# **MEDIA ALERT**

## "AN ARTFUL MARRIAGE" EXHIBIT SHOWCASES THE ARTWORK OF AN OSCAR-WINNER AND GETTY ART EDUCATOR

The public is invited to the May 4th opening reception for an art exhibit featuring the photography of Oscar-winning screenwriter Bruce Joel Rubin and the artwork of his wife, artist and art educator Blanche Mallins Rubin

**WHAT:** "An Artful Marriage" opening reception (May 4th ) and art exhibit showcases the photography of Oscar-winning screenwriter <u>Bruce Joel Rubin</u> (*Ghost*), and the watercolors, oil paintings and ceramics of his wife of 50 years, <u>Blanche Mallins Rubin</u>, EdD, artist and former National Program Evaluator for the Getty Institute for Education in the Arts.

### WHEN:

OPENING RECEPTION: Saturday May 4, 5:30pm - 9:30pm EXHIBIT DATES: May 4th - June 29, 2019, by appointment, please call 415-985-7746

WHERE: The Laundry, 3359 26th Street, San Francisco, CA

**WHO:** Oscar-winning screenwriter BRUCE JOEL RUBIN, with films including *Ghost, Jacob's Ladder, My Life, Deep Impact, Stuart Little 2, The Last Mimzy* and *The Time Traveler's Wife*, explores the visual storytelling of photography. His wife, artist BLANCHE MALLINS RUBIN, received her Doctorate in Art Education and worked for the J. Paul Getty Institute for Education in the Arts, creating a nationwide multi-discipline art program still used in schools today.

### **COST:** Free

**EVENT HIGHLIGHTS:** Bruce Joel Rubin and his wife, Blanche Mallins Rubin, will be at the May 4th opening reception to answer any questions on their work. Bruce has written a caption for each of his photographs that tells its story, revealing extraordinary worlds hidden in the ordinary. A digital viewing of his "Cosmic" photographs will also be on display.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Adults, children, and lovers of art, film, photography, paintings, ceramics and art education.

### **MORE INFORMATION:**

Bruce Joel Rubin: <u>brucejoelrubin.com</u>, <u>brucejoelrubin.com/press</u>, <u>Instagram</u>, <u>IMDb</u>, <u>Wikipedia</u> Blanche Mallins Rubin: <u>blancherubin.com</u> The Laundry: <u>thelaundrysf.com</u>

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POISED FOR BATTLE April 5, 2018, Los Angeles, CA. Flipping the grill of the Raymer Street truck, I discover a story unfolding, a tiny creature poised to take on a mythical foe in a world only dreams can create. I want to know the story. I hunger for the narrative; I want to share it with my grandchildren. Mostly I want to thank the truck for sharing this world with me. Photo/Caption: Bruce Joel Rubin

"Hard Edge, Soft Center" oil painting, Blanche Rubin





### THE WORLD TO COME

May 24, 2017, Los Angeles, CA. This image was discovered inside of a small rusting metal pot on the porch outside of my LA house. It makes me think of the Sistine Chapel. It feels holy to me. Photo/Caption: Bruce Joel Rubin

Vase, Blanche Rubin



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For additional information and higher resolution photos, or to speak with Bruce Joel Rubin or Blanche Rubin, contact Ann Cameron, <u>ann1133@icloud.com</u>, 707-260-4033.