

A Guide To What's Happening In Town

A selective calendar of events in Paris from mid-March through early May: art, photography, theater, dance, music, film and more.

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ART

Right Bank

- **CHARLOTTE PERRIAND** — *Un Art de Vivre*. Works by this interior designer and architect associated with the 1920s *art d'habiter* movement. Ends Apr. 1. Musée des Arts Décoratifs, 107, rue de Rivoli, 75001. Tel: 260.32.14.
- **HUMANISME** — An exhibit of symbolist oil painting by Robert Aron Miz-

wings tracing contemporary art from social realism to *figuration libre*. Ends Apr. 15. Grand Palais, av. du Général-Eisenhower, 75008. Tel: 261.54.10.

- **SHOGUN** — A collection of ancient Japanese treasures from the Tokugawa Shogunate family. Ends May 14. Espace Pierre Cardin, 1-3, av. Gabriel, 75008. Tel.: 266.17.30.
- **ALBERT BURRI** — Plastic art works in his exhibit *Combustioni. Cretti. Cel-*



Toronto's Dancemakers are featured at the Centre Pompidou.

- Ends Apr. 2. And paintings by Japanese artist Seizo Okunaka. Apr. 3-30. Centrale Galerie, 20, rue du Pont-Neuf, 75001. Tel: 233.86.96.
- **CHRISTIAN ASTUGUEVIELLE** — presents his exhibit *Foroshiki et*

lotex, 1964-84; paintings and column-like sculptures in synthetic resin by Natalie Dumitresco. Ends Apr. 30. Also, comic strip posters by American and French graphic artists. Apr. 16-May 31. Artcurial, 9, av. Matignon, 75008. Tel: 299.16.16.

- **L'IMPRESSIONISME** — *et le Paysage Français*. French landscapes by Impressionist painters. Ends Apr. 22. Grand Palais, av. Winston-Churchill, 75008. Tel: 260.39.26.
- **CINEMA POSTERS** — A review of French film advertising since 1910. Ends Apr. 15. Musée de la Publicité, 18, rue de Paradis, 75010. Tel: 246.13.09.
- **CLAUDE PARENT** — Drawings and scale models in wood by the inventor of oblique architecture. Ends Apr. 6. Galerie Bastille, 20 rue de Lappe, 75011. Tel: 355.37.77.
- **EROTICISM** — Third annual festival featuring films, paintings, sculptures, clothes and antiques. Mar 14-24. 24, quai d'Austerlitz, 75012. Tel: 555.09.68.
- **TWO PLUS TWO ARTISTS** — Two painters and two photographers linked by friendship and common artistic vision in a group show March 18-23 at Studio Parisien, 49, rue de Bagnolet, 75020.
- **NEW YORK PAINTERS** — Paintings by young New York artists Bruno Schmidt, Mar. 15-Apr. 15, and Samantha McEwen, Apr. 19-May 15. Galerie Beau Lézard, 6 rue Antoine-Dubois, 75006. Tel: 633.13.30.
- **PATRICK LEFEVRE** — Huge constructions and multi-colored assemblages. Ends May 5. Musée des Enfants, 11, av. du Président-Wilson, 75016. Tel: 723.61.27.
- **GUSTAV MAHLER** — An audio-visual exhibit with slides, letters and rare recordings highlighting the life of the 18th-century Austrian composer. Ends Mars. 31. Musée National d'Art Moderne, 11, av. du Président-Wilson, 75016. Tel: 723.61.27.
- **PARIS BIENNALE** — An international art show including latest works by Jean Hélion, young artists Jean-Michel Basquiat and Hervé di Rosa, avant-garde Italian artists Clemente, Chia and Cucchi, works by Mario Merz and Joseph Beuys, concerts and a photography exhibit on architecture. Mar. 21-May 21. La Grande Halle, Parc de la Villette, 75019. Tel: 256.33.44 (See Visions, p. 86).

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- **VICTOR HUGO** — Replicas of Hugo's theater sets by Pierre Clayette. Ends Apr. 13. Galerie Proscénium, 35, rue de Seine, 75006. Tel: 354.92.01.
- **STYLE AND CHAOS** — French contemporary painting in a group exhibit by the Centre National des Arts Plastiques. Ends Apr. 30. Musée du Luxembourg, 19, rue de Vaugirard, 75006. Tel: 234.25.95.
- **ANTIQUÉ SHOW** — Extraordinary objects and antiques regrouped in some 120 galleries and antique shops in Le Carré Rive Gauche. May 9-13. Carré Rive Gauche, south of the Seine from quai Voltaire, 75007. Tel: 703.44.89. And an antique salon housed in a sumptuous Second Empire mansion, presently a museum. Ends Mar. 31. Musée Jacquemart-André, 158 bd Haussmann, 75008. Tel: 225.71.79.
- **FERDINAND KULMER** — Mythological paintings by this figurative artist. Ends Apr. 6. Galerie d'Art International, 12, rue Jean-Ferrandi, 75006. Tel: 548.84.28.
- **AUTO-PORTRAIT** — Paintings by artist and composer Henri Nouveau. Ends Apr. 16. Galerie Frankà Berndt, 11, rue de l'Echaudé, 75006. Tel: 325.52.73.
- **JEAN DUBUFFET** — Lithographic works from 1982-1984 by this sculptor and painter. Ends May 11. Galerie du 7/Atelier Bordes, 7, rue Princesse, 75006. Tel: 326.26.97.