

THURSDAY, APRIL 16<sup>TH</sup>



**MAKER & MUSE**

Women and Early Twentieth Century Art Jewelry

**DRIEHAUS  
MUSEUM**

## Event Details

Date: Thursday, April 16

Time: 5:30 p.m., please be prompt

Location: The Driehaus Museum  
40 E. Erie St.

Cost: \$30

Please join us for a private tour of the  
“Maker & Muse: Women and Early Twentieth Century Art  
Jewelry” exhibition at The Driehaus Museum.

*Maker & Muse: Women and Early Twentieth Century Art Jewelry* features more than two hundred and fifty pieces of jewelry created in the early decades of the twentieth century. During this vibrant period, jewelry makers in the world’s centers of design created audacious new styles in response to the growing industrialization of the world and the changing role of women in society. Their “alternative” designs—boldly artistic, exquisitely detailed, handwrought, and inspired by nature—became known as art jewelry.

Maker & Muse explores five different areas of art jewelry design and fabrication: the Arts and Crafts Movement in Britain, Art Nouveau in France, Jugendstil in Germany and Austria, Louis Comfort Tiffany in New York, and American Arts and Crafts in Chicago.

Work created by both men and women are exhibited together to highlight commonalities while illustrating each maker’s distinctive style. And in regions or movements that saw few women present in the workshop, the female remained unquestionably present in the mind of the designer. Not only did art jewelers intend to highlight the fashionable clothing and natural beauty of a woman during this period, they also often represented her within the work itself.

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