In early November, more than 50 FRAME museum delegates, including FRAME museum Directors, Deputy Directors, Curators, and Educators, gathered in Montreal for FRAME’s 15th Annual Meeting. FRAME thanks Director Nathalie Bondil and her stellar team at the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts (MMFA) for hosting a spectacular Annual Meeting for our delegation. The MMFA helped us produce an eventful and productive meeting, allowing our delegation to tour the museum and discover their fantastic collection. Made possible by the Gould Foundation, the meeting culminated with a formal dinner in the MMFA Glass Court, and a special visit of their featured exhibition Splendore a Venezia, curated by Hilliard Goldfarb.

This meeting was very significant for FRAME as an organization. A very important vote was made that secured the future administration of FRAME in North America. FRAME is pleased to announce that the Virginia Association of Museums was selected to manage the administration of FRAME in North America, assuming the role of administrative manager in January 2014. We would like to thank FRAME’s Board of Trustees, Executive Committee, and member museums for their dedicated role in this process.

FRAME would like to thank Charlotte Eyerman for her leadership in assisting with the transition as Board Secretary. Charlotte’s 3-year tenure as Director of FRAME in North America concluded this fall when she began her new role as Executive Director for the Monterey Museum of Art. She will continue to serve as Board Secretary until January 2014.

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In December, FRAME held its 4th Annual Education Meeting in Marseille, France where 20 FRAME colleagues from France and North America specializing in Education and Public Programs gathered and exchanged their diverse professional experiences with each other. This year, the meeting focused on e-Education, specifically on how to utilize digital programs as an educational tool inside the museum. FRAME was honored to have the participation of the French Ministry of Culture, General Counsel of the United States in Marseille, Diane Kelly, and Deputy Mayor of Culture in Marseille, Daniel Hermann.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS & A HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM FRAME!

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