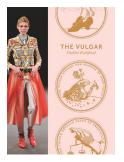




## **FRENCH PHENOMENON**

From decorative pitchers and vases to African masks and textiles, the objects in Henri Matisse's studio provided endless inspiration for the Fauve painter and sculptor. More than 30 of these eclectic treasures. many of which had never been publicly exhibited in the U.S., are on view alongside dozens of the artist's works at the Museum of Fine Arts. 4/9-7/9, 465 HUNTINGTON AVE., BOSTON, 617-267-9300, MFA.ORG.



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sculptures, and drawings in an exhibition at

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Maine-based photographer Tanja Hollander examines the intersection of social media and personal relationships in a new exhibition at MASS MoCA. The show, which includes both photo and video components, features portraits of the shutterbug's Facebook friends. OPENS 2/18, 1040 MASS MOCA WAY, NORTH ADAMS, 413-662-2111, MASSMOCA.ORG.





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