



## **Miami Art Museum Presents Sneak Preview of *Art 21* Season Four**

October 14, 2007

Miami Art Museum celebrates National Arts and Humanities Month this October with a Preview of Season 4 of the acclaimed contemporary art documentary *Art in the Twenty-First Century*, also known as *Art 21*. *Art 21* provides access to the creative processes, inspirations, and ideas behind some of today's most thought-provoking art and artists.

The preview will be presented in MAM's Auditorium Sunday, October 14, beginning at 12:30pm. Following the preview, members of MAM's education staff will be available to discuss the artists and issues introduced in *Art 21* Season Four.

Season Four is grouped into four themes and episodes covering ecology, paradox, protest and romance. It includes profiles of such MAM favorites as Mark Dion, Alfredo Jaar, Laurie Simmons and Catherine Sullivan.

Entry to the preview is included with museum admission.

The preview schedule is:

Part 1: Romance + Protest  
12.30 to 2.30pm

Romance  
Pierre Huyghe  
Judy Pfaff  
Lari Pittman  
Laurie Simmons

Protest  
Jenny Holzer  
Alfredo Jaar  
An-My Lê  
Nancy Spero

Intermission and Refreshment Break  
2.30 to 3pm

Part 2: Ecology + Paradox  
2.45 to 4.45pm

Ecology  
Robert Adams  
Mark Dion  
Iñigo Manglano-Ovalle  
Ursula von Rydingsvard

Paradox  
Jennifer Allora & Guillermo Calzadilla  
Mark Bradford  
Robert Ryman  
Catherine Sullivan

*Art in the Twenty-First Century* Season Four premieres October 28 on PBS.

This *Art in the Twenty-First Century* screening is presented by Art 21 and Americans for the Arts as part of *Art 21 Access '07*, a nationwide celebration of contemporary art and creativity.

Miami Art Museum is dedicated to engaging the public with art from the twentieth century through the present. Since its founding in 1996, the museum has built a collection of contemporary art with the goal of providing Miami with a legacy for future generations. MAM's collection has grown exponentially since *Art in America* called it "the quintessential Miami collection" in 1999. The MAM collection is dedicated to international art of the 20th and 21st centuries, taking a hemispheric perspective of the Americas.

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