

ART OF THE RAINFOREST

EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS

" . . . in the many years that we have been going to gallery shows and museum exhibitions, we can honestly say that it --- *ART OF THE RAINFOREST* --- was the single best body of work we have ever beheld! We were simply in awe. . . . The exhibit is stunning . . . An A plus all the way around."

Gamini and Lisa Ratnavira
Sri Lanka and San Diego



Green Cheeks Convoy, Gamini Ratnavira
2007, 24x35



Through the Canopy - deBrazza's Monkeys
Carel Pieter Brest van Kempen
2004, Triptych, 30x20; 30x30; 30x20



Emerald Tree Boa, Rachelle Siegrist
2004, 3x3 (miniature)

The Amazon comprises about one-half of the world's remaining rain forests. It is home to more than one-third of all living species. Other significant rain forests are located in Africa and Southeast Asia. Covered by a canopy 130 feet high or more, rain forests host more types of birds than any other forested environment, along with at least 125 types of mammals, and countless amphibians, fish, insects, reptiles, and plants, making them an artist's/naturalist's dream.

ART OF THE RAINFOREST was an exciting, 2006 exhibition that featured artwork by leading artists who specialize in rain forest subject matter.

These included sculptor Tucker Bailey, Sri Lanka painter Gamini Ratnavira who has painted rain forests throughout Asia; Carel Pieter Brest Van Kempen who has an impressive portfolio of rain forest paintings from Africa; Richard Sloan who has traveled and painted extensively throughout Central and South American; Bart Walter, who designed the Jane Goodall Award for International Conservation; Mary Helsaple whose work has been seen on ABC, The Discovery Channel, and PBS, and miniaturists, Wes and Rachelle Siegrist. For examples of their work, visit their websites at: artofwildlife.com; bartwalter.com; cpbrestvankempen.com; gaminiratnavira.com; helsaple.com.

ART OF THE RAINFOREST is being considered for a revival tour. The exhibit will again consist of about 50 paintings and 20 sculptures which portray rainforest subject matter in a variety of styles ranging from photo-realism to painterly impressionism. Each participating artist will exhibit two to five works to demonstrate the range of her/his particular subject matter and treatment of rainforest subjects.

Exhibition Specifications:

Contents:	Approx. 50 Paintings and 15 Sculptures
Rental Fee:	Pro-rated for 8 weeks or longer venues
Transportation:	Pro-rated among Tour Venues
Insurance:	In-house and in-transit
Space:	Approx. 250-350 linear ft.; 2,500-3,500 sq. ft.
Support Materials:	Education, Press, and Registration
Speakers Bureau:	Available Upon Request

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