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More than 16,000 pieces will be featured during **Artropolis**, which kicks off today and runs through Monday at the Merchandise Mart in Chicago. The artwork from five fairs will represent thousands of artists from every corner of the globe, and all will be under one roof. Billed as the largest art fair produced in the Windy City, the event features several elements that are open to the public. There will be a 30-plus sculpture exhibition on the first floor and around the perimeter of the building, and more than 80 area cultural institutions will be participating with back-of-the-house tours, special openings and discounted admission. Call (800) 677-6278 or visit www.artropolischicago.com.