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Tanya Bonakdar Gallery announces Renee Coppola as Sales Director, Los Angeles
LOS ANGELES, CA.- [Tanya Bonakdar Gallery](#) announced the appointment of Renee Coppola as Sales Director for the Los Angeles gallery. Ms. Coppola is bringing unique institutional experience having previously worked at the gallery's New York space from 2010 to 2015. More recently, she served as Director of Sales for Gemini G.E.L., Los Angeles for the past six years. She also served as Director of the Las Vegas Art Museum, and also Curatorial Assistant at The Broad Art Museum (The Broad Museum). Coppola started her professional career at The Museum of Modern Art, where she received a Bachelor's degree in Art History and Visual Arts and an MBA in Management from Rutgers University. We are delighted to welcome Renee back to the gallery. She will play a vital role in the gallery's Los Angeles operations.

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Rockefeller Center installs Paula Crown's virtual 'message in a bottle' interactive artwork
NEW YORK, NY.- Artist Paula Crown's interactive piece, EMANARE has been installed at Rockefeller Center, encouraging visitors, both in-person and virtually, to send messages of positivity into the world. Inspired by Buddhist prayer wheels, the artwork is activated when visitors send messages to benefit the whole. Emanare, the Latin word for emanate, means to go forth, and to emit. Using the available QR code, participants are prompted to write a message they wish to share. Affirmations including "Take it easy on yourself", "You are magnificent", and "Time to eat right" begin to appear in a digital scroll against a backdrop of colorful artist's skyscape paintings. Eventually these messages layer, conjoin and merge into one another, transforming the building's facade into a vibrant digital canvas.

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Bocelli serenades Venice's Rialto Bridge after restoration

VENICE (AFP).- Venice celebrated the completion of a full restoration of its Rialto Bridge. Tenor Andrea Bocelli singing opera atop the gem of Renaissance art spanning the Grand Canal. The elegant low arch and distinctive arcades, the gleaming white bridge spanning the Grand Canal at its narrowest point is one of Venice's most photographed tourist attractions -- and until the restoration, the only way to cross besides by boat. The 5-million-euro (\$6-million) head-to-toe restoration funded by Diesel founder Renzo Rosso, was completed in 2019 after beginning in 2017. But a planned inauguration ceremony twice had to be delayed because of Covid-19. 'The bridge of Venice,' Luca Zaia, president of the Veneto region of which Venice is the capital, told invited guests.

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Toni Servillo, Italy's everyman, in limelight at Venice

VENICE (AFP).- He's one of Italy's most familiar faces, but even by Toni Servillo's standards, it's a busy week, with no less than three films premiering at the Venice Film Festival. The 60-year-old expressive face has lent itself perfectly to everything from larger-than-life politicians like a mob boss in "Gomorra". He is perhaps best known abroad for his decades-long collaboration with director Paolo Sorrentino, including his starring role in the Oscar-winning "The Great Beauty". Who describes Servillo as an older brother, cast him once again in his latest film, "The Hand of God", which premiered to strong reviews in Venice last week. It sees Servillo take on the role of the father of the autobiographical film set in Naples during the heady years when football legend Diego Maradona deliriously

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