

## ART

# Contemporary wood jewelry exhibit opens Sunday at RAM

**RACINE** — “Out on a Limb: Contemporary Wood Jewelry” will open Sunday, Feb. 26, at the Racine Art Museum, 441 Main St. The exhibit continues through June 17.

The exhibit features the work of emerging and established artists that use wood as the primary medium for jewelry and adornment. Long utilized in objects of wear, wood immediately connects the body to the natural landscape while simultaneously offering compelling color, pattern and texture or a pliable surface to manipulate. Those whose works are featured in this exhibition are drawn to the material for both conceptual and



**“Flameflower”**  
by Bruce Metcalf

aesthetic reasons. Whether carving, painting, appropriating, or otherwise manipulating, they stretch the boundaries of how we understand a familiar material.

Artists include Michael Dale Bernard, Liv Blavarp, Christine Brandt, Gillion Carrara, Sharon Church, Daniel DiCaprio, Julia Harrison, Sukyo Jang, Bruce Metcalf, Edgar Mosa, Tina Rath, Gustav Reyes, Julia Turner, Flora Vagi and Julia Walter.

The Racine Art Museum is open from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for youth ages 12-18, full-time students and seniors 63 and older.