

Gems in Art

Jewelry | Design | Studio

Celebrate Gems in Art 5th year anniversary in November!

Stop by our store and take a look at the creations by Joshua Avella, whose eye for beauty and detailed craftsmanship allows for the precise execution of unique designs featuring fine gems and precious metals.



Trunk show December 9-10 | 10 am - 6 pm

Featuring exquisite pieces by famous jewelers Galatea and Denny Wong.



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Changing your Approach to Photography

[by Kaylene Fister]

One thing we adults tend to forget is that there is a completely different world below us. For us the change has happened slowly, over the years, and we don't notice how things might look differently from a shorter perspective.



When done right, shooting down on children can produce fun pictures, but for the most part it's better to take photos of them at their level. It gives you the feeling of seeing the world through their eyes, instead of through your own.

The same goes for animals: want to take a photo of Pookie or Fluffy? Get down to their level, instead of taking shots of the top of their heads. Just make sure Pookie doesn't put his wet nose on your camera lens!

Change your approach to the subject—literally. Most flowers are around our feet or knee level. Have you thought about what they might look like side on? Or looking from the ground up?



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This fall, jewelry merges gleaming metal, stones, chains and other dressed up industrial findings with more delicate elements such as colored beads, pearls and botanical elements.

Earrings, necklaces, rings and more, carefully crafted by expert jewelry designers will be showcased during the Gems in Art Trunk Show, featuring exquisite one-of-a-kind pieces by renowned artists Galatea and Wong.

“We are excited to bring the beauty and craftsmanship of two of the world’s most renowned artists to our gallery,” explains Joshua Avella, owner of Gems in Art Jewelry Design Studio. Avella, a jewelry designer himself, came to the United States from his native country of Colombia nearly 30 years ago to become a chef. Instead he followed his passion for jewelry, studied jewelry design at the esteemed Fashion Institute of Technology in New York, and distinguished himself by becoming one of the first jewelers in Georgia to earn the Jewelers of America certification. Avella is one of the few artisan jewelers that can do hand engraving and micropave.

The two collections at the trunk show have been featured world-wide. Galatea pearls come from a process where a South Sea pearl oyster is enucleated with a gemstone bead and then carved to let the gemstone’s color shine through. Denny Wong Designs, fine pieces featuring tropical flowers, whales, dolphins, marine life, Tahitian pearls and other gemstones will also be available at the trunk show.

The show will offer patrons a unique opportunity to learn more about the artists, their collections, and take a closer look at their exquisite jewelry offerings.



Mark your Calendars!

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