

Coblentz
Patch Duffy
& Bass
Women in
Conversation



Women in the Arts

Event Details

Coblentz Patch Duffy & Bass
The Ferry Building
San Francisco
October 17, 2012
Wednesday, 5:30pm–7:30pm

Reservations

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RSVP by September 24

Coblentz Patch Duffy & Bass invites you to join us at our fourth annual Women in Conversation event, as Brenda Way reflects on her 40 years since founding the West Coast's premier contemporary dance company.

"When I was studying ballet with Balanchine as a teenager, the image of beauty was delicate and lovely and fragile. You were expected to be strong but not look strong. As I grew older, I saw women who were powerful and diverse. In my own life, I remember carrying two children and two bags of groceries up five flights of stairs and thinking, 'Don't tell me women are fragile.'"



Brenda Way
Founder and Artistic
Director of the ODC

Creator of ODC Arts Campus

Choreographed over 80 pieces

Recipient of the prestigious John Simon Guggenheim Fellowship

First choreographer to be a Resident of the Arts at the American Academy in Rome

Widely published with numerous awards and 35 years of support from the National Endowment for the Arts

**Women in
Conversation Series**

The women lawyers of Coblentz Patch Duffy & Bass created an event to bring together talented, inspiring and influential women leaders in business, the arts, sports and the community. Women in Conversation was designed to share the stories of celebrated women and enjoy an evening with our clients, colleagues and friends.

2009 Patricia Clarkson in conversation with Tay Via

2010 Elinor "Nell" Newman in conversation with Karen Frank

2011 Jessica Mendoza in conversation with Sara Finigan;
Remarks from Elizabeth Murphy and Hannah Gordon

2012 Brenda Way in conversation with Pamela Duffy