



***We are pleased to include in this year's show an
exclusive exhibit by the
Philadelphia Society of Botanical Illustrators
(PSBI).***

PSBI an educational and philanthropic organization the purpose of which is to educate its members and others about the history of Botanical Illustration; to celebrate the artistic development of members; to provide an opportunity to exhibit and to bring botanical illustration to the attention of varied audiences.

PSBI has approximately 80 members from the greater Philadelphia area and welcomes artists of all skill levels and experience. Meetings, workshops and exhibits are held several times each year. The group's focus is to depict plants in a highly detailed, botanically accurate and artistically excellent manner. Botanical illustrators work in several different media including, but not limited to watercolor, ink, graphite, colored pencil, tempera, and oils.

This exhibit will test the skill and patience of the artists as they endeavor to illustrate the world's most complex plant family ... *Orchidaceae*. To learn more about this very special group visit: www.psbi-art.org