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WHO DOES SHE THINK SHE IS?

A documentary film about Women, Art and Life Choices

After the film, Cincinnati women will discuss their own life journeys, balancing their passion for art and love of family

Cincinnati World Cinema will present the Tri-State premiere of WHO DOES SHE THINK SHE IS? on Tuesday June 9 and Wednesday June 10 at the Carnegie Visual Arts Center, Covington KY. The screenings are at 7:00 pm each evening, preceded by a social hour and cash bar starting at 6:00 pm.

WHO DOES SHE THINK SHE IS? follows five women artists as they navigate the economic, psychological, and spiritual challenges of making work outside the elite art world. From the filmmaking team that won an Academy Award for *Born Into Brothels*, comes an important work that examines some of the most pressing balancing-act issues of our time: parenting and work, partnering and independence, economics and art.

From the suburbs of Ohio to studios in Cambridge and Providence; from Hawaii's Big Island to New York City, from the deserts of New Mexico to the tropics of St. Vincent, we watch as these women, ranging in age from 27 to 65, fight to honor their vision and their families. Ethnically, culturally and geographically diverse, they pursue different muses as painter, singer/actress, sculptress/ceramicist, painter/print maker/activist, and sculptress/illustrator.

OFFERING A LOCAL PERSPECTIVE in the post-film discussion with the audience are metro Cincinnati residents **Maggie Barnes**, painter, photographer and musician; **Mary Pierce Brosmer**, poet, writer and founder, Women Writing for (a) Change; **M. Katherine Hurley**, painter and curator, Hurley Fine Art Studio & Gallery; and **Aymie Majerski**, film/video producer and partner Barking Fish Entertainment.

This is for everyone – young and old, men and women, artists and otherwise – "This film is not just about being a woman or a woman artist, but rather how to be a human, how to find your true place in life." ~ Jean M. Murphy, Wellesley Centers for Women. More reviews and quotes at www.whodoesshethinksheis.net.

Featuring free parking and full handicapped access, the Carnegie is at 1068 Scott Blvd., Covington, KY 41011. The social hour in the Gallery begins at 6pm and the film in the Budig Theatre begins at 7pm. Tickets are \$8.00 in advance and \$10.00 at the door. \$8.00 tickets for students and Enjoy The Arts members with valid ID available only at the door. Advance tickets are available on-line via the **CWC** website, by phone and in person at the **Carnegie Arts Center** and at these local outlets: **Sitwell's Coffee House** (Clifton); **Lookout Joe Coffee Roasters** (Mt. Lookout Square); **Shake-It Records** (Northside) and the **Coffee Emporium** (Downtown). General Admission tickets will also be offered at the door, as available.

Details and information (trailer, film details, biographies, ticket outlet maps, etc.) are available at the CWC website: http://www.cincyworldcinema.org and by calling 859.781.8151.

~ Preview screeners are available for credited reviewers; still photos are available for print publications. ~

About Cincinnati World CinemaNow in our eighth year, Cincinnati World Cinema is an all-volunteer organization showcasing outstanding motion pictures not normally shown in Cincinnati, with a focus on high-quality films that explore the human condition and celebrate cultural diversity. International, independent, narrative, short and documentary films are typically followed by discussions with filmmakers or local experts to enhance the educational experience. http://www.CincyWorldCinema.org, 859.781.8151.