Portuguese Tiles: A Cenographic Display (From XVIth to the XXth Century)

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Tea will be served at 4:45 pm

Among the diverse concerns of Sasha Lima, a lively and scholarly interest in the Fine and Decorative Arts is to be highlighted. During the years 1989 -1990 she worked closely with Professor Pratabaditya Pal, Director L.A. County Museum of Art, to identify the provenance of a group of Indian miniatures in the collection of the Getty Museum.

Yet another slant of her unusual interest is realizing that heritage tiles are innumerable in Portugal and thefts cannot at all times be traced. To help INTERPOL control such illicit traffic she has, in more recent times, taken a keen interest in photographing unpublished tiles for inclusion in their registers so that more precise information is made available for tracing such illegal acquisitions.

