



EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Art Workshops

These activities are designed to provide visitors of all ages with an opportunity to enhance their aesthetic experience by exploring various media, techniques and materials related to a particular theme or concept found in a work or exhibition.

In addition, with their hands-on approach, the Art Workshops help demystify the process of creating and make contemporary art more accessible. They last one hour and are open to all students at the preschool, elementary and secondary levels.

Interactive Tours

The museum offers Interactive Tours allowing visitors to discover works in its collection and its temporary exhibitions. Focusing on observation, the Tours help students develop their eye for the art object in an atmosphere conducive to discussion and questions.

The chosen route and pedagogical approach are always tailored to the participants' grade level. The minimum age required is four. Tours last about one hour. For secondary students, the museum offers customized Tours in response to teachers' requests.

Workshop/Tour Combos

The Workshop/Tour Combo is the ideal way to make the most of a visit to the Musée. By personally observing works of art and then engaging in a creative activity, students combine "seeing" with "doing." The activity arouses students' curiosity about contemporary art practices and, at the same time, fosters their own creativity through the discovery and observation of original works.

Education Staff

The Tours and Art Workshops are led by educators who are graduates in art, art history, arts education or museum studies and have received further training from the Education Department to give them a dynamic, interactive approach to contemporary art.

ART WORKSHOPS

WITH FINGERTIPS*

September 14 to October 12, 2018

The spectacular installation *Pulse Spiral*, 2008, by Rafael Lozano-Hemmer, will prompt participants to create an electrifying drawing made up of various elements produced by pigment transfer. Depending on the pressure exerted, the energy applied and the number and density of gestures made by the fingertips on the surface, the outline of the bulbs will be revealed with more or less intensity.

TONDO

October 18 to November 16, 2018

Inspired by the bold paintings in Françoise Sullivan's *Tondo* series, participants will use acrylic to create circular images pierced with a window that opens onto the world of the imagination. They'll be able to incorporate various materials into their compositions: plastic, wood, rope... who knows, maybe even a few pebbles.

CENTRAL AXIS

November 22 to December 14, 2018

Guided by Françoise Sullivan's sculptures, participants will be invited to produce three-dimensional images consisting essentially of geometric shapes. Circles, squares, rectangles and triangles will be arranged around a central axis to create balances of power that will energize the overall sculpture.

MONOCHROMES

December 19, 2018 to January 18, 2019

This abstract-painting Workshop inspired by Françoise Sullivan's monochrome paintings will take on its own lively colour! In small, repeated gestures, we will apply a single colour over an entire surface. The effect will be dazzling, revealing colour in a whole new way.

DOMINO EFFECT*

February 1 to 28, 2019

This multi-layered activity will offer participants insight into various issues contained in the video work *Der Lauf der Dinge*, 1987, by artists Peter Fischli and David Weiss. More specifically, they will produce an installation with a host of assorted objects that will be arranged so as to create a giant domino that will likely feature impromptu effects and continuous movements. A video recording will attest to their inventive tricks and experiments.

* The With Fingertips and Domino
Effect Combos last 90 minutes and
are available for one class at a time.

EXHIBITIONS

Until September 9, 2018

RAFAEL LOZANO-HEMMER: UNSTABLE PRESENCE

Born in Mexico City in 1967, Rafael Lozano-Hemmer is one of the most prominent Canadian artists on the international media-arts scene today. He is especially well known for his large-scale, participatory, technology-based installations that often incorporate light projections and the architecture of public spaces. This exhibition focusing on his output of the past decade features some twenty pieces that reveal different facets of his work: his use of light, voice, surveillance cameras, music, nanotechnologies, etc.

October 18, 2018 to January 20, 2019

FRANÇOISE SULLIVAN

This retrospective highlights the outstanding contribution made by Françoise Sullivan to the history of modern and contemporary art in Québec. A co-signatory of the Refus global manifesto, whose seventieth anniversary we are celebrating in 2018, Sullivan is remarkable for her ceaseless exploration and the multidisciplinary nature of her art. Comprising some forty pieces, the exhibition showcases her work as a painter, dancer/ choreographer and sculptor, as well as her performative practice in the realm of conceptual art. Note that different visitor routes through the exhibition are planned for groups reserving the Workshop/Tour Combos. It is therefore possible to reserve more than one Workshop in connection with this exhibition.

JULIAN ROSEFELDT: MANIFESTO

The Musée is presenting the thirteenchannel immersive video *Manifesto* by German artist Julian Rosefeldt, Situated at the crossroads between film, performance and installation, Manifesto pays tribute to the tradition and literary beauty of various artists' manifestos published over the last century. Each of the thirteen screens shows actor Cate Blanchett taking on different roles, including a schoolteacher, a homeless man, a factory worker, a puppeteer and a scientist. All of the words spoken are formed out of the manifestos of such groups as the Futurists, Dadaists, Fluxus, Suprematists, Situationists and Dogme 95, and the musings of artists, architects, dancers and filmmakers like Claes Oldenburg, Yvonne Rainer, Kazimir Malevich, André Breton, Elaine Sturtevant, Sol LeWitt and Jim Jarmusch



From January 21, 2019

RES MUSÉE TRANSFORMATION documentary exhibition, designed PROJECT

In order to expand, and to enhance the welcome we provide for our visitors, the MAC is embarking on a major transformation project. This means that our current building will close its doors to the public in early 2019. In anticipation of the reopening scheduled for 2021, a temporary MAC will come into being in Fall 2019 with a program that, though reduced, will reflect its customary quality and rigour. Stay tuned! Educational activities specially designed for groups will be offered for all our clienteles.

SCORES

This documentary exhibition, designed to form a link between Manifesto and the Françoise Sullivan retrospective, will present the originals of most of the major historic manifestos cited in Julian Rosefeldt's film installation. To mark the seventieth anniversary of the publication of Refus alobal. a copy of this famous collection of writings Ito which Françoise Sullivan contributed a text titled "La danse et l'espoir") will also be on display, accompanied by archival material and other manifestos that emerged from the cross-fertilization of the worlds of dance, performance and the visual arts in Québec and Canada. Punctuating this selection of historical documents, three works by Filippo Tommaso Marinetti, Romany Eveleigh and Mathieu Beauséjour will illustrate the importance of the materiality of the manifesto as well as its essentially performative nature: destined to be acted out, played, reprised, the manifesto constitutes a thread through which is expressed the continually renewed capacity of language to transform the world.

SCHEDULE

Art Workshops

Monday to Friday 9, 9:30, 10:30 and 11 a.m., 12:30, 1 and 2 p.m.

Interactive ToursMonday to Friday

(1 hour in length) 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(1 hour in length)

Workshop/Tour Combos

(2 hours in length)

Monday to Friday: Block A: 9 to 11 a.m.

(available for 1 class)

Block B: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Block C: 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

(available for 1 or 2 classes, lunch from 11:30 to 12) (available for 1 or 2 classes, lunch from 12 to 12:30)

Block D: 1 to 3 p.m.

(available for 1 or 2 classes)

Reservations

It's best to reserve using our online reservation form: www.macm.org/en/ education/reservation/

You can also reserve by calling 514 847-6253, Monday to Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Reservations may be made starting Thursday, August 23, 2018.

Requests are handled on a first-come first-serve basis. We recommend that you reserve at the beginning of the school year.

Fees and information

For fees and other information, see the education section of the Musée website: www.macm.org/ en/education/fees/

A French-language version of this brochure is available on our website: www.macm. org/groupes_jeunesse

