

MMA WELCOMES NEW TRUSTEES

The Museum is pleased to announce the addition of three new trustees: Dea Dea Baker, Mitch Collins, and John Hornh.



Dea Dea Baker is a native Jacksonian and holds a B.A. from the University of Colorado. She is a watercolor artist and is active in numerous art-related projects and functions in Jackson (Jackson Watercolor Group, Mississippi Watercolor Society, and numerous fundraising events). Dea Dea illustrated the Mississippi-published cookbook *At Home Café*. She is presently serving on the board of Wesley Biblical Seminary and works with the McClean Fletcher Center for Grief Counseling.



J. Mitchell (Mitch) Collins joined Parkway Properties, Inc. as executive vice president and chief financial officer on March 1, 2008. Mitch previously served as executive vice president and chief financial officer of Equity Inns, Inc., previously located in Memphis, Tennessee. He is a graduate of The University of Mississippi (B. S. Accountancy) and Vanderbilt University (Master of Business Administration). While living in Memphis, Mitch was involved in numerous civic organizations. He served on the boards of the Memphis Zoo, the Dixon Gallery and Gardens, and The Orpheum Theatre.



John Hornh is a member of the Mississippi State Senate, a community development consultant, and a motivational speaker. He studied at Centre College of Kentucky, Jackson State University, and Duke University. John holds memberships in Phi Beta Sigma, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, A. Philip Randolph Institute, NAACP, and Leadership Jackson Alumni Association.

MUSEUM INFORMATION

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Location The Museum is located at 380 South Lamar Street in downtown Jackson, Mississippi. From Interstate 55 take the Pearl Street Exit (Exit 96A) into downtown Jackson. Turn left at Lamar Street. The Museum is located two blocks south at the northeast corner of Lamar and Court streets.

Hours for Dufy Tuesday – Saturday/10 am – 6 pm, Sunday noon – 6 pm, with extended hours on Thursday until 8 pm. Closed Monday. **Regular hours resume July 7.**

Admission for Dufy \$12 adults, \$10 seniors (60+), \$6 students age 6 – college, FREE children 5 and under, FREE Museum members, \$1 each for student groups of 20 or more. Adult and student groups of 20 or more receive a discount. Regular admission resumes July 7.

Admission is FREE for the exhibition *The Mississippi Story*.

Trustmark FREE Tuesdays Students are FREE on Tuesdays. This benefit is made possible through the generous support of Trustmark Bank.

Blue Cross FREE Thursdays Students are FREE on Thursdays. This benefit is made possible through the generous support of Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Mississippi.

Parking Complimentary parking is available in the lot located between the Mississippi Arts Center and the Museum.

Tours The Museum offers personalized guided tours for adults and students with two weeks' advance reservations. For featured tours and additional information, please call or visit our website. A Museum staff member will call you to confirm your reservation. One chaperone per ten students is admitted free. We provide complimentary admission for group bus drivers.

Accessibility All galleries are accessible to the physically impaired. Free wheelchairs are available upon request. Please reserve in advance.

The Palette Café by Viking offers snacks, Starbucks® coffee, and free high-speed internet service. Closed Monday.

The Museum Store is open during Museum hours. Closed Monday.

Mississippi Museum of Art Staff Roster Betsy Bradley, Director; Nina Moss, Director of Communications; Stephanie Palmertree, Director of Finance; Mindy Kunz, Director of Administration; Dan Piersol, Deputy Director for Programs; Robin C. Dietrick, Curator of Exhibitions; Beth Batton, Curator of the Collection; Joanna Biglane, Registrar; L. C. Tucker, Chief Preparator; Melvin Johnson, Preparator; Tom Jones, Preparator; Ivy Alley, Curator of Education, Docents & Volunteers; Lianne K. Takemori, Curator of Education & Studio Programs; Ann Becker, Deputy Director for Marketing & Development; Ann Harkins, Director of Membership & Annual Giving; Jana Brady, Assistant to the Deputy Director for Marketing & Development; Maggie Lacey, Graphic Designer; Katy Simmons, Catering Sales Manager/Facility Rental; Elizabeth Blanks, The Museum Store Manager; Annette French, Guest Services Coordinator; Emily Burgess, Head Chef of The Palette Café by Viking; Jennifer Breaux, Banquet Manager of the Palette Café by Viking; Stacey Langford, The Museum Store Sales Associate; Amanda Cashman, Weekend Museum Store Sales Associate and Weekend Receptionist; Nicole Stewart, Weekend Receptionist; James A. Stevenson, Chief of Security; Avis J. Candler, Joseph L. Cooper, Alexis L. Durr, Tammy Ervin, Charles Mooton, Cary Smith, Julia Stewart, Nicole Stewart, Darrell D. T. Winston, security officers

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AUXILIARY NEWS

A delightful day of design, art, and fun as the Mississippi Museum of Art Auxiliary hosts its annual luncheon inspired by the exhibition *Raoul Dufy: A Celebration of Beauty*. More than 200 women will gather on April 9 in Trustmark Grand Hall to be entertained by a guest designer courtesy of The Rogue and its new women's boutique, 4450. A "Project Runway" style draping event showcasing authentic Dufy fabrics will be performed, and a renowned Knoll Textile designer will offer a sensory tour through the world of fabric art. Because Dufy's fabrics are still manufactured at the silk fabric house Bianchini-Ferrier in Lyon, France, and since Lyon is also the center of French culinary arts, Museum Chef Emily Burgess will create an artful menu of French fare for all to enjoy.