

LINDA PACE FOUNDATION

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The Linda Pace Foundation is pleased to present our 2017 Fiesta Medal designed by permanent collection artist, **Ethel Shipton**, who was inspired by our Founder's vision of a Ruby City and renderings of the future exhibition space designed by **David Adjaye**. This medal is a limited edition and is available for purchase for \$10. Proceeds from our Fiesta Medal sales will be donated to [Contemporary Art Month \(CAM\)](#), a local non-profit organization. The medals will be on sale at SPACE gallery and at various CAM events including the annual CAM Closing Party hosted in CHRISpark on Friday March 31, 2017.



[Ruby City](#), the new exhibition space, is the vision and mandate of our Founder, Linda Pace (1945 – 2007) who was driven by the belief that art is a vital 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 completion in late 2018.

Ruby City will be situated in the heart of San Antonio's art district, and will be part of the Linda Pace Foundation art campus extending from South Flores Street to San Pedro Creek. The campus also includes CHRISpark, built in 2005, a one-acre 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 similar institutions and SPACE gallery.

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

Our current exhibition titled [Secondary Stories](#) features 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. This exhibition is on view through January 29, 2018.

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.

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.

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About Ethel Shipton



Ethel Shipton was born and raised in Laredo, Texas. She received a BFA from the University of Texas at Austin in 1989. Ethel worked for the Texas House of Representatives as a photographer for more than eight years. She lived and worked in Mexico City in 1990 and 1992, and then returned to Texas, settling down in San Antonio.

Her practice is informed by a strong conceptual base and encompasses a variety of expression. Through painting, installation, photography, and text, Shipton spotlights instants of clarity that flit by in the comings and goings of daily life. Past works have centered on ideas of urban scenes, language, and attempts to process information. Time is an important issue of her oeuvre. We can find references to time and images of time throughout her art practice.

“Space and time, movement and place I see going hand and hand. These two elements continue to be groundwork for my artwork. We all continue to move between time and space on a moment-by-moment basis.”
– Ethel Shipton

Shipton has exhibited at numerous galleries, including Artpace, San Antonio, TX; Museum of Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM; Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX; Shore Institute of Contemporary Art, Long Beach, CA; Austin Museum of Art, Austin, TX; Women and Their Work Gallery, Austin, TX; Sala Diaz, San Antonio, TX and Studio Santa Catarina, Mexico City. In 2011, Shipton was awarded Artist Honoree of the year at Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum.

About SPACE

SPACE, the Linda Pace Foundation Gallery, presents works from the collection of Linda Pace, as well as related contemporary art exhibitions. SPACE is situated on the northeast corner of CHRISpark, a one-acre outdoor park built in memory of Pace’s son that exhibits works from the collection as well as contemporary artists.

The entrance is at 111 Camp Street, San Antonio, TX 78204

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Hours: Wednesday – Saturday; 12-5pm

SPACE is free and open to the public.

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THE LINDA PACE
FOUNDATION GALLERY

About the Linda Pace Foundation

The Linda Pace Foundation is committed to the charitable vision of its founder. Guided by the donor’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 Residency Program at Artpace, CHRISpark, the public exhibition of Pace’s contemporary art collection and the work of contemporary artists.

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