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NYC-BASED VISUAL ARTIST MARYA TRIANDAFELLOS, COMMISSIONED 80' MURAL FOR THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY OFFICIALLY LAUNCHES

NEW YORK, NY - The world class Gilder Center, a new facility of the American Museum of Natural History, officially opens today. The Vivarium, which is a butterfly "zoo," features an 80' mural by local artist, Marya Triandafellos. The exhibition will be permanent and is opening during museum open hours, located at 200 Central Park West, New York, NY.

Triandafellos is a visual artist exploring color, abstraction, and art's power to connect us all. Triandafellos created the work by merging photos of rainforests and digitally rendering new foliage. Working closely with the museum, and the architecture firm building the facility, she created the files used for the final output. The mural wraps around the exhibition nearly 360° and provides a realistic sense of depth for the live plants.

For additional views of the installation, please contact the artist.