfumeur working in the U. Some elements that Hind blended were no longer legal. For example, ambergris, an excretion from the sperm whale had been used commonly in perfumes and was in the original formula, but it is not allowed to be used today. It took several tries to perfect the current version of the formula and then several more years to perfect the bottle design, roller top and packaging. Circa 23 is a concentrated perfume, in a roll-on top so the product is less exposed to air and not wasted as with aerosols. The perfume is meant to be used sparingly, on special occasions. For more information about Circa 23 see: More than a bar, they function as a thoughtfully curated wine and fine goods shop as well as a cultural event space. The vibe is sophisticated yet approachable; and their Art Bar was the perfect place for my first watercolor session since kindergarten. I met instructor Andrea Olivier, born and raised in former

Czechoslovakia, whose work ranges from watercolor still life to acrylic abstract. It was an international evening in a small town as my table included a fellow SLO High alum and his British wife and in-laws. We exchanged pleasantries and created our color pallets; gawking at examples of beautifully painted peacock feathers. Half the table was anxious about lack of skill, but that anxiety produced chatter and small talk, which took the edge off any reluctance to socialize with strangers. Olivier led us through a pencil sketch of the feather, starting with the eye. She gave us easy instructions to follow: She encouraged fine strokes for wispy, delicate feathers. We had the option of painting one or two, and I went for the deuce. Oops, I soon realized that meant twice the work. She demonstrated the entire process and educated us on the details of watercolor paint. I chose my colors and felt pretty good about myself. I started with the kidney bean, and my gradient was on point. We began the inevitable comparing and boy did I have peacock envy! My final product, which my boyfriend proudly displays in our home, resembles two avocados dancing on their way to Mardi Gras. I call it Avocados Gone Wild. Serving up art and culture along with fine wine, The Station is a welcomed addition to San Luis Obispo. Learn more at [thestationslo.com](http://thestationslo.com). Stop in at The Station located at Higuera St. Alan and his wife, Becca, had recently returned to the coast of his alma mater, Cal Poly, purchased the historic Town of Harmony, and were ready to orchestrate its rebirth. Alan enlisted Aarika Wells, the town manager, and Tom Halen, his project manager. Contact us today for a free consultation! He wanted rusty iron antiques as well as modern water conservation "the perfect blending of old with new. The combined visions of all involved wove Harmony into a tapestry of new and old, of artisanal and antiquated. It showcases longstanding local businesses and honors the legacies of generations before. He hiked fields to handpick feed troughs from cattle ranches throughout the County. He and his team dug up old cattle gates, bought rusted pipe cylinders, and scavenged hoops from barrels of our local wine country. COM It all starts with a plan Increase home value, save money, reduce carbon footprint. Applies to any Commercial or Residential Roofing Project [www.gbg.com](http://www.gbg.com). The future restaurant takes shape to the left, while a long contoured bed to the right hosts tree aloes, echeverias, kangaroo paws, specimen agaves and more. Local artist Stephen Plowman was contracted to refurbish the intricate wood-burning stove that had warmed the creamery building for decades. The towering stove with its Highway 1-esque flue was originally crafted by Big Sur legend Peter Fels. To the right, GBG installed flowering maples, native chain ferns, and groundcovers designed to blend into the shadier nooks of the creek willow grove. Back to immediately outside the Chapel, a rustic gazebo and stage hold court, perfect for hosting bands and guests alike. Cultivated meadow weaves through this area, with perennials and grasses swaying in the beds and blending into the hillside. Gabriel and his team welded cattle gates together to form a rustic fence that stretches behind this meadow zone from the gazebo to the parking lot. Part of our mission included spaces for projects to come like the Cow Parade and the vintage ice cream truck. Not pavement and shopping malls and fancy signs. The hard work from the people before us paved the way. When you look around Harmony today you can still see what needed to happen to survive in the s. Visit the Town of Harmony: Visit the Harmony Chapel:

**Chapter 2 : Through American Eyes: Two Centuries of American Art from the Huntington Museum of Art**

*Lavishly ornamental still-life textures / Cindy Brabec-King Techniques for beautiful travel scenes / Judy Morris Painting water in all its natural beauty / James Toogood.*

We study both the practical, from sketching to parallel drawing, to the theoretical, from historical to critical perspectives. Class activities include field trips, guest presentations, sketching and drawing, small design exercises, discussion of readings, and short written responses. Through these activities, at the end of the semester the student will understand in general terms what the dealings and challenges of architecture as a discipline are. Limited to 20 students. Offered in Fall Practice of Art An introduction to two-dimensional and three-dimensional studio disciplines with related lectures and readings. How the comprehension of differing visual practices directly relates to personal investigations and interpretations within the covered disciplines of drawing, sculpture, painting, photography and printmaking. This includes applying elements of composition, weight, line, value, perspective, form, spatial concerns, color theory and graphics. Work will be developed from exercises based on direct observation and memory, realism and abstraction. Formal and conceptual concerns will be an integral aspect of the development of studio work. Class time will be a balance of lectures, demonstrations, exercises, discussions and critiques. Weekly homework assignments will consist of studio work and reading assignments. Two two-hour class sessions per week. No prior studio experience is required. Not open to students who have taken ARHA or Limited to 25 students. Senior Resident Artist Gloman. This class will be based in experience and observation, exploring various techniques and media in order to understand the basic formal vocabularies and conceptual issues in drawing; subject matter will include still life, landscape, interior, and figure. Weekly assignments, weekly critiques, final portfolio. Two three-hour sessions per week. In the fall semester 4 seats are reserved for first-year students. Professor Keller and Visiting Lecturer Culhane. The goal of the course is to identify artistic innovations that characterize European art from the Renaissance to the French Revolution, and to situate the works of art historically, by examining the intellectual, political, religious, and social currents that contributed to their creation. In addition to tracing stylistic change within the oeuvre of individual artists and understanding its meaning, we will investigate the varied character of art, its interpretation, and its context in different regions, including Italy, France, Spain, Germany and the Netherlands. Limited to 30 students. The performance of verbal art and the display of visual art are governed by social and cultural rules. We will examine the epistemological process of understanding cultural symbols, of visualizing narratives, or proverbs, and of verbalizing sculptures or designs. Focusing on the Yoruba people of West Africa, the course will attempt to interpret the language of their verbal and visual arts and their interrelations in terms of cultural cosmologies, artistic performances, and historical changes in perception and meaning. We will explore new perspectives in the critical analysis of African verbal and visual arts, and their interdependence as they support each other through mutual references and allusions. Limited to 50 students. Topics will include the ritual bronze vessels of the Shang and Zhou dynasties, the Chinese transformation of the Buddha image, imperial patronage of painting during the Song dynasty and the development of the literati tradition of painting and calligraphy. Particular weight will be given to understanding the cultural context of Chinese art. Topics will include Buddhist art and its ritual context, the aristocratic arts of the Heian court, monochromatic ink painting and the arts related to the Zen sect, the prints and paintings of the Floating World and contemporary artists and designers such as Ando Tadao and Miyake Issey. The class will focus on the ways Japan adopts and adapts foreign cultural traditions. There will be field trips to look at works in museums and private collections in the region Omitted Special attention will be given to the archaeological importance of the rock art paintings found in such disparate areas as the Sahara and South Africa, achievements in the architectural and sculptural art in clay of the early people in the area now called Zimbabwe and the aesthetic qualities of the terracotta and bronze sculptures of the Nok, Igbo-Ukwe, Ife and Benin cultures in West Africa, which date from the second century B. The study will also pursue a general

socio-cultural survey of traditional arts of the major ethnic groups of Africa. In doing so, we will cover landmark monuments such as the Great Mosque of Damascus, the Alhambra palace, or the Taj Mahal, as well as portable objects such as illustrated manuscripts, paintings, and luxury goods. The study of these works will be supported with a variety of primary source texts, including historical art criticism and literary sources. Can we still characterize a contemporary international artist such as Shahzia Sikander or Shirin Neshat as creating Islamic art? The course will follow a roughly chronological format, and no previous experience in Islamic studies assumed. All readings will be in English. From the Sydney Opera House to the Eiffel Tower, monuments have entered into global consciousness as individuals from tourists to government officials have celebrated their supposed uniqueness. Meanwhile, monuments have drawn the ire of ISIS and the Taliban—two groups which have become famous for destroying venerated structures. Whether the subject in question is a tourist, a religious pilgrim, or a terrorist bent on destruction, humans are often drawn to monuments because of their power to captivate. This class examines the relevance of this psychic power. Over the course of the semester, we will address the architectural, social, cultural, theoretical, and political questions that emerge from an investigation of a range of famous and lesser-known monuments, including but not limited to: We will also discuss the role of ISIS and the Taliban in shaping contemporary debates concerning the meaning and importance of architectural preservation as it relates to the monuments of the Middle East and South Asia. Through written assignments and a final creative project, students will develop their writing skills while gaining knowledge of the issues that guide the study of world monuments, specifically, and architectural history, at large. This course is intended to introduce students to the field of architectural studies. It considers the role of tradition in the broader history of art in India, but does not see India as "traditional" or unchanging. The Indian sub-continent is the source for multi-cultural civilizations that have lasted and evolved for several thousand years. Its art is as rich and complex as that of Europe, and as diverse. This course attempts to introduce the full range of artistic production in India in relation to the multiple strands that have made the cultural fabric of the sub-continent so rich and long lasting. Films, musical recordings, and museum field-trips will supplement assigned readings and lectures. No previous background is presumed, and all readings will be available in English. Not offered Other years: Offered in Spring , Spring , Spring Introduction to Contemporary Art This introductory course explores art produced between and We will take a transnational approach, from the emergence of Pop art as an international phenomenon in the s to the mushrooming cloud of biennials in the twenty-first century. The geopolitical and geo-economic entanglements of both art and art history will never be out of sight. We will keep in mind the following questions: How have new technologies, civil rights movements, emergent subjectivities, new forms of theoretical inquiry, and processes of globalization shaped the work of art? How have artists critiqued both institutions and the art historical canon? How does contemporary art both participate in and stand apart from the world in which and for which it was made? Limited to 40 students. Beginning with the independence of India and Pakistan in , the non-European territories, which once comprised the lucrative possessions of modern European empires, quickly became independent states charged with developing infrastructure, erecting national monuments, and handling the influx of laborers drawn to the metropolises that were formed as sleepy colonial towns grew into bustling postcolonial cities. This class will examine the buildings, urban spaces, rural landscapes, and national capitals that emerged in response to these political histories. Some of the places that we will address include: Our goal will be to determine what, if any, continuities linked the buildings, landscapes, and spaces of post-independence Africa, India, and the Caribbean in the twentieth century. Over the course of the semester, students will gain skills in analyzing buildings, town plans, and other visual materials. Also, this class will aid students in developing their writing skills, particularly their ability to write about architecture and urban space. We will survey the history of architecture from the earliest human dwellings to the present and expose students to diverse aspects of architectural theory, while also introducing the basic analytical skills of architectural representation. Starting with the earliest forms of human habitation and ending with issues of contemporary residences, we will study the style, purpose, and historical context of

buildings, landscapes, and planning, including questions of climate change. We will conclude by considering the college campus as a place of habitation. Students will develop their skills of speaking and writing about architecture, while also learning basic design skills: Design projects are based on effort and realization, not on proficiency. Two meetings a week, one in seminar format, and one in studio format. Priority given to Architectural Studies majors and first-year students. Offered in Spring , Spring Measuring Histories through Materiality and Multiples The most quotidian objects possess the power to connect to a broad audience. This course will harness that power to make art that measures and recounts past events in human history. The events might be small or large, little known, personally experienced, or widely recounted. Students will interrogate the context, function, materiality, and symbolism of common objects from as many vantage points as possible. The class will explore methods of combining, linking, and connecting common objects both conceptually and physically toward the manifestation of both singular and collaborative artworks. In general, this course invites critical thinking about the theory and practice of architecture, especially when it confronts issues of difference, including ethno-cultural and social class difference. The course is open to everyone; previous instruction in architectural studies, area or ethnic studies, or social studies can be beneficial but is not mandatory. We study central concepts in housing theory, key issues regarding low-income housing, different approaches to address these issues, and political debates around housing the poor. We use a comparative focus, going back and forth between the cases of the United States and the so-called developing world. We attempt to understand the housing problem in the United States from the perspective of the developing world, and vice versa. We study our subject through illustrated lectures, seminar discussions, documentary films, visual analysis exercises, and a field trip. The studied material covers both canonical literature on green design and social science-based critical theory. We start by exploring the key tenets of the sustainable design discourse, and how these tenets materialize in practice. Then, we examine sustainable design in relation to issues such as inequality and marginality. As we do this, we locate sustainability within the larger environmental movement, studying in detail some of the main approaches and standards of sustainable design, the attempts to improve this practice over time, and the specific challenges confronting these attempts. In addition to reading discussions, we study our subject through student presentations and written responses, a field trip, and two graphic design exercises. Limited to 14 students. Offered in Spring Installation, Site, and The Embodied Spectator The history and practice of installation art is one of hybridity: The work of installation engages the aural, spatial, visual, and environmental planes of perception. In this course we will seek to answer a number of questions about the nature of installation: How does work get contextualized and redefined through its placement within a larger social, political, and economic sphere of meaning? Why is installation art interested in spectator participation?

Chapter 3 : Berlin | Art Blart

*Spotlight the beauty of a flower / Robin Berry --Design with bold colors and shapes / Donna Jill Witty --Painterly portraits that capture personality / Fealing Lin --Lavishly ornamental still-life textures / Cindy Brabec-King --Techniques for beautiful travel scenes / Judy Morris --Painting water in all its natural beauty / James Toogood.*

The first edition of this series was completed in the s. Adams completely revised and updated it just a few years before his death, making it his last word on the technical mastery of his medium. Three generations of photographers have learned how to approach the artistic possibilities of their art form through this seminal series. Now available in paperback, it remains as vital today as when it was first published. The Camera covers 35 mm, medium format, and large-format view cameras and offers detailed advice on camera components such as lenses, shutters, and light meters. The Making of 40 Photographs Ansel Adams Each of Adams 40 photographs presented here is accompanied by an engaging narrative that explores the technical and aesthetic problems presented by the subject and includes reminiscences of the places and people involved. It presents detailed discussion of artificial and natural light, film and exposure, and darkroom equipment and techniques. Handsomely illustrated with photographs by Adams as well as instructive line drawings, this classic manual can dramatically improve your photography. Vivid photos capture these historically important machines including the Eniac, Crays 1 3, Apple I and II while authoritative text profiles each, telling the stories of their innovations and peculiarities. Thirty-five machines are profiled in over extraordinary color photographs, making Core Memory a surprising addition to the library of photography collectors and the ultimate geek-chic gift. Ambush at Corellia Roger Macbride Allen Returning to his home planet for a trade summit, Han Solo finds the five worlds of the sector on the brink of civil war as the agents of the New Republic Intelligence plot a mysterious and deceptive plan. Showdown at Centerpoint Roger Macbride Allen Discovering the existence of a devastating weapon that has the power to destroy suns and with them entire solar systems, Luke Skywalker is forced to make a decision that jeopardizes the freedom of the Corellian sector. Will nine lives be enough for him to answer all his fan mail? This tale of two curmudgeons will tickle the fancy of everyone who has ever been owned by a cat. The Best Cat Ever. Dark Apprentice Kevin Anderson Luke Skywalker finds his academy threatened by untold dangers when his most talented and rebellious student, Kyp Durrone, delves dangerously into the Dark Side of the Force, aided by an evil and deadly enemy. Champions of the Force Kevin J. Jernigan should have been the social event of the season. But when she catches her fiance doing the deed with her maid of honor at the country club rehearsal dinner, all bets are off. And so is the wedding. Keeley pitches the hissy fit of the century, earning herself instant notoriety in the small town of Madison, Georgia. Even worse is the financial pressure A. Only a designing woman like Keeley Murdock can find a way to clear her name and give her cheating varmint of an ex-fiance the comeuppance he so richly deserves. And only Mary Kay Andrews can deliver such delicious social satire. At first, Mary Bliss simply tells friends and family that Parker is out of town on a consulting job. Then the lies start to snowball, until Parker turns up dead. Little Bitty Lies is a comic Southern novel about all the important things in life: But an unauthorized sneak preview at a sale lands Weezie smack in the middle of magnolia-scented murder, mayhem. Dirty deals simmer all around her " just as her relationship with the hottest chef in town heats up and she finds out how delicious love can be the second time around. Savannah Breeze Mary Kay Andrews Southern belle BeBe Loudermilk has lost all her worldly possessions, thanks to a brief but disastrous relationship with the gorgeous Reddy, an "investment counselor" who turns out to be a con man. With the help of Harry and her junking friend Weezie, BeBe soon has the motel spiffed up and attracting paying guests. She puts together a posse, and with the irrepressible Granddaddy Loudermilk snoring in the backseat of the Buick, heads south. The New Science of Metagenomics: The emerging field of metagenomics offers a new way of exploring the microbial world that will transform modern microbiology and lead to practical applications in medicine, agriculture, alternative energy, environmental remediation, and many others areas. Metagenomics allows researchers to

look at the genomes of all of the microbes in an environment at once, providing a "meta" view of the whole microbial community and the complex interactions within it. At the request of the National Science Foundation, five Institutes of the National Institutes of Health, and the Department of Energy, the National Research Council organized a committee to address the current state of metagenomics and identify obstacles current researchers are facing in order to determine how to best support the field and encourage its success. The New Science of Metagenomics recommends the establishment of a "Global Metagenomics Initiative" comprising a small number of large-scale metagenomics projects as well as many medium- and small-scale projects to advance the technology and develop the standard practices needed to advance the field. The report also addresses database needs, methodological challenges, and the importance of interdisciplinary collaboration in supporting this new field. That day comes suddenly when his grandfather dies leaving him the floundering business. With the help of Becky Salmon, an enterprising young woman, Charlie sets out to make a name for himself as "The Honest Trader". But the brutal onset of World War I takes Charlie far from home and into the path of a dangerous enemy whose legacy of evil follows Charlie and his family for generations. Who shall inherit the Barrington family fortune? The vote in the House of Lords has ended in a tie. When the general election is called, Giles Barrington has to defend his seat in the House of Commons and is horrified to discover who the Conservatives select to stand against him. But after Sebastian is expelled from school, he unwittingly becomes caught up in an international art fraud involving a Rodin statue that is worth far more than the sum it raises at auction. Does he become a millionaire? Does he go to Cambridge? Is his life in danger? Ray Gould was born to the back streets but raised with pride-a quality matched by a sharp intellect and the desire to attain the impossible Andrew Fraser was raised by a soccer hero turned politician. From strangers to rivals, four men embark on a journey for the highest stakes of all-the keys to No. Unfolding over three decades, their honor will be tested, their loyalties betrayed, and their love of family and country challenged. But in a game where there is a first among equals, only one can triumph. His energy and brilliant strategic thinking quickly make him the leading newspaper publisher in Australia. Still, he longs to move on to the world stage. As both Armstrong and Townsend seize control of everything they see, their ambitions collide on a global scale. But suddenly they both find themselves threatened by financial disaster and enormous debt. Frantic to save his crumbling empire, each man turns desperate. Kane and Abel Jeffrey ArcherWilliam Lowell Kane and Abel Rosnovski, one the son of a Boston millionaire, the other a penniless polish immigrant-born on the same day near the turn of the century on opposite sides of the world-are brought together by fate and the quest of a dream. Two men - ambitious, powerful, ruthless - are locked in a relentless struggle to build an empire, fueled by their all-consuming hatred. Over sixty years and three generations, through war, marriage, fortune, and disaster, Kane and Abel battle for the success and triumph that only one man can have Not a Penny More, Not a Penny Less Jeffrey ArcherWith nothing left to lose, an Oxford don, an English lord, a society physician, and a French art dealer go after Harvey Metcalf, the expert in international stock fraud who took their money. Paths of Glory Jeffrey Archer Some people have dreams that are so magnificent that if they were to achieve them, their place in history would be guaranteed. Mallory once told an American reporter that he wanted to climb Mt. His body was found in , and it still remains a mystery whether he ever reached the summit. Paths of Glory is truly a triumph. A Prisoner of Birth Jeffrey ArcherIf Danny Cartwright had proposed to Beth Wilson on any other day, he would not have been arrested and charged with the murder of his best friend. Danny is sentenced to twenty-two years and sent to Belmarsh prison, the highest-security jail in the land, from where no inmate has ever escaped. Harry Clifton, hoping to escape the consequences of a family scandal, and realizing he can never marry Emma Barrington, has joined the Merchant Navy. Sons of Fortune Jeffrey ArcherThe bestselling author of Kane and Abel returns with a powerful tale of a pair of twins separated by fate and reunited by destiny. In Hartford, Connecticut, in the early s, a set of twins is separated at birth by accident. One brother grows up to be a war hero in Vietnam and a successful bank executive, while the other distinguishes himself as a lawyer and politician. Sons of Fortune is as much the story of the making of these two men-and how they eventually find each other-as it is the chronicle of a nation in transition.

Archer plays a cat-and-mouse game with the reader. Cleverly styled, with richly drawn characters and ingeniously plotted story lines, each of the twelve pieces ends with a delightfully unexpected turn of events. An imprisoned man is certain that his supposed murder victim is very much alive. A female driver is pursued relentlessly by a menacing figure in another vehicle. A young artist gets the biggest break of her career. A restless beauty manages the perfect birthday celebration. In each tale, human beings are given an opportunity to seize, a crucial problem to solve, or a danger to avoid. How will they react? Capping off the collection are two additional rewards. In the final story, Archer offers a choice of four endings. And buried in each story is another diversion—a red herring which Archer challenges his readers to uncover. Twelve is a perfect score—good luck, A Twist in the Tale Jeffrey Archer. A collection of short stories, each with a sting in its tale. Who is the murderer? One sues the other for slander and wins, yet nobody loses. Murkoff and Sandee E. Ashbaugh. With his bestselling debut, Downtick, Regan C. Ashbaugh took thriller audiences by storm, drawing immediate critical comparisons to James Patterson and Thomas Harris. He earned additional praise for his exceptionally accurate portrait of Wall Street, allowing readers to experience a world Ashbaugh himself has inhabited for nearly twenty years. Now Ashbaugh returns to "the Street" he knows so well, a place where greed burns bright. The top executives at the multibillion-dollar investment firm Morson-Grayhead are among the most powerful men on Wall Street. Their wives are brutally murdered. Their homes burned to the ground. And the growing panic inside Morson-Grayhead has sent shockwaves ripping through the market. Feeling like chum in shark-infested waters, Ferguson and his deputy dive headfirst into an investigation that opens their eyes to the high-stakes game played on Wall Street. All Ferguson knows is that there is precious little time before the killer strikes another match. Little time before he becomes the next victim.

Chapter 4 : Living Lavishly Vol. 6 by Simply Clear Marketing, Inc. - Issuu

*The Kansas Watercolor Society wishes to extend their appreciation to the Cindy Brabec-King, Palisade, CO - Dipping Sauce My Still Life # \$7, Cindy.*

As a photographer, Hausmann has long remained underrated and unheralded. However his key position in 20th century avant-garde photography has continually been re-evaluated and his importance is widely acknowledged these days. We know Hausmann as the prominent artist of Dada Berlin, as the author of assemblages, collages, lautgedichte, etc, yet the vicissitudes of history caused the obliteration of his photography, an essential facet of his oeuvre. From onwards Hausmann became an avid and restless photographer. His photographic practice quickly became a cornerstone of his multi-faceted reflections and activities, pushing him in a new direction which culminated in his forced departure from Ibiza in . Between and , Hausmann engaged in a discussion about the nature and the role of photography with August Sander. The latter once stated: As an exile, Hausmann suffered the dispersion, and sometimes the destruction, of his work. His photography was seldom displayed and survived unnoticed until the late seventies. This institutionalisation of his work has generated an on-going re-appraisal. Hausmann the photographer is astonishing. In contrast to the sarcastic and biting tone generally associated with his Dada period, his photographs are a means to pacification. They convey a sense of reconciliation, a serenity that did not prevail before. In the late twenties Hausmann felt more and more oppressed in Berlin. There, he took photographs of the sand, the foam, the bogs, trees, naked bodies, curvy dunes, wheat, weeds, insignificant things that dazzled him. His attention also focused on humble objects, cheese graters, cane woven chairs, wicker baskets, which he transformed through the use of light and shadow. They strikingly exemplify his definition of what an image is: Photography became partly a study dedicated to vernacular architecture from an anthropological point of view. Hausmann also pursued a project begun in Germany that revolved around two broad categories, portraits and the vegetational or organic forms. The outbreak of the Spanish Civil War, in which he briefly took part as a Republican Ibiza being the first territory abandoned to the Francoists as early as , marks the beginning of his wandering across Europe. During his exile, Hausmann no longer had the possibility of dedicating himself so passionately to photography. Text from Jeu de Paume press kit.

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The Museum, in the Western corner of West Virginia, bordering Kentucky and Ohio, is the home of an important, self-defined collection, the formation of which has been strongly influenced by the commerce and taste of the region. Huntington Museum of Art This exhibition presents a variety of styles and techniques that make up the last two centuries of American art, and offers the opportunity to compare artists from different backgrounds, artistic training, and time periods. The works date from the late eighteenth century up through the end of the twentieth century, and mirror the extensive collections of glass, painting, sculpture, prints, folk art and firearms. Thanks to a generous grant from the Henry Luce Foundation, Inc. Painting Originally, the American colonies were seen as an extension of Europe, but soon after independence, the young nation sought its own identity in all matters, including the arts. For the first century, there was an ongoing debate as to whether American artists should study in Europe, or stay at home. Artists strived to give their work a distinctly American look, or at least combine their European gleaned style with American subject matter. Robert Henri , Kathleen, , oil on canvas, 30 x 26 x 2 inches, Huntington Museum of Art In America most patrons of the arts were private individuals, not the government, or the church as in Europe, and in the early on, portraiture was the most viable and desirable type of painting. The invention of photographic processes, and the search for something innately "American" turned many artists to landscape, genre scenes, still life, and figure painting. Landscape eventually emerged as the most popular American art form in the nineteenth century. Artists began depicting the mountains of the Eastern United States, accessible to artists from Boston, New York and Philadelphia, which evolved into a style known as the Hudson River School. Soon however, the vast, wilderness of the United States lured many artists west for new artistic opportunities. This collection contains many examples of works by artists who toward the end of the nineteenth century studied in Europe, and returned with modernist aesthetics, especially impressionism. Many good examples are presented in this gallery of paintings that display adaptations of impressionistic techniques such as plein air painting, direct observation of light effects on surfaces, use of prismatic colors, atmospheric conditions, and contemporary subject matter. European turn-of-the-century movements such as cubism, fauvism, expressionism, and non-objective styles became widely known to American artists through the Armory Show of American artists were greatly influenced by these new ideas, and either embraced them, or reacted against them. Many European artists fled to America during WW II, and it was after when the eyes of the world turned to America as the new center for the art world. Sculpture By the middle of the nineteenth century, sculpture in America emerged as an art form in its own right. Important small-scale bronzes were made specifically for the new domestic consumer, who wanted works that celebrated the modern everyday world. Prints The Huntington Museum of Art has an extensive print collection by European and American artists ranging from old master to contemporary, the majority of which are from the 19th and 20th centuries. The prints fill many stylistic gaps in the collection, including regionalism, surrealism, pop art, op art, super realism, and minimalism, among others. Woodcut, etching, lithograph, dry point, aquatint, screen print, and other techniques are represented. The exhibition features prints that show influences from Europe and those distinctly American. Private presses and professional print workshops expanded the printing methods available to artists, and both realism and abstraction had strong proponents throughout the twentieth century. The years to witnessed an extraordinary growth in the number of artists working in print media, experimenting with techniques and materials, and expanding the size of plates. Printmaking became a driving force in the contemporary art world. Huntington Museum of Art Glass West Virginia proved to be the ideal location for manufacturing glass. Innumerable businesses located in the state, some small-scale, one-man shops, many of which survived for years, and

others, that grew into mass production facilities. The state offered everything required for glass production, including the natural resources of coal and gas for firing furnaces, and silica for the glass formula. A network of rivers provided easy access to markets outside the Ohio River Valley. In the last forty years, new techniques have allowed glass production, an art form 3, years old, to reach new heights. In the s, a handful of artists began designing and creating unique non-industrial pieces in their private studios. Thus the studio glass movement was born. Early works by pioneers of the movement, including Dale Chihuly, Toots Zynsky, and the "father" of American studio glass, Harvey Littleton are represented. Folk Art Beginning in the s, following the Armory Show, many early American modernists considered folk art an unfettered national precedent for their pared-down, semi-abstract, individual styles. A few foresighted collectors began acquiring folk art in the s, and a number of important exhibitions occurred in the s, but in the histories of American art, folk art, both the traditional craft produced in isolated regions, or more generally the creative products of self-taught, non-academic artists, was overlooked until the s, when many artists and collectors became interested in living folk artists. Whatever the name, folk artists, like all artists take elements of their lives and portray them in extremely original artistic expressions.

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Photography by Nicolle Moshiri Photography arizonaweddings. This year, bridal bliss comes in the most unexpected styles: Here are 15 trends worth watching. Russell celebration locations trend report 1. More than the modern silhouettes and ultra fashion-forward looks, designers this year seemed to embrace a nostalgic romance--and brides seem gleefully on board. Breakfast for Dinner Steak, fish, or pancakes? So long, traditional dinner options, morning munchies are taking over, with more options than ever. A Splash of Metallic Even if you start with ruffles and lace, adding a gold or silver accent--from the floral arrangements, to the cake, to the stationery--can bring an entire aesthetic up to date. Ditching the Rules Minson Weddings More than ever, brides and grooms are ditching old fashioned rules and customs in 58 arizonaweddings. First went the receiving lines, the party favors, and sometimes the plated dinners. Today, couples are even foregoing traditional honeymoons, bridal parties, and sometimes even the ceremonies--opting instead for reception-only invitations. Au Naturel Speaking of greenery and vines, many couples this year will opt for a minimalistic design complete with generous touches of nature. Simple, still striking dresses abound this season, and are the perfect choice to compliment the scenery. Your wedding is one of the most important events of your life and this unique destination meets your every need. Reed expects that trend to continue. The Royal Treatment From the vintage and rustic to the boho chic, casual tones have won the hearts of many a wedding couple over the last few years. This year, however, expect a formal renaissance. From black tie tuxedos and white gloves to cathedral trains and opulent ornamentation, many couples will Rachel Solomon be upping the ante and choosing an affair fit for a queen. Gowns In Surprising Hues For years, if a bride wanted to don an alternative color, the most popular options were champagne and, even further from white, blush. This year, bridal gowns are standing out in more colors than ever. White not your color? The truck adds an additional wow factor and creates conversations. They are rustic but elegant. Flower Power The 70s-inspired statement is all the rage this year. Abandoning the DIY Over the past few years, brides have grabbed hold of the lessons on Pinterest, and delved deep to discover their inner creative. In we predict that more couples will return the reigns Rachel Solomon to the professionals, enlisting the help of planners, florists, bakers, and 64 arizonaweddings. Why not turn your vision over to the experts to implement? Officially announce your engagement to family and friends. When selecting your wedding flowers, keep the time of year in mind. Some flowers can be more expensive when not in season, and some varieties do not hold up to heat as well as others. Talk to your baker about different fillings, flavors and frostings. Most bakers will let you have a tasting to help you decide. Order your gown at least six months in advance, especially if alterations will be needed. It is always better to have a little extra time. Tara Keely 66 arizonaweddings. Choosing to serve a signature cocktail can help keep costs down as well as help personalize your celebration. Wait until the day before to have your manicure and pedicure. Your nails will need to look perfect for all those photos. It is best to have at least one trial run for both hair and make up.

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*Cindy Brabec-King Rapid Creek Rd., Palisade, CA "In the Presence of Angels" Nel Dorn Byrd Ranch Estates Dr., Plano, TX "French Pear Again" P. Jean Cole Richards Terrace, Fort Worth, TX "Green in Hillsboro".*

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