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BIOGRAPHIES OF THE ARTISTS AND LIST OF WORKS OF ART

An asterisk preceding the title indicates that the work is illustrated. In the dimensions of the paintings, height precedes width. Lenders to the exhibition are listed on page 5.

J. DE FEO


*Origin. 1956. Oil on canvas, 7'8 1/2" x 6'7 3/4". Lent by Dilexi Gallery, San Francisco. III. p. 10 S-11246

*The Veronica. 1957. Oil on canvas, 11' x 42 1/4". Lent by Ferus Gallery, Los Angeles. Ill. p. 11 (32 x 42 1/4"")

Persephone. 1957. Graphite on paper mounted on canvas, 7'8 1/2" x 41 1/2". Lent by J. Patrick Lannan, Chicago. (47 1/12 x 41 1/2"")

*Daphne. 1958. Charcoal, graphite, oil on paper mounted on canvas, 8'10" x 41 1/2". Lent by Sam Francis, New York. Ill. p. 12 (106) 5-16.234


WALLY HEDRICK


*Around Painting. 1957. Oil on canvas, 69 1/4" diameter. Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 15 57.658

*Circle Painting, 4. 1957. Oil on canvas, 65 1/4 x 58". Lent by the artist. III. p. 16 57.652

Circle Painting, 6. 1957. Oil on canvas, 59 3/4" diameter. Lent by the artist 57.653

Spirit Plus Idea. 1. 1958. Oil on canvas, 40 x 30". Lent by the artist 57.654

The Spirit. 1958. Oil on canvas, 38 x 35 3/8". Lent by the artist 57.656


Spirit Plus Idea, 12. 1958. Oil on canvas, 65 1/4 x 58". Lent by the artist 57.659

*Heroic Image. 1959. Oil on canvas, hexagonal, 61 x 71". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 17 57.655

*For Service Rendered. 1959. Oil on canvas, 49 3/4 x 35". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 16 57.656

JAMES JARVAISE

Massachusetts; Los Angeles County Museum; Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh; Butler Art Institute, Youngstown, Ohio.

*Hudson River School Series, 30. 1957. Oil on masonite, 48 x 66". Lent by Felix Landau Gallery, Los Angeles. Ill. p. 20


*Hudson River School Series, 62. 1959. Oil on canvas, 6 x 11 1/2 x 67". Lent by Felix Landau Gallery, Los Angeles. Ill. p. 21


JASPER JOHNS


Large Flag. 1954. Encaustic on newspaper on canvas, 42 x 60". Lent by Philip C. Johnson, New York


*Large White Flag. 1955. Encaustic on newspaper on canvas, 12 x 6" in 3 sections. Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 25

Grey Alphabets. 1956. Encaustic on newspaper on canvas, 66 x 46". Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Heller, New York

Large White Numbers. 1958. Encaustic on canvas, 67 x 49 1/2". Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scull, Great Neck, New York

*Falcon. 1959. Oil on canvas, 60 x 49". Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 29


Summata. 1959. Oil on canvas, 6 x 65". Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York

E. W. KELLY


Charter. 1959. Oil on canvas, 7 6/8 x 60". Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York

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*Rebound. 1959. Oil on canvas, 68 1/4 x 71 1/2". Lent by Franklyn Konigsberg, New York. Ill. p. 33


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Betty Parsons Gallery

NORTH RIVER, oil on canvas, 78 x 70". Lent by 91
ALFRED LESLIE


*Wave Motif. 1959. Oil on canvas, 60 x 71". Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 31

*York. 1959. Oil on canvas, 68 x 74. Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 32

Only Now Counts. 1955. Oil and glass on canvas, 18 x 24". Lent by Rose Fried Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 39

*Forgot It. c.1954. Oil on canvas, 21 x 34". Lent by Rose Fried Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 38

You Would Too. c.1954. Oil and glass on canvas, 18 x 24". Lent by Rose Fried Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 4

*22 Working Drawings. c.1954. Colored ink and watercolor on paper, 3 x 5½" each. Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 95

RICHARD LYTLE


Encounter. 1959. Oil on canvas, 77 x 67". Lent by the artist

The Oracle. 1959. Oil on canvas, 67 x 910½". Lent by the artist

*The Possessed. 1959. Oil on canvas, 82½ x 67". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 43
Landes Lewitin: 22 working drawings, c.1954. Colored ink and watercolor, 3 x 5/8" each. Owned by the artist.
LOUISE NEVELSON


*Prometheus. 1959. Oil on canvas, 6'7" x 7'1". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 44

*Verge. 1959. Oil on canvas, 6'7" x 7'1". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 46

Loom. 1959. Oil on canvas, 8' x 10'. Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 48

ROBERT RALPH}


*Head of Bull. 1958. Composition stone in resin base, 33 x 35". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 50

Lethe. 1958. Composition stone in resin base, 54 x 65 1/2". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 77


Sanctum. 1958-59. Composition stone in resin base, 54 1/2" x 61 1/2". Lent by the artist. Ill. p. 77

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*Committee. 1954. Steel, 7 ft high. Lent by Horace Richter, Mt. Gilead, North Carolina. Ill. p. 71


*Fish Lurking. 1958. Iron and steel, 48½" high. Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Newman, Chicago. Ill. p. 72

FRANK STELLA


*Arundel Castle. 1959. Oil on canvas, 10 x 6¹/₂” x 6”. Lent by Leo Castelli Gallery, New York. III. p. 79

**Die Fahne Hoch!” 1959. Oil on canvas, 10 x 6¹/₂” x 6”. Lent by Leo Castelli Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 77

*The Marriage of Reason and Squalor. 1959. Oil on canvas, 7½” x 11½”. Lent by Leo Castelli Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 78

*Tombinson Court Park. 1959. Oil on canvas, 7½” x 9½”. Lent by Leo Castelli Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 78

ALBERT URBAN


*Oedipus. 1958. Oil on canvas, 56 x 58”. Lent by Mrs. Albert Urban, New York

*Painting. 1958. Oil on canvas, 68 x 71”. Lent by Mrs. Albert Urban, New York

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JACK YOUNGERMAN


*Aztec III. 1959. Oil on canvas, 63½” x 71″. Private collection, New York. Ill. p. 88

*Big Black. 1959. Oil on canvas, 77½” x 70½”. Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 87

*Coenties Slip. 1959. Oil on canvas, 69 x 69½”. Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York. Ill. p. 89

*Palmyra. 1959. Oil on canvas, 70½” x 55½”. Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York

*Ram. 1959. Oil on canvas, 76 x 64½”. Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York

*Talmont. 1959. Oil on canvas, 65 x 65”. Lent by Betty Parsons Gallery, New York