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# Arts Briefs: Walker Art Center unveils Pacita Abad exhibit

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The first retrospective of Pacita Abad's works is set to open at Walker Art Center in April 2023, showcasing rarely-seen pieces from the artist's 32-year career. ▲ Courtesy of Walker Art Center

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The Walker Art Center [opens an exhibition Saturday](#) that features the work of a noted Filipina artist.

Pacita Abad's career spans 32 years. Having come to the U.S. in the 1970s to escape political persecution in the Philippines, Abad was known for her trapunto, a style of quilted painting.

Abad died in 2004.

The Walker's retrospective includes many works on display in the United States for the first time, according to the Minneapolis museum. The exhibition runs until Sept. 3.