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Left: Frances McCormack, Casa Milagro, 1998; oil on canvas, 20 x 64 in. Right: Norman Stiegelmeyer, Disappearing Void of the Sunrise Eyeball, 1966; acrylic on canvas.

# di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art Announces 2025 Exhibition Calendar

Napa, CA (December 19, 2024) – di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art is pleased to announce the calendar of exhibitions coming in 2025. Highlights include major surveys of the work of Bay Area painters **Frances McCormack** and **Norman Stiegelmeyer**, a look at contemporary Cuban art through the collection of **Rick Swig**, and a project-based exhibition by **Tiffany Shlain** and **Ken Goldberg**.

Along with the exhibition calendar, di Rosa is excited to share the date for their annual fundraiser, the **Expression Ball**, **on June 28**, **2025**. The Expression Ball is di Rosa's largest fundraiser of the year, welcoming guests in a celebration of creativity and the potential of the human spirit.

Currently on view into 2025 are *True North*, di Rosa's juried exhibition of North Bay Artists, on view through February 16 in Gallery 1, and *Moving Pictures: A Survey Exhibition of Works by Deborah Oropallo and Collaborators*, on view through March 30 in Gallery 2. Additionally, *Beast* 



*Mode* remains on view at di Rosa Downtown, di Rosa's temporary pop-up gallery in downtown Napa, through March 2.

#### **DI ROSA CENTER FOR CONTEMPORARY ART 2025 EXHIBITION CALENDAR** Dates subject to change.

**Frances McCormack: Rooted in Wonder** Saturday, March 29, 2025 – Sunday, June 29, 2025 Opening Reception: Saturday, March 29, 2025 di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, Gallery 1

*Francis McCormack: Rooted in Wonder* presents a 40-year survey of the artist's lush and dynamic paintings and recent work in collage, drawing inspiration from the garden as a metaphor for the human struggle.

#### Norman Stiegelmeyer

Saturday, May 3, 2025 – Sunday, January 4, 2026 Opening Reception: Saturday, May 3, 2025 di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, Gallery 2

di Rosa presents the first major museum survey of the work of noted San Francisco painter Norman Stiegelmeyer. A founding figure of California Visionary Art, Stiegelmeyer's colorful dreamscapes inspired the psychedelic revival in mid-century Northern California art.

## Electric Cool: Art and Psychedelia in Northern California

Saturday, May 3, 2025 – Sunday, January 4, 2026 Opening Reception: Saturday, May 3, 2025 di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, Gallery 2

A selection of works from the di Rosa Collection and by guest artists exploring the legacy of psychedelia in Northern California art practices.

#### Entre Nosotros: Cuban Contemparanio

Saturday, July 19, 2025 – Sunday, September 28, 2025 Opening Reception: Saturday, July 19, 2025 di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, Gallery 1

Drawn from the collection of local photographer Rick Swig, *Entre Nosotros: Cuban Contemparanio* presents the work of 13 artists living and working in Cuba today. From paintings to pinball machines, the artists and work included tells a story of the passions, controversies, and beauty of their home and culture.



## Ancient Wisdom for a Future Ecology: Trees, Time, and Technology

Saturday, October 18, 2025 – January 18, 2026 Opening Reception: Saturday, October 18, 2025 di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, Gallery 1

As we confront escalating environmental concerns and pervasive societal inequities, Tiffany Shlain and Ken Goldberg draw on the science of tree-ring dating to remind us of the interconnectedness of our histories, our landscapes, and our collective futures.

# ABOUT DI ROSA CENTER FOR CONTEMPORARY ART

di Rosa is a non-profit art center and nature preserve specializing in the art of Northern California. Located at 5200 Sonoma Highway, on 217 acres in the Carneros region of Napa, di Rosa includes two large art galleries, a beautiful lake, abundant birding, walking trails with vineyard views, outdoor sculptures, and picnic grounds.

di Rosa presents contemporary exhibitions by Bay Area-based artists in addition to maintaining a permanent collection of notable works by artists with ties to the Bay Area from the mid-twentieth century to the early 2000s.

di Rosa offers an array of public programs and events for all ages to inspire creativity and curiosity. di Rosa is open to the public without reservations Thursday through Sunday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and by appointment Tuesday through Wednesday. Visitors are encouraged to bring picnics. For more information visit <u>www.dirosaart.org</u>.

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