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January Art Show Preview

Art in the City of Angels

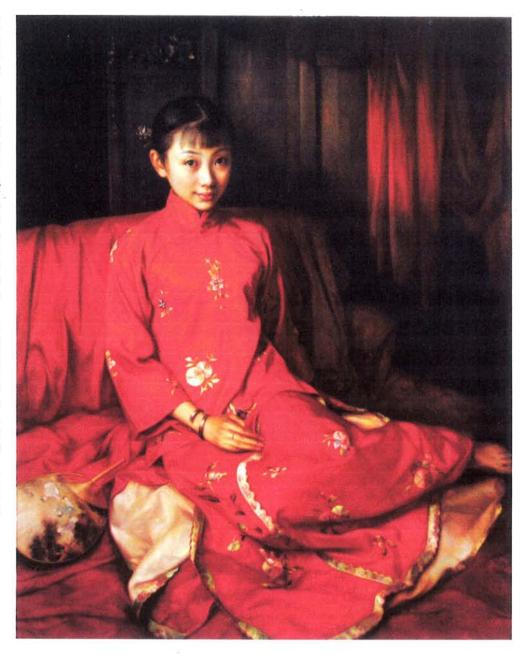
The Los Angeles Art Show brought in more than 30,000 visitors and multi-million dollar art sales in 2008, but the 2009 fair promises to be the most innovative and eclectic to date.

he who's who of the art world will converge on southern California for the 14th annual Los Angeles Art Show, which takes place on January 21-25, 2009.

The Fine Art Dealers Association (FADA) and KR Martindale Show Management have announced that the venue of this year's show will be the Los Angeles Convention Center at 1201 South Figueroa Street in Los Angeles. The move will nearly double the size of the Los Angeles Art Show and increase the number of international galleries to 175 exhibitors. With 2008 exhibition figures exceeding 30,000 visitors and achieving record-setting multi-million dollar art sales, the 2009 fair promises to be the most innovative and eclectic show to date.

"Los Angeles is a destination for art," says show producer, Kim Martindale. "The well-established Los Angeles art scene is diverse and continues to expand both in the number of galleries and collectors locally and internationally situated. The Los Angeles Art Show's move to the LA Convention Center mirrors this growth."

Over 15,000 works of art will be available for sale, from paintings, drawings, prints, photographs, video,



Arcadia Gallery, Symphony in Red, oil on canvas, 58 x 46", by Zhao Kail Lin



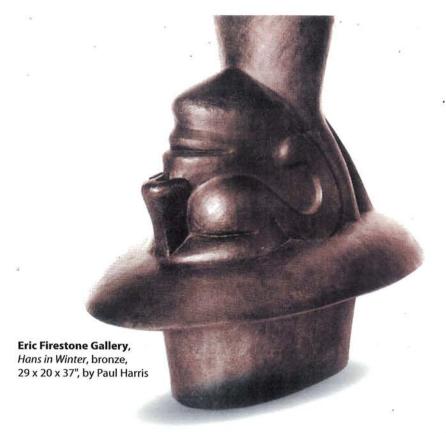
Nedra Matteucci Galleries, *Untitled (Pueblo Figures)*, oil on canvas, $13\frac{1}{4}$ x $15\frac{1}{4}$ ", by Emil Bisttram



George Billis Gallery, *Dark as Night*, oil and aluminum leaf on wood panel, 12 x 9", by Sarah Coleman



This year will be the show's first to take place in the Los Angeles Convention Center.



be a number of social evening events, featuring musical performances.

Exhibiting galleries include Arcadia Fine Arts, New York, NY; David Cook Galleries, Denver, CO; Dolby Chadwick Gallery, San Francisco, CA; Eric Firestone Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ; Gallery Henoch, New York, NY; George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA; J. Cacciola Gallery, New York NY; Julie Baker Fine Art, Nevada City, CA; Lewallen Contemporary, Santa Fe, NM; Nedra Matteucci Galleries, Santa Fe, NM; Robert Berman Gallery, Santa Monica, CA; Spanierman Gallery, New York, NY; Sullivan Goss An American Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA; Thomas Paul Fine Art, Woodland Hills, CA; Winston Wachter Fine Art, Seattle, WA; and Carson Van Straaten Gallery of Denver, CO. .



¬ Winston Wachter Fine Art, Acquiescence, mixed media/plexiglass, 24 x 24 x 22" each cube

Los Angeles Art Show

When: January 21-25, 2009. The Opening Night Preview Gala will be Wednesday, January 21, from 7 to 10 p.m., with a VIP Patron Reception beginning at 6 p.m.

Hours:

Thursday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Friday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Where: Los Angeles Convention Center, 1201 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles,

Admission: \$20 for general admission to the show. Individual Opening Night Preview tickets are available for \$225. Patron and sponsor opportunities available. Secure onsite parking is \$12.

For information, call (310) 822-9145 or visit www.laartshow.com