American Society of Botanical Artists

22nd Annual Meeting and Conference Pittsburgh 2016

Group CritiqueLugene Bruno and Robin Menard

Saturday, October 15, 2016

9:00 am – noon Pittsburgh Athletic Association - Presidents Room

In a casual, supportive and interactive group setting, Lugene Bruno of the Hunt Institute and Robin Menard of the Phipps Conservatory Botanical Illustration Certificate Program will discuss three of each participants artworks while addressing topics such as composition, color and spatial relationships. During this group discussion, each artist will learn terminology and develop skills for objectively understanding their own and others' work.



Supply List

Students should bring 3 originals, (black & white or color). They may also bring one supporting sketch per painting.

Bios

As Curator of Art at the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, **Lugene Bruno** is responsible for all activities of the Art Department, including curating the collection and twice-yearly exhibitions; designing catalogues; giving talks, tours and accessibility to collection materials. She is also an artist working in the mediums of photography and graphite drawing.

Robin Menard teaches Botanical Drawing I, II, III certificate core courses, and electives at Phipps Conservatory and Botanical Gardens. In addition, she shares her love of botanical art and nature through school programs and public workshops in western Pennsylvania.