



**Joint Meeting**  
**Guild of Natural Science Illustrators – New England Chapter**  
**and**  
**New England Society of Botanical Artists**  
(a chapter of American Society of Botanical Art)

*Please join us*

**Date:** Saturday, February 4, 2017  
**Time:** 10:30 am – 12:30 pm  
**Location:** Massachusetts Audubon Society Museum of American Bird Art  
(MABA), 963 Washington Street, Canton, MA (across the street  
from Canton High School)

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***Caveat:** I MUST have a head count by Wed. January 25 of attendees who 1) are eating lunch and/or 2) would like table space for your own display. Space is limited for the portfolio display. I cannot guarantee all requests can be accommodated, but we will try. NESBA will provide lite lunch at 12:30 pm. Confirmed attendees will be notified by e-mail if weather cancels.*

MABA gallery exhibit will be open for viewing at 1:00 pm. Exhibit of work by *James Coe* will be  
*in the gallery*

This program, including lite lunch and gallery viewing, is free to all attendees.

***Dear GNSI-NE and NESBA:***

I extend this invitation to you to join members of the Guild of Natural Science Illustrators – NE (GNSI-NE) and members of the New England Society of Botanical Art (NESBA) on Saturday, Feb. 4, 2017. This informal gathering is an opportunity to view portfolios by artists from GNSI-NE and NESBA and to talk to each artist about their work.

In addition to the portfolio sharing, we plan to have several artists make short presentations about projects they have worked on. Let me know by Jan. 25, 2017.

Jan. 13, 2017 by JP