SUSQUEHANNA ART MUSEUM AT THE MARTY AND TOM PHILIPS FAMILY ART CENTER

WOMEN ARTISTS TAKE CENTER STAGE AT SAM

Harrisburg, PA – *Intent/Content: Celebrating Women Artists,* Susquehanna Art Museum's newest exhibition, spotlights pieces that are rarely on view due to their size or complexity. The pieces come from the Hunter Museum of American Art who, on the 100th anniversary of women's suffrage in the United States, celebrated the many incredible works in their collection by female artists. Highlighting

many new acquisitions, the original exhibition included artworks with a mix of subjects, styles, and media. Susquehanna Art Museum collaborated with Hunter Museum to create a version of this exhibition unique to our space that encompasses the spirit of these historic female artists.

Female artists are underrepresented in museum collections, and *Intent/Content* is a small window into the work that the Hunter Museum is doing to support and empower women artists. The museum has actively sought to correct this over the last two decades, making it an acquisition priority and slowly increasing the number of women in the collection.



Loïs Mailou Jones, *Damballah*, 1980, acrylic on canvas, 29.5" x 35.5

Intent/Content is on view in the Susquehanna Art Museum through May 21, 2023. Thank you to our Lehr Gallery season sponsors Anne M. & Philip H. Glatfelter III Foundation and the Carole DeSoto Foundation. The exhibition is organized by the Hunter Museum of American Art, Chattanooga, Tennessee. Find more information at **SusquehannaArtMuseum.org/calendar/intent-content**

Susquehanna Art Museum is located at 1401 N. 3rd Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102. Hours: Wednesday 10:00 am – 7:00 pm, Thursday – Saturday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm, Sunday 12:00 – 5:00 pm. Free parking is available to visitors in the lot behind the Museum at Calder and James Streets.

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