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**PITTSBURGH PHOTOGRAPHER TO SPEAK AT SAMA-ALTOONA LUNCH PROGRAM**

Altoona – The Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art at Altoona will host a Lunch a l'Art program with photographer Donald M. Robinson on Thursday, May 7. The program, which begins at noon, includes lunch and a presentation by the artist. Cost is \$15 per person or \$14 for SAMA members. Reservations are required by calling (814) 946-4464.

The program coincides with the Museum's current exhibition, *Donald M. Robinson: The World at His Fingertips*. Over the years, SAMA's exhibitions of Robinson photographs have delighted viewers with trips to Africa, Asia, Europe, the Middle East, South America, the Arctic, Antarctica and our own backyard. This exhibition, on view through June 20, features 75 stunning landscape, portrait and wildlife photographs culled from the artist's many travels. Viewers will be captivated by the exotic scenes and locations, as well as Robinson's remarkable talent and keen eye.

Lunch a l'Art programs are offered to encourage a greater understanding of various art forms and movements, as well as foster a deeper appreciation for the exhibitions presented by the Museum.

The Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art at Altoona is located in the Brett Building at 1210 Eleventh Avenue. Hours of operation are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday. The Museum is a handicapped-accessible facility and is open to the public free of charge. Parking is available in the garage across the street or in metered spots in the lot at the rear of the building. For more information, call the Museum or visit [www.sama-art.org](http://www.sama-art.org).