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Hello Everyone!

Joanne Mattera, Conference Director; Laura Tonelli, Dean of Faculty and Academic Affairs for Montserrat College of Art; and I are very excited for the 4th Annual 2010 Encaustic Conference! Just a head's up that registration will begin on January 15, 2010. This year's conference will take place from June 11-13th with post-conference workshops occurring on June 14th, 15th and 16th. Note that this is a calendar change, one week later in the month, from previous conferences. Another notable change is with our improved registration procedure. Registration is still first come, first served, but this year you will be able to sign up for conference events, post conference workshops and housing, all at one time! And if you register before January 31st, not only will you get the best selection, but a special early bird price of \$350!

Please visit the Montserrat College of Art website at: <http://www.montserrat.edu/news/encaustic-conf.php> for more information on this year's registration process. As soon as the holidays are over, we will post this year's events, descriptions and presenter bios on the Conference Blog so that you can begin pondering which events you would like to sign up for. Montserrat College of Art is also pleased to showcase its brand new residence village that will be the site for all on-campus housing. Please keep in mind that housing and many of the popular events and workshops are expected to fill up fast.

Please visit the Montserrat website and Conference Blog between now and January 15th as we will be posting frequent updates. If you have any questions, the best way to reach me is at encaustic@montserrat.edu. I will answer all emails promptly although please note that I only work on Fridays.

Joanne, Laura and I look forward to seeing you in 2010!

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