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## Events & Programs

### Elliott Society Lecture: "Disaster Response and Recovery of Fine Art Collections"

**March 31, 2010, 5:00-6:30 p.m.**  
**University Athletic Club**  
1360 Melrose Ave., Iowa City

Heather Becker, CEO of The Chicago Conservation Center, will discuss disaster response and recovery for fine art collections, as well as preventative measures to reduce their exposure. The Center has been caring for the UIMA collection for a number of years and was instrumental in helping save the collection from the flood of 2008.

Heather Becker is an artist, author, and entrepreneur. She studied painting and art history on scholarship at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago and the International School of Art in Italy. She has exhibited her figurative oil paintings nationally and in Europe for over two decades. As an extension of her painting career, she went into the field of art preservation. In 1989 she developed a national business plan for The Chicago Conservation Center, Inc. The company has become the largest private art conservation facilities in the country. She is the author of the book *Art for the People* (Chronicle Books, 2004) and has spoken at venues such as The J. Paul Getty Museum, The Art Institute of Chicago, Art Basel Miami, and Risk Insurance Management Society (RIMS).

UIMA donors at the Elliott Society level (\$150 and above) have the opportunity to attend the spring 2010 lecture series, "The Art of Conservation & Preservation." Join us for a brief social at 5:00 p.m. Lectures will begin at 5:30 p.m. Please RSVP to attend these events at (319) 335-3676. For information on becoming a donor, contact the Museum at (319) 353-2847.



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