

Jade Dellinger guests on WGCU's Gulf Coast Live to discuss impending 'Rauschenberg: China/America Mix' exhibition

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Director of Exhibitions and Collections at the Bob Rauschenberg Gallery at Florida Southwestern State College, Jade Dellinger, was John Davis' guest on Gulf Coast Live today at 1:00 p.m. Davis questioned Dellinger about an exhibition featuring the work of world renowned artist Robert Rauschenberg that is coming to Southwest Florida. Titled "Rauschenberg: China/America Mix," the runs opens on Bob Rauschenberg's birthday on October 22 and runs through December 17.

During the broadcast, Dellinger revealed that the Bob Rauschenberg Gallery at Florida SouthWestern State College had to be reconfigured and rearranged in order to accommodate the work included in the exhibition, which includes Chinese Summerhall, a 100-foot long color photograph that Rauschenberg shot while working in China. Rauschenberg: China/America Mix is the 16th solo show of Rauschenberg's work at the gallery that bears his name, but the show marks the first solo exhibition of the artist's work since his memorial at the gallery in 2008. Pieces selected for the exhibition highlight Rauschenberg's fascination with China and the lasting influence the late artist's work continues to have in inspiring art in China. ■