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THURSDAY 15

Myths and Shadows: Featuring the latest artworks of artist Juan Carlos Robelo. Monday to Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Art Rouge Gallery, 46 N.W. 36th St., Miami. 305-448-2060. Closes today.

Group Art Show: Featuring 15 national and international artists. 7 to 10 p.m. Pinkghost, 21 W. Las Olas Blvd., Fort Lauderdale. 954-522-2450. Closes today.

Demí Tierra: Prepared by Colombian artist Connie Ramirez. Opening reception, 7 to 10 p.m.; regular hours, 11:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. Free. Mondongo's Restaurant, 3500 N.W. 87th Ave., Doral. 305-479-4651.

JAM at MAM: Happy hour with an artful twist. 5 to 8:30 p.m. MAM members, free; nonmembers, \$10. Miami Art Museum, 101 W. Flagler St., Miami. 305-375-3000.

Space Command: Featuring new video and installation works by Julian Martin, Jeroen Nelemans and more artists. Wednesday to Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Leonard Tachmes Gallery, 3930 N.W. Second Ave., Miami. 305-572-9015. Through Jan. 5.

ESO: New work by Francisco Olazabal. Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Chelsea Galleria, 2441 N.W. Second Ave., Miami. 305-576-2950. Through Nov. 29.

Visions of Big Cypress: Photo exhibit showcasing the natural splendor of the Big Cypress National Reserve. Reception and silent auction, 6 to 9 p.m.; regular hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free. Miami Beach Botanical Garden, 200 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach. 305-673-7256. Through tomorrow.

One Month, One Venue: Casa Décor, a complete collection of innovative and contemporary design. Sunday to Thursday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. \$22.50. Casa Décor '07, 1444 Biscayne Blvd., Miami. 888-882-2349, ext. 88. Through Dec. 16.

All Things Beautiful: Mark T. Smith focuses on contemporary interpretations of the female and male nude forms. Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Free. Steve Martin Gallery, 66 N.E. 40th St., Miami. 305-484-1491. Through Nov. 30.

Miami! Exposed: Exhibition of some of the best local independent artists currently residing in Miami-Dade, Palm Beach, Martin, Monroe and Broward counties. Tuesday to Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Artformz Alternative, 130 N.E. 40th St., Miami. 305-572-0040. Through Jan. 5.

Modern Urban Expressionism: The Art of Marcus Antonius

Jansen: A solo show by the innovator of Modern Urban Expressionism. Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free. Damien B. Contemporary Art Center, 282 N.W. 36th St., Miami. 305-573-4949. Jan. 11.

Small Works from Great Masters: Arman, Robert Indiana, Jeff Koons, Joan Mitchell, Andy Warhol and others. Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Free. Gary Nader, 62 N.E. 27th St., Miami. 305-576-0256. Dec. 6.

FRIDAY 16

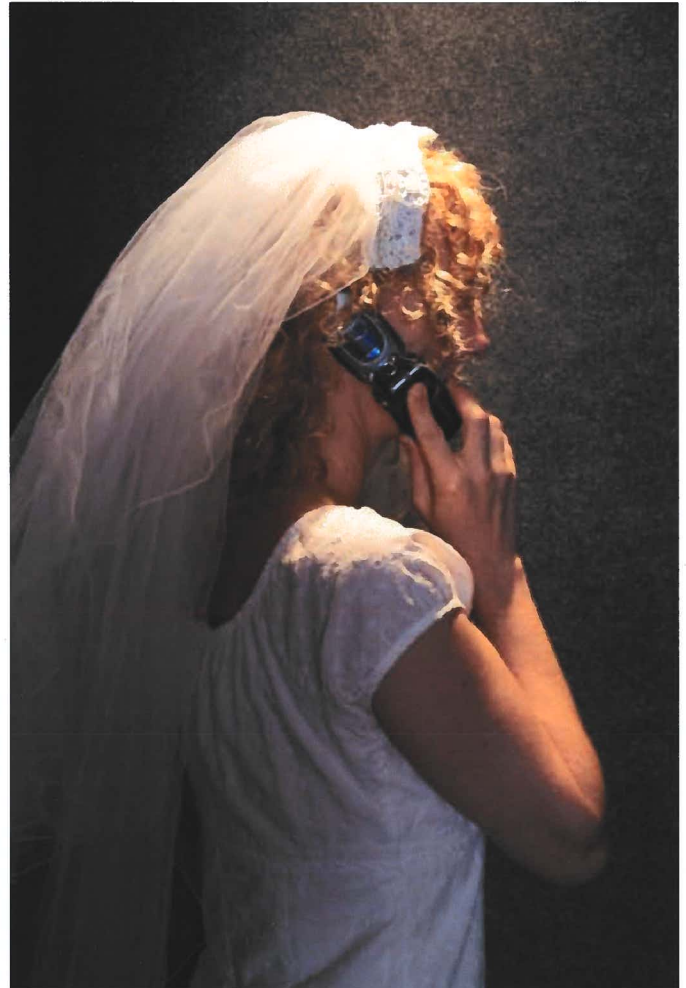
El Retorno de las Nubes: The work of contemporary artist Baruja Salinas. Monday to Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free. Farside Gallery, 1305 S. W. 87th Ave., Miami. 305-264-3120. Closes today.

SATURDAY 17

Artwalk: Stroll through downtown Hollywood's galleries and boutiques. 7 to 10 p.m. Free. Comfort Zone Studio & Spa, 2028 Harrison St., #1, Hollywood. 954-921-3016.

SUNDAY 18

Cut and Cathexis: Two projects incorporating the body and hair of the artist, Andrea Cote. Tuesday to Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Pan American Art Projects, 2450 N.W. Second Ave., Miami. 305-573-2400. Closes today.



For Better... is a romantic comedy for the digital age, playing at the New Theatre on Thursday Nov. 15.