

WEAD: Ecoart = Ecoactivism

SYMPOSIUM: Sat, October 6, 2001, 9AM to 5 PM

EXHIBITION: September 29 - October 24, 2001

Co-sponsored by John F. Kennedy University and
WEAD—Women Environmental Artists Directory
JFK University Arts & Consciousness Gallery

Arts Annex, 2nd floor, 2956 San Pablo Ave, Berkeley, CA 94702

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P R O G R A M

- 8:00-9:00** Registration
- 9:00-9:15** Welcome & Introduction: **Jo Hanson**, eco artist/activist
- 9:15-10:15** Keynote Speaker: **Dr. Amalia Mesa-Bains**, Director of the Institute of Visual and Public Art, California State University, Monterey Bay.
- 10:30-12:00** **Panel #1 BATTLING EXTINCTION: We're Not the Only Ones on the Planet"**
- **Lynne Hull**, trans-species artist, lead speaker: "Habitat Restoration"
 - Meadowsweet Dairy, **Henry Corning**: Farallon Island Bird Sanctuary
 - **Andree Singer Thompson**: "*Making Waves—A Ripple Effect*: Teaching Survival"
 - **Virginia Stearns**: Mission Creek (China Basin, SF) Aquatic Bird Sanctuary
 - **Ann Baker**: Keepers of the Waters—Portland, OR
- 12:00-1:00** **Lunch Slide Program: "Materials & Content: Studio Work and Artists' Practice as Activism"**
- **Susan Plum**: Cosmology: An Indigenous Perspective
 - **Mary White and San Jose State Students**: Recycled Glass
 - **Kerry VanderMeer**: Endangered Amphibians
 - **Linda Fries**: Organic Materials
 - **Robin Lasser**: Consuming Landscapes
- 1:00-2:30** **Panel #2 "RESTORING COMMUNITIES AND HABITATS**
- **Susan Leibovitz Steinman**: Lead speaker, Community Greening
 - **Sharon Siskin**: AIDS Community Activism
 - **Bonnie Sherk**: "Living Gardens" SF Schools Program
 - **Kira Carrillo Corser**: "VisualVoices: Threat of the Dam" community project
 - **Fran Martin**: Visitacion Valley Greenway Project
- 2:45-4:15** **Panel #3 "HOW TO GET INVOLVED / CONNECTED**
- Education **Julianne Skal Arbor**: Lead speaker, New College of California, Environmental Arts and Education Program
 - Residency 1 **Wayne Cook**: California Arts Council Programs
 - Residency 2 **Lynda Rainsford**: Norcal SFC Artist In Residence Program
 - Residency 3 Headlands Bridge Program
 - Website 1 **Sam Bower**: greenmuseum.org
 - Website 2 **Patricia Watts**; Ecoartspace
 - Grants **William Laven**: Potrero Nuevo Fund
 - Gallery **Mary Mountcastle Eubank**: Gallery Route One
- 4:15-4:45** **Closing Speaker: Sara Bates—Connecting Spirit, Earth, Art**
- 4:45-5:00** **Closing Remarks: Michael Grady, Chair, JFK**
- 7:00-9:00** **EVENING EVENT: Artists' Exhibit Reception and Performance**

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