



# Ethnic Arts Council

**Special Program: May 3, 2026 • 2 - 4 pm *chez* Grinnell-Lee  
510 E. Rustic Rd., Santa Monica, CA 90402**

**Meet Jean-Baptiste Forget & Dr. Olivier Bobin from CIRAM**

We are very privileged to host CIRAM's chief US representative, **Jean-Baptiste Forget and Dr. Olivier Bobin**, the co-founder and its **CTO** for an afternoon of show/ tell/ ask about the testing and dating of bronze, gold, stone, textile, wood, glass, and/or manuscript using the latest scientific analysis. You have been invited because you are a serious collector, a museum professional, an art dealer, an art critic, or a gallery owner etc. We expect a robust discussion about the virtues and limits of this technology with your art, archaeological findings, singular items and/or collection.

CIRAM has offered the attendees of this unique meeting a discount ranging from 20 - 33% for testing your object(s) depending on which technique is used for the lab analysis in New York. Be sure to rummage through your artifacts that you may still have lingering questions regarding their actual age and authenticity.

**Refreshments** will accompany the presentation along with Whiskers and Yumi, two very interested inhabitants who provide security for our collection!

**Please RSVP [HERE](#) by Noon, May 1.**