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The Preservation Society  
of Newport County

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## **Artists Come “Full Circle” from 1974 to Today**

NEWPORT, R.I. – The Preservation Society of Newport County will host a panel discussion on the enduring legacy of minimalism and monumental sculpture from 1974 to the present on Friday, March 6, at 6 p.m. at Rosecliff.

“An Inside Look at the ‘Full Circle’ Exhibition,” inspired by the exhibition currently in the Rosecliff galleries, offers an insider’s perspective on the pioneering vision of “Monumenta,” the 1974 outdoor exhibition of modern sculpture by renowned artists, and its influence on contemporary art.

The panel features original “Monumenta” artist Richard Fleischner, artist Uri Aran and Dr. Catherine Moran, Manager of Academic Partnerships and Research Fellows Program for the Preservation Society, with the conversation moderated by Natalie Bell, Chief Curator at the MIT List Visual Arts Center. A reception will follow the lecture, and the exhibition galleries will be open.

Rosecliff is located at 548 Bellevue Ave.

Tickets are available at [www.NewportMansions.org/events](http://www.NewportMansions.org/events).

*The Preservation Society of Newport County, Rhode Island, is a nonprofit organization accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. It is dedicated to preserving and interpreting the area's historic architecture, landscapes, decorative arts and social history. Its 11 historic properties – seven of them National Historic Landmarks – span more than 250 years of American architectural and social development.*

*For more information, please visit [www.NewportMansions.org](http://www.NewportMansions.org).*

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**CAPTION for artwork image:** Richard Fleischner, "Sod Maze: View with Mound Elevation."  
Cyanotype print. Courtesy of the artist.

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