

LINDA PACE FOUNDATION

Linda Pace Foundation 2016 Fiesta Medal

The Linda Pace Foundation is pleased to present our 2016 Fiesta Medal designed by Linda Pace Foundation collection artist, **Chris Sauter**, who was inspired by our Founder's vision of a Ruby City. This medal is included in an edition of 300. Proceeds from our Fiesta Medal sales will be donated to Contemporary Art Month (CAM), a local non-profit organization.



A new exhibition space, planned to be called Ruby City is the vision and mandate of our Founder, Linda Pace (1945-2007), who was driven by the belief that art is a vital social force. World-renowned architect David Adjaye has designed a building to exhibit the Foundation's growing collection of over 800 paintings, sculptures, installations and video works by international contemporary artists. The building will serve as a destination for visitors to contemplate and experience adventurous artwork from the recent past. Admission will be free. The building is slated for a public opening in 2018, the year of San Antonio's Tricentennial.

The building will be situated on Camp Street, and will be part of the Linda Pace Foundation campus extending from South Flores Street to the San Pedro Creek. The campus also includes CHRISpark, built in 2005, a one-acre public green space; and **SPACE, the Linda Pace Foundation Gallery (111 Camp St., San Antonio, TX 78204)**, which opened to the public in 2014.

Currently, the Linda Pace Foundation publicly exhibits its collection through loans to other institutions and SPACE. Free and open to the public Wednesday through Saturday from 12 noon–5pm, SPACE showcases the collection of late philanthropist and artist Linda Pace, as well as related contemporary art exhibitions on an ongoing basis.

Please join us for the opening reception of our spring exhibition on **Friday, April 29, 2016** from 6-8pm. The Linda Pace Foundation will present the Texas debut of *Secondary Stories*, a room-sized installation by Brazilian artist Rivane Neuenschwander, who has become widely regarded for her often ephemeral work that explores narratives about language, nature, social interactions and the passing of time. The exhibition will showcase, *Secondary Stories* as well as three video installation works.

Guided by our Founder's conviction that contemporary art is essential to a dynamic society, the Linda Pace Foundation fosters the creation, presentation and understanding of innovative expression through contemporary art. Grants support the international artist residency program of Artpace, a separate non-profit organization as well as CHRISpark - San Antonio's only privately owned and operated public park - the public exhibition of the Foundation's growing contemporary art collection and the work of contemporary artists.

We are proud to be a part of San Antonio's thriving arts and culture community, and look forward to contributing to the vision of this city.