

The Exhibition "ART ET LUMIERE" presented in the hilltop villages of Haut-Var from 26 July to 16 August 2017 Seillans (83), Convent Hall

Designed and realized by the Association "EAU et LUMIERE", which works to have Impressionism inscribed as a UNESCO World Heritage and, in liaison with the Council of Europe, develops the "Impressionisms Routes" in Europe, this exhibition is meant to be welcomed by local and regional authorities that have a connection with this artistic theme and wish to participate in the creation and development of this itinerary.

Scheduled in the magnificent space of the Convent room in the center of the village of Seillans, the exhibition was inaugurated on Thursday 26 July 2017. The event brought together a large number of guests around **Serge Leibovitz**, Deputy Mayor of Seillans, **Georges Lucenet**, Vice-President and General Delegate of Eau & Lumière and **Pippa Pawlik**, President and Artistic Director of the Festival "Musique Cordiale" organized throughout the region from 29 July to 12 August 2017 as well as many personalities and local elected officials ...

Monique Lucenet, professor and historian, member of the Scientific Committee of Eau & Lumiere, presented his latest work: Impressionisms Routes, a program book for the project of the same name and "The Route of Painters in the Mediterranean. In his address, Georges Lucenet recalled the importance of this exhibition as a support for the dossier on the creation of a European Cultural Route, which is under consideration by the Council of Europe.

Seillans has been home to the last years of the life of the famous surrealist Max Ernst (1891-1976), the foundation of his wife Dorothea Tanning is visible in their house in the center of the village ... The "Maison Wadberg" houses many works of the painter Stan Appenzeller (1901-1980) who lived and died at the Domaine des Taillades in Seillans.

This exhibition is organized in partnership with the Commune of Seillans, the **Association Seillans Culture et Patrimoine** and the **13th International Festival "Musique Cordiale"** organized in all the hilltop villages of the Haut Var, where a special evening will be dedicated to "Impressionist" composers Berlioz, Ravel, Fauré ... on 2 August 2017 in Bargemon ...



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This exhibition has been presented 16 times from 2013 and has attracted over 20 000 visitors





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