

You are invited to join us in
A CELEBRATION OF ART IN PROVENCE
THE NIXON CENTRE • SEPTEMBER 28 & 29, 2026



Painting in the Aix Flower Market
Oil on Canvas – 16"x20"



Eternal Iris
Brass with patina, wood – 33"x8"x8"

Jill Steenhuis

An Atlanta native and Sweet Briar College '80 graduate, Jill Steenhuis has lived and painted in Aix-en-Provence for over 40 years. Her work is held in museum and private collections across the United States. In 2006, she was selected by the Smithsonian Institution as its Cézanne specialist for the artist's centennial and has appeared on Good Morning America.

Sergio Ruffato

Born and raised in Aix-en-Provence, Sergio Ruffato graduated from the Savannah College of Art and Design '12 with a BFA in Sculpture. His metal sculptures have been exhibited at prestigious art fairs in Paris and Lyon, with public installations in Marseille and Huntsville, confirming his path as an art ambassador between France and America.

*Jill & Sergio are honored to be the Featured Artists at the
Huntsville Museum of Art Gala, March 2-6, 2027.*

MEET THE ARTISTS

The Donald W. Nixon Centre for Performing and Visual Arts cordially invites you to an exclusive viewing and sale of original oil paintings, lithographs, jewelry and metal sculptures made in the South of France by mother-son duo Jill Steenhuis & Sergio Ruffato.

THE DONALD W. NIXON CENTRE
1523 LOWER FAYETTEVILLE ROAD
NEWNAN, GEORGIA 30265

PAINTING DEMO

Monday, September 28th

5:00pm – 6:00pm

ART RECEPTION

Tuesday, September 29th

5:00pm – 7:00pm

Kindly reply "Nixon Centre+ Number Attending"
to confirm your attendance (by September 25th)
info@thenixoncentre.net



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