## **EXHIBITS**

## Smithsonian's Portraits of Pittsburgh: Works from the National Portrait Gallery

#### Now through January 3, 2021

Nearly 60 works of art from the Smithsonian's National Portrait Gallery are on exhibit as part of *Smithsonian's Portraits of Pittsburgh: Works from the National Portrait Gallery.* The exhibit features original paintings, sketches, photographs, and prints that showcase more than 100 people who exemplify the innovations, challenges, and motivations that have shaped this region and our nation.

August Wilson, 1992, by Susan Johann, gelatin silver print.

Smithsonian Institution, National Portrait Gallery, acquired through the generosity of Jewell Robinson and Riley Temple; © 1992, Susan Johann.

This portrait was one of 90 that photographer Susan Johann captured during more than 20 years of work documenting legendary American playwrights. Johann later recalled that when she told her subjects to wear whatever they chose to their photo shoot, Wilson arrived in a three-piece suit, conscious of his role as a model for the African American community.



## Fall 2020 — Ongoing Exhibits



Loyalhanna Lovely by Susan Pollins, watercolor on Yupo paper, 2017.

### Master Visual Artists VII: Preserving the Legacy

#### Barensfeld Gallery until March 21, 2021

The seventh such show since the initial MVA exhibit, 70+ and Still Working, premiered in 1991, this legacy exhibit features the work of 11 exceptional regional artists. A video documents and preserves the life stories of each artist, who work in a variety of mediums: painting, drawing, sculpture, ceramics, fiber art, and multimedia.

#### **Artists:**

Rochelle Blumenfeld Joan Iversen Goswell
Robert L. Bowden Dale Huffman
Richard Claraval Kevin O'Toole
Sylvester Damianos Susan E. Laansma Pollins

# Pittsburgh: A Tradition of Innovation

New updates to the medical history section coming on November 1.

#### Visible Storage

A behind-the-scenes look at the museum's collection.

### From Slavery to Freedom

Explore 250 years of African American history in Pennsylvania.

Western Pennsylvania Sports Museum

## Glass: Shattering Notions

Rediscovering Lewis & Clark: A Journey with the Rooney Family

#### Heinz

Experience 150 years of the H.J. Heinz Company

Wrought Metal Treasures from the Blum Collection

## Clash of Empires:

The British, French & Indian War, 1754-1763

#### *Special Collections Gallery*

Treasures that celebrate our ethnicity, industry, innovation, and lifestyle.

Ruth G. Richardson

Patricia Kennedy-Zafred

Mary Weidner

#### Discovery Place

Meadowcroft Rockshelter and Historic Village: September & October Open Saturday & Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

#### **Fort Pitt Museum:**

Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., daily.