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MONTREAL, 2006 – The 7th edition of the Festival international Montreal en Arts (FIMA) will take place from June 14 to August 5, 2006, in the heart of the gay quarter. This is a unique occasion to discover the more than 150 creative artists gathered from America and Europe, as FIMA spreads its wings for another summer flight.

PROGRAM PRESENTATION

June 14, 2006 from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Ecomusée du fier monde
RSVP at 514-688-1230

FRACTIONS – June 14 to August 5, 2006

In partnership with the Galerie Dentaire, the Ecomusée du Fier Monde, the Galerie Cru, FIMA presents a delightful program entitled FRACTIONS. This artistic event has as its theme, the body. FIMA has invited for the first time the Italian artist **Alessandro Bavari**. His works are shown around the world. Mr. Bavari has a number of awards for his work in digital art as the father of a new generation of artists. This is a must-see at the Galerie Dentaire. From June 14 to July 8, **Svetla Velikova** and **Serge Daigneault** are showing at the Galerie Cru, and until July 9, the Ecomusée du Fier Monde presents MANIFESTA FRACTIONS with **Brigitte Henry**, **Anne-Marie Bélanger**, **Yanick MacDonald** and **Coup d'État**: an agreeable way to discover that Quebecois creativity is in full form.

ART IN THE OPEN AIR- June 29 to July 2, 2006

The space for modern and contemporary art situated in Parc Amherst will hold two expositions. In the first, under the Fractions theme, you will see Montreal artists **Jean-Louis Émond** and **Marie-Andrée Rho** reinvent the human body in sculptures and performances. In the second exposition you will find the winners of the 2005 FIMA awards: **Marie-Danielle Leblanc** (Grand Prix of the Festival), **Daniel Erban** (Prix d'excellence), **Francis Auclair** (Prix du public), along with known artists such as **Ilyas Kirkan** from London and Quebec artists **Chantale Bouchard**, **Pierre Durette** and **Cara Déry**.

More than 150 artists will take over the street: painters, photographers, sculptors, designers, ceramic artists. Among these artists you can count on the presence of the winners of the 2005 FIMA awards: **Marie-Hélène Bellavance** (Discovery prize) and **Amélie Proulx** (Visual arts prize) – stone artists – Arti-Pierre will sculpt the human body using traditional tools. Demonstrations of various artistic techniques will be presented at the Parc de l'Espoir.

OFF FESTIVAL EVENTS – In partnership with FIMA, the popular Cabaret **Le Boudoir** will present its cabaret burlesque at the Théâtre National June 29 and 30. FIMA is also happy to be associated with the Galerie (SAS) in the presentation of works by **Carlito Dalceggio**.

LANCEMENT DE LA PROGRAMMATION

Le 14 juin, de 17h à 21h
Écomusée du fier monde
RSVP au 688-1230

INSIDE EXPOSITIONS - June 14 to August 5. FRACTIONS

Under the artistic direction of Marie Sylvestre

June 14 to August 5 – **ALESSANDRO BAVARI**
Galerie Dentaire, 1239 Amherst St.

June 14 to July 9 - **MANIFESTA FRACTIONS**
Écomusée du Fier Monde, 250 Amherst St.

June 14 to July 8 – **PERSONNAGES**
Galerie Cru, 1709 Amherst St.

OUTSIDE EXPOSITIONS – June 29 to July 2

L'art en plein air – Sainte Catherine Street
Thurs, Fri, Sat. from 11 am to 8 :30 pm
Sunday from 11 am to 7 pm

OFF SIGHT FESTIVAL EVENTS

Carlito Dalceggio – until August 5

Galerie (SAS), 372 Sainte Catherine St.

ONETOP – June 29 to July 2, from 11am to 8:30 pm.

Galerie-boutique, 372 Sainte Catherine St., suite 416

Info@galeriesas.com

LE BOUDOIR – June 29 and 30

Théâtre Le National, 1220 Sainte Catherine St. East

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