



2014 WCA Conference in Chicago

Conference Schedule as of December 23, 2013

Wednesday, February 12 Pre-Conference Early Registration

Time	Activity	Details
10:00AM-5:00 PM	CAA Exhibitor Setup Hilton Chicago 720 S Michigan Ave Salon A, Stevens Meeting Center Lower Level	Load-in and set up of WCA table at the CAA Book Fair
5:00 – 7:00 PM	Early Registration Essex Inn Lobby 800 S Michigan Ave	Make plans to have informal dinners with WCA members who arrive early

Thursday, February 13 First Day of Conference

Time	Activity	Details	Concurrent Activity
8:30 – 9:00 AM	WCA Conference Registration Essex Inn Lobby		
9:00 – 9:15 AM	Welcome to the Conference Priscilla Otani Essex Park East Gallery		WCA Table at the CAA Book Fair 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM Hilton Chicago

		720 S Michigan Ave Salon A, Stevens Meeting Center Lower Level
9:15-- 10:00 AM	Half the Sky Art-Making Sandra Mueller Essex Park East Gallery	
10:00 – 12:00 PM	Eco-Art Caucus Meeting Mary Linda Moss Essex Park East Gallery	
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch Break	WCA Book Signing Deanna Sirlin at the WCA table, CAA Book Fair
1:30 PM	Spectrum Tour Begins Board bus at Essex	
2:30 PM - 5:00 PM	First Stop <i>The Eyes of the Mother</i> exhibit, panel discussion & reception dinner Korean Cultural Center Gallery 9930 S. Capitol Drive, Wheeling	Korean artists Soo-ja Kim(김수자), Yun Suknam(윤석남), Park Youngsook(박영숙), Jung JongMee(정종미), Jung Jungyeob(정정엽), Ryu Jun Hwa(류준화), JeongMee Yoon(윤정미), Song Jin- Hwa(송진화), Hongyi, Hyun-sook(홍현숙), Hong Mi-Sun(홍미선), Bang Jeongah(방정아), Fi Lee(이피), Byun, Kyung Sub(변경섭), Kim Min Hyung(김민형) US artists Ruth Weisberg, Ester Hernandez, ,Margaret Lazzari, Rachel Epp Buller , Sandra Matthews, Sandra Mueller, Brenda Oelbaum, Miriam Schaer, Helen

Redman, C.M. Judge,
Sondra Schwetman, Susan
Byrnes, Niku Kashef , Kari
Sackmann

Panelists

Priscilla Otani, Moderator
Hye-Seong Tak Lee
Jennie Klein
Ruth Weisberg
Rinda Choy
Karen Gutfreund

5:00 **Bus leaves for Robert
Morris Gallery**

**6:00 –
7:00 PM** ***Water: A Universal
Human Right***
Chicago chapter-
sponsored national juried
exhibition & reception
Robert Morris Gallery
401 S State St, Chicago
Full Reception Hours:
5:30 – 8:00 PM

**Water: A Universal Human
Right Artists**
Amy Achrysalis, Nelson W
Armour, Helene Aylon, Ulla
Barr, Stacy Bergener, Linda
Boardman, Barbara
Bridges, Zel Brook, Sukey
Bryan, Marie Cenkner,
Jeannine Cook, Sherri
Cornett, Mary Ellen
Croteau, Richard Dana,
Lynn Dau, Danielle Eubank,
Kyra Garrigue, Sharon
Gilmore, Jennifer Hecker,
Julia Hacker, Patricia Harris,
Dory Ingram, Suzanne
Isaacs, Judy Jashinsky,
Lynne Jones, Donna June
Katz, Helen Klebesadel, Kim
Laurel, Itala Langmar, Judy
Langston, Olena Marshall,
Diane J Mayer, Jeane
Mcgrail, Christine McKee,
Jeane Mcgrail, Linda
Mendelson, Lucia
Grossberger Morales,
Christina Montuori, Jean
Nerenberg, Janice Nesser,

Brenda Oelbaum, Jean Ormaza, Bonnie Peterson, Lois Peterson, Cherie M Redlinger, Barbara Reid, Beth Shadur, Kimberly Ritchie, Barbara Simcoe, Jeanine Hill-Soldner, Emily Stergar, Margie Glass-Sula, Yuriko Takata, Nancy VanKanegan, Frances Vandal, Kate Walker, Margi Weir, Kay Westhues, Wheeler Joan, Judy Johnson-Williams, Helen Zajkowski, Fotios Zemenides, Dara Herman-Zierlein.

7:00 PM **Bus leaves for ARC Gallery**

7:30 PM – 8:30 PM **WCA Best of 2014 Show and Solidarity Between Generations Show**
 Receptions
 ARC Gallery
 2156 N Damen Ave,
 Chicago
 Full Reception Hours:
 6:00 – 9:00 PM

Best of 2014 Artists
 Suzanne Anan, Linda Boardman, Jane Caminos, Rhea Carmi, Marie Cenkner, Jeannine Cook, Gina Dabrowski, Pamela Daum, Cat Del Buono, Pamela Flynn, Lisa Foster, Ellen Freyer, Linda Gleitz, Kate Higley, Karen Hillier, Uma Rani Iyli, Patricia Izzo, Helen Klebesadel, Ronni Komarow, Judy Langston, Viviana Lombrozo, Linda McCune, Linda Mendelson, Rosemary Meza-DesPlas, MaryLinda Moss, Jennifer Murray, Mary Neubauer, Amy Pleasant, Erica Popp, Juliana Rico, Beth Scher, Carol Scott, Bonita Tabakin, Margi Weir, Corinne Whitaker, Elizabeth White.

Solidarity Between Generations Artists
 Yun Suknam, Park Youngsook, Jong Rae Kim, Mio(Miok You), siren eun young jung, Taey lohe

8:30 PM Bus leaves for Essex Hotel

Friday, February 14 Second Day of Conference

Time	Activity	Details	Concurrent Activity
7:30 – 9:00 AM	Leadership Transition Meeting Priscilla Otani & Brenda Oelbaum Hilton Lobby Level Continental C	Current and future board members are invited to discuss transition plans to the new Presidency	
9:00 – 11:00 AM	International Caucus Meeting Sherri Cornett Essex Park East Gallery		WCA Table at the CAA Book Fair 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM Hilton Chicago 720 S Michigan Ave Salon A, Stevens Meeting Center Lower Level
9:30 AM – 12:00 PM	<i>The Maternal Body Exposed: Fecundity, Birth Control, and Countering Infertility in Contemporary Art</i> Women’s Caucus for Art CAA Panel Hilton Second Floor Grand Ballroom	Chair: Rachel A. Epp Buller, Bethel College All My Fabergés Melissa Gwyn, University of California, Santa Cruz Say Goodbye to Coat Hangers Abortion as a Theme in Contemporary Visual Arts and How It Can Reduce Abortion Stigma	

Tom Nys, independent critic

Birth Art and the Transformation of Religious Imagery

Representations of Birth and Motherhood as Contemporary Forms of the Sacred

Anna Madelyn Hennessey

Abjection as a Springboard for Maternal Subjectivity

Hadara Scheflan Katzav, Hakibbuzim College of Education

Discussant: Christina R. Hunter, Columbia University

11:00 – 12:00 Lunch Break

International Caucus UN Program meetup

11:30 – 12:30

Location TBD. Contact Sherri Cornett at

sherricornett@gmail.com for details

12:30 – 2:00 PM

Water: A Universal Human Right or Commodity?
Women's Caucus for Art CAA Panel
Hilton
Lobby Level
Continental C

Chair: Arlene Rakoncay
BettyAnn Mocek, Concordia University
Wendy Abrams, Cool Globes
Liz Dodson, Women and Water Rights
Indira Johnson, independent artist
Debra Shore, Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago
Alaka Wali, The Field

CAA ARTspace
Balancing Act: Art, Family, and Other Distractions
FREE TO THE PUBLIC
Chairs: Niku Kashef, California State University, Northridge, and Woodbury University; Micol Hebron, Chapman University
Kim Abeles
Tierney Gearon

	Museum	<p>Maria Elena Buszek, University of Colorado, Denver Jamie McMurry Lili Bernard Jennie Klein, Ohio University</p> <p>Hilton Chicago, 3rd Floor, Waldorf Room</p>
2:00 – 3:30 PM	<p>JWAN Caucus Meeting Rona Lesser Essex Park East Gallery</p>	<p>WCA Book Signing <i>Through the Eyes of the Mother</i> artists at the WCA table of CAA Book Fair</p>
3:30 – 5:00 PM	<p>Young Women’s Caucus Meeting Jaimianne Amicucci Essex Park East Gallery</p>	
5:30 PM	<p>Equilibrium Tour Begins Board bus at Essex</p>	
6:00 – 7:00 PM	<p>First Stop Faith Wilding @ Three Walls Gallery 119 N Peoria St</p>	
7:00 PM	<p>Bus leaves for Woman Made Gallery</p>	
7:15 PM – 8:00 PM	<p>Second Stop <i>Equilibrium, National Juried Show Reception</i> Woman Made Gallery 685 N Milwaukee</p>	<p>Gallery Artists: Lynn Arnold, Margee Bright Ragland, Carol Brookes, Jennifer Cawley, Rene Culler, Lynn Dau, Cat Del Buono, Sherri Denault, Hope Esser, Hope Esser,</p>

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Full Reception Hours
6:00 – 8:00 PM

Jean Fernandes, Helen
Geglio, Laurie Hall, Beth
Holmes, Martha Markline
Hopkins, Hilla Hueber, Lisa
Knoop, Beth Lakamp, Judy
Langston, Lee Lee,
Chandrika Marla, Hildy
Maze, Hildy Maze, Penny
McElroy, Sandra Mueller,
Jennifer Murray, Brenda
Oelbaum, Joann Perry,
Corinne D. Peterson, Laura
Petrovich-Cheney, Laura
Phelps Rogers, Gwendolyn
Plunkett, Ann Rowles, Ellen
Schillace, Carol Scott, Gail
Stouffer, Patricia Terrell-
O'Neal, Cynthia Tom, Jeane
Vogel, Janet Frazee Wade,
Elizabeth Wallace, and
Nancy Youdelman.

Catalog Artists: Elaine
Alibrandi, Andrea Beizer,
Linda Belden, Gina
Dabrowski, Debra Dobkin,
Danielle Eubank, Jill
Gewirtz, Lea Goldman,
Janice Gossman, Karen
Gutfreund, Lucy Julia Hale,
Kelly Hammargren, Susan
Harmon, Maxine Hess,
Karen Hillier, Melanie
Houghton, Veronica
Jaeger, Cathy Kapica,
Marky Kauffmann, Ronni
Komarow, Lily Lihting Li
Kostrzewa, Marielena
Leon, Karlene McConnell,
Kelsey McDonnell,
BettyAnn Mocek, Janice
Nesser, Mary Neubauer,
Gail Panske, Amy Pleasant,
Carol Quint, Shilo Ratner,

		Lynda A, N. Reyes, Sandhi Schimmel Gold, Sally Schluter, Ruth Segaloff, Janna Stern, Leigh Toldi, Virginia Tyler, Deborah Wheeler, Joyce Wynes, and Patricia Zalisko.
8:00 – 8:15 PM	Board bus for Afterglow dinner @ Parthenon	
8:15 – 10:00 PM	Third Stop Afterglow dinner The Parthenon 314 South Halsted St	Dine in Chicago's Greektown and enjoy conversations with WCA members from all over the country
10:00 PM	Bus leaves for Essex	

Saturday, February 15 Third Day of Conference

Time	Activity	Details	Concurrent
7:30 -8:30 AM	Half the Sky Delegate meetup.	Location TBD. Contact Sherri Cornett at sherricornett@gmail.com for details	
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	TFAP Day of Panels <i>The M Word</i> Columbia College Chicago Stage Two 618 S. Michigan Ave., 2nd floor	The theme of the 2014 TFAP day of panels is the representation of the maternal in art and visual culture.	WCA Table at the CAA Book Fair 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM Hilton Chicago 720 S Michigan Ave Salon A, Stevens Meeting Center Lower Level
9:00-9:10 AM	TFAP Welcome and Introductory Remarks	Co-organizers: Jennie Klein (Associate Professor of Art	

		History, Ohio University); Myrel Chernick (Independent Artist, Pratt Institute)
9:10-10:30 AM	Historical Perspectives on Representing the Maternal	Chair: Denise Amy Baxter (University of North Texas) Panelists: Heather Belnap Jensen (Brigham Young University), Laura Larson (Ohio University), Paula J. Birnbaum (University of San Francisco), Andrea Liss (California State University San Marcos)
10:40 AM-12 PM	Motherhood and the Exhibitionary Platform: Considering the Implications of Maternity Through the Curatorial Lens	Chair: Jessica Cochran (Columbia College Chicago) Panelists: Iris Anna Regan and Rebecca Niederlander (BROODWORK), Bruria Finkel (artist/independent curator), Lucian Gomoll (Wesleyan University), Rebecca Trawick and Denise M. Johnson (Chaffey College), Laura Schaeffer (Independent Artist/Organizer, Chicago)
12-12:30 PM	Lunch Break	
12:40-2 PM	From Sentiment to Sexuality: Revisiting the Maternal Body as Threat	Chair: Natalie Loveless (University of Alberta, Edmonton) Panelists: Jess Dobkin (Independent Artist, Toronto), Laura Allred Hurtado (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints), Christen Clifford (SUNY Purchase), Miriam Schaer (Columbia College Chicago), Margaret Morgan

		(Independent Artist, Los Angeles)	
2:10-3:30 PM	Mothers / Artists / Children	Chair: Rachel Epp Buller (Bethel College) Panelists: Lynn Somers-Davis (Drew University), Jill Miller (San Francisco Art Institute), Marni Kotak (Microscope Gallery, Brooklyn), Lise Haller Baggesen (Independent Artist, Chicago), Courtney Kessel (The Dairy Barn Arts Center)	Takedown of CAA Book Table 2:30 – 6:00 PM
3:40-5:00 PM	Revisiting M/E/A/N/I/N/G #12	Round Table Discussion Panelists: Sharon Butler (Brown University), Laura Letinsky (University of Chicago), Irene Lusztig (University of California, Santa Cruz), Beverly Naidus (University of Washington, Tacoma), Jennifer Wroblewski (Purchase College School of Art and Design)	
5:00 PM	Board bus for Museum of Contemporary Art at Essex Tentative: need at least 36 riders.		
6:00 – 7:30 PM	WCA Lifetime Achievement Awards Museum of Contemporary Art 220 E Chicago Ave	2014 Lifetime Achievement Awardees Phyllis Bramson Harmony Hammond Adrian Piper Faith Wilding 2014 President’s Art & Activism Awardees Janice Nesser-Chu Hye-Seong Tak Lee	

7:30 – 10:00 PM	Honors Award Gala Museum of Contemporary Art 220 E Chicago Ave	Walk around gourmet dinner catered by Wolfgang Puck Catering
10:00 PM	Bus leaves for Essex Tentative: need at least 36 riders	

Sunday, February 16 Last Day of Conference

Time	Activity	Details
9:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Chapter Network Meeting Ulla Barr Essex Park East Gallery	Cross chapter networking, sharing of best practices, discussion of challenges facing chapters.

Monday, February 17 National WCA Board Meeting

Time	Activity	Details
9:00 AM – 4:30 PM	WCA Board Meeting Essex Park East Gallery	Breakfast & lunch
4:30 – 5:00 PM	President Brenda Oelbaum welcome Essex Park East Gallery	