



2018

ILLUMINATE

GALA

AUDAIN ART MUSEUM

BETTER TO
ILLUMINATE
THAN MERELY
TO SHINE

— THOMAS AQUINAS

Art illuminates and inspires with its visceral language that transcends time, place and difference. To be a patron of the arts is to share in this profound experience.

Welcome to the Audain Art Museum
2018 ILLUMINATE Gala. We hope you
have a wonderful time.





The Audain Art Museum was established for the purpose of bringing the art of British Columbia from early times to the present day to the attention of the public from our province and beyond. Visitors are exposed to a collection of art that surprises and enthralls including historical First Nations art, the largest permanent display of works by Emily Carr and the art of our contemporary masters. Plus, visiting special exhibitions feature art from Canada and around the world.

AUDAIN ART MUSEUM



ART IS NOT WHAT
YOU SEE,
BUT WHAT YOU MAKE
OTHERS
SEE

— EDGAR DEGAS

ENTERTAINMENT

6 – 7pm Reception — Lobby, The Westin Resort & Spa, Whistler

- Silent auction viewing and bidding
- The Collective You photography
- Sparkling wine, cocktails and canapés

7 – 10pm Dinner — Emerald Ballroom

- Arts Umbrella dance performance
- Gloria Macarenko and Fred Lee, Masters of Ceremonies
- First Nations blessing
- Jim Moodie, Chair, Board of Trustees, Audain Art Museum
- MaxMara fashion show
- Michael Audain OC OBC, Founder, Audain Art Museum
- Live auction

10pm – LATE Signature Scotch & Chocolate Bar — Lobby

- Willa, musical performance



MAX MARA

Max Mara Spring-Summer 2018 is a precisely calibrated wardrobe for the hedonistic citizens of this modern terrain. There's lean tailoring in stone, black and white – sometimes executed in organza to reveal the inner workings in layers of transparency – as sharp as the midsummer play of sun and shadow on urban architecture. To complement the subdued elegance of those exclusive pit stops, a sand-on-sand heritage logo motif, dating from the company's early days, woven into a trench or printed onto a leather jacket. To echo the colours of those up-to-the-minute parterres, this season's must-have mauves and a streetsmart take on florals; delicately painted sprays, as fresh as the evening dew.



THE COLLECTIVE YOU

Founded in 2009, The Collective You is one of Vancouver's leading photography, event and lifestyle companies. Their services are sought after internationally and over the past few years the team has been invited to London, Paris, Istanbul, Marrakesh, Los Angeles and New York to capture special moments of some of the most influential people in the world at weddings, private events and fashion shows. Tonight they bring you the timeless luxury of black and white portraiture.

ARTS UMBRELLA

The Arts Umbrella Dance program is a vanguard of developing relevant and wide-reaching dance arts and education. Their holistic and integrative approach is unique, nurturing young dancers to achieve their full potential. The Arts Umbrella Dance team joins us for the evening with an array of captivating dance performances.



WILLA

A born and raised Whistlerite, we welcome home Willa for an acoustic performance during our Signature Chocolate and Scotch portion of the evening. Known to her Whistler friends and family as Ali Milner, she started releasing dark pop music under her middle name, Willa, in 2016. Since her first release, she's accumulated more than 6 million streams on Spotify alone and had her songs featured in films, TV and ads nationally and internationally. With a new release launching in the next few weeks, there's much more to come from Willa.

Photo: Patrick Leung





NOURISH BODY, MIND & SOUL

PASSED CANAPÉS

Baby Beet Salad

Goat Cheese, Cone

Albacore Tuna Tatake

Pickled Daikon

Scallop Lollipop

Schinkenspeck

Chorizo Tater Tot

Blue Cheese Aioli

AMUSE BOUCHE

Smoked Duck Prosciutto & Poached Pear

Winter Greens, Candied Walnuts, Pear Vinaigrette

STARTER

Sunchoke Velouté

Morel Mushrooms, Truffles

MAIN

Braised Beef Cheek & Roast Sablefish

Gruyère & Potato Pavé, Citrus Beurre Blanc, Red Wine Demi Glace

DESSERT

Vanilla & Gold Strike Honey Panna Cotta

Fresh Berries

Salted Caramel Chocolate Bar

Whipped Cream, Berries

WINE

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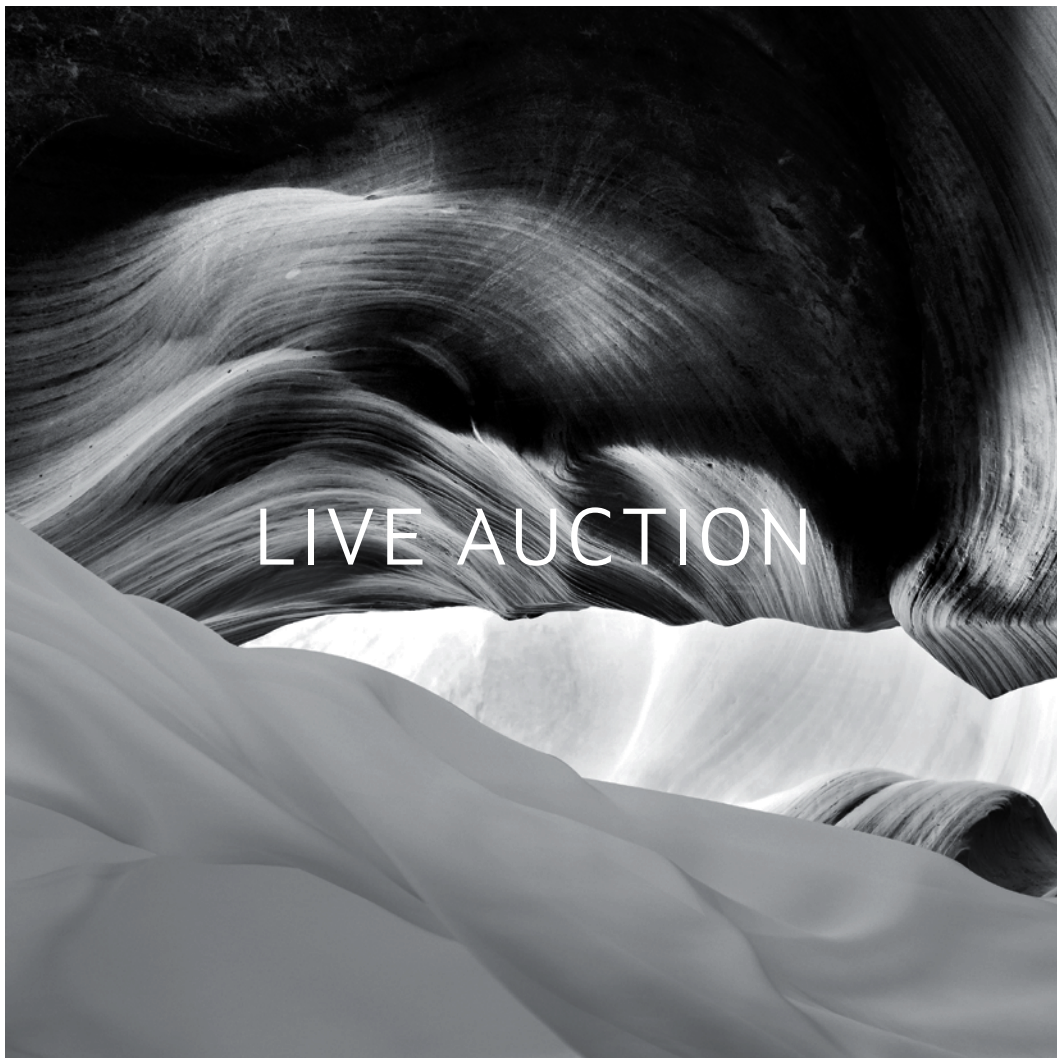
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EDWARD BURTYNSKY

Acclaimed Canadian photographer Edward Burtynsky's stunning photographic depictions of global industrial landscapes are a reflection of our times, and show the complex effects that global manufacturing and the demands of first-world consumers have on the planet. The images are at once profoundly beautiful and deeply troubling. Burtynsky is widely exhibited and his artwork is held in trust for the public at over 60 museums worldwide in addition to numerous private collections. Edward Burtynsky has been awarded the title of Officer of the Order of Canada.

Dryland Farming #2 - Monegros County Aregos Spain,
2010c print, edition 6/15, 30" x 40"

Value \$8,500
Donated by the artist
Lot #001



SHAWN HUNT

Shawn Hunt is a Heiltsuk artist currently based in BC. His work takes on a complexity of influence from both his training in traditional design, wood and jewellery carving and his engagement with contemporary questions of subversion, preconception and fluid meanings. Hunt began carving in 1994 and has a diploma in Studio Art from Capilano University as well as a Bachelor of Fine Arts from the University of British Columbia. In 2011 he was awarded the BC Creative Achievement Award for First Nations Art. This painting was a focal piece in Shawn Hunt's exhibition *Line as Language* at the Burrard Arts Foundation in 2015.

Ancestors/Sky People, 2015

Acrylic on canvas 67" x 48"

Value \$16,000

Donated by the artist

Courtesy of Macaulay & Co. Fine Art

Lot #002



KIM DORLAND

Kim Dorland's work pushes the boundaries of pictorial representation through an exploration of memory, material, nostalgia, identity and place. Dorland is heavily inspired by the Canadian landscape and possesses an affinity for the tradition of Canadian landscape painting and portraiture; his loose yet identifiable scenes are interjected with areas of heavy abstract impasto, adding to the raw, fleeting quality of his canvases. An MFA graduate of York University, Dorland has had numerous exhibitions across Canada. He has shown internationally in Milan, New York, Chicago and Los Angeles. His paintings are in several public collections as well as numerous private collections.

Untitled, 2018

Oil on canvas 40" x 30"

Value \$13,000

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CHRISTOS DIKEAKOS

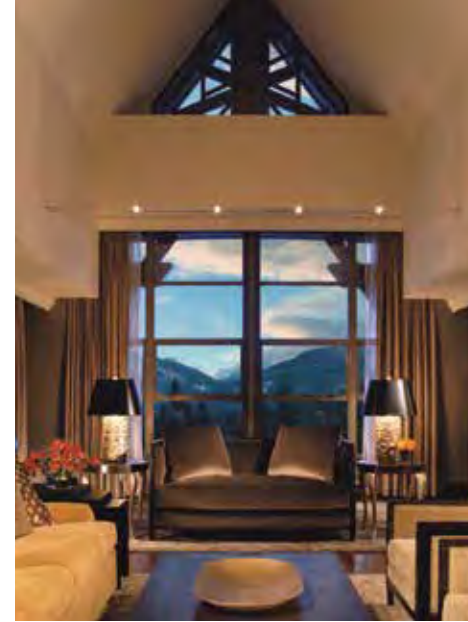
Since the late 60s to the mid 70s, Christos Dikeakos' photographic practice has played an important role in the development of conceptual photography in Vancouver. His 80s and 90s photographic projects *Sites and Place Names* works, of Vancouver, Saskatoon, Athens and Berlin engage in the memories, histories and urban typologies within contemporary urban habitations. More recently Dikeakos has produced

a traveling exhibition for the McMaster Museum of Art, which combines drawing, collage, sculpture and photography unpacking a 40-year work and thoughts on French-American artist Marcel Duchamp. His most recent exhibition *Nature Morte*, is an in depth photographic representation of the Apple Orchards of the southern Okanagan region of BC.

Firewood, Alert Bay, 2010

Inkjet photographic print, edition 1/7, 24 ¾" x 30"

Value \$3,750
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ULTIMATE WHISTLER ESCAPE

A three night getaway package at the luxurious Residences at the Four Seasons with daily breakfast and a dinner for eight at SIDECUT Modern Steak + Bar. You and your guests will enjoy three nights mountainside at The Residences at Four Seasons Resort, Whistler. Inviting fireplaces and gorgeous gourmet kitchens are favourite hangouts to connect and get cozy while enjoying stunning views of the forest, valley or mountains. Access to mountain air and breathtaking backdrops is as easy as opening the curtains and kicking back on the private furnished terraces.

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Lot #005



ROSS PENHALL

Ross Penhall credits the work of artists A.J. Casson and the Group of Seven, Edward Hopper, Grant Wood and Wayne Thiebaud for inspiring his quest to explore the architectural space and light of the landscape. Additionally, the rhythmic shapes and colours in the work of Georgia O'Keeffe have also been a strong influence. Nevertheless, the greatest influence on Ross's life and art has been living in the high-contrast hillsides of Vancouver's North Shore. Ross is a disciplined and prolific artist who has exhibited annually since 1995. His work can be found in numerous private, corporate and public collections in the United States and in Canada.

Caron and Mr. Moe's Walk, 2005

Oil on canvas, 30" x 60"

Value \$26,500

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& Yoshiko Karasawa

Lot #006



GORDON SMITH

Gordon Smith is a key figure in contemporary Canadian art. Since the 1950s, he has worked continuously to expand the dialogue between abstraction and representation. Gordon Smith immigrated to Canada in 1933 where he attended the Winnipeg School of Art. Upon his return from fighting in WWII, he settled with his wife Marion in Vancouver, and graduated from the Vancouver School of Art. Smith was named a member of the Order of Canada and the Order of British Columbia; in 2007, he won the Audain Prize; and in 2009, he received a Governor General's Award in Visual and Media Arts. Gordon Smith's work is included in numerous public collections, including the National Gallery of Canada (Ottawa), Art Gallery of Ontario (Toronto), Museum of Modern Art (New York), Victoria and Albert Museum (London), the Vancouver Art Gallery (Vancouver) and the Audain Art Museum (Whistler).

Untitled, 2010

Acrylic on canvas, 61 ¼" x 41 ¼"

Value \$47,500

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Lot #007



ONE OCEAN EXPEDITIONS

Sailing in comfort aboard the well-appointed RCGS Resolute, this 10-night itinerary will take intrepid travelers to some of the most remote regions of Canada. Guests will have the once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to travel to the 'Capital of Inuit Art' – Cape Dorset – alongside curators from the McMichael Canadian Art Collection. Beyond Cape Dorset, experience the incredible ecosystem and wildlife of Coral Harbour and Monumental Island alongside expert naturalists, glaciologists and ornithologists. This opportunity to explore the wonders of Canada's Arctic includes all meals and accommodation for two on board in a Twin Private cabin, all zodiac excursions, ship transfers, and foul weather gear.

South Baffin Explorer:
Art, Culture and Wildlife
July 29 to August 8, 2019

Value \$30,000
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Lot #008



DORIA MOODIE

Doria Moodie has a special affinity for the bears of our province: black bears, grizzlies and spirit bears. In the last three years, she and her husband Jim have visited many areas of BC to observe and photograph bears, and they are strong advocates for them. She is the official artist for the Grizzly Bear Foundation and this summer, as artist in residence on two One Ocean Expeditions to the Arctic, she will get to know polar bears as well. Doria greatly appreciates the support of Mountain Galleries in Whistler, Banff and Jasper.

This work comes from the collection of Mountain Galleries at the Fairmont, supporting Canadian artists for 25 years.

Respect, 2018
Acrylic on canvas, 48" x 48"

Value \$6,580
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AUDAIN ART MUSEUM

THE LAZY GOURMET Cocktail Party For 20

The Lazy Gourmet will treat you and your guests to a fabulous evening of mouth-watering cocktails and hors d'oeuvres. Enjoy after-hours access to the architecturally-stunning Audain Art Museum or curate your own experience at a location of your choosing. You will work with a dedicated event planner to create your perfect event, be it celebrating a special occasion or a casual evening with friends. From the staff, to chefs and flowers, everything will be taken care of. The Lazy Gourmet is an award-winning catering company in Vancouver, offering the best in West Coast cuisine. Your guests will be transported to and from the venue by VIP Limo Service. Package includes a 10 hour on-call transfer with the 22 person PAX Executive bus.

Value \$11,000
 Donated by The Lazy Gourmet,
 VIP Whistler Limo Service and
 the Audain Art Museum
 Lot #011



CHÂTEAU DU LAC Summer Dinner

Indulge in a fabulous Summer Dinner at Château du Lac in Whistler. This splendid home is the ideal venue for summer entertaining with its great hall and cantilevered deck overlooking breathtaking Nita Lake. The incomparable Bearfoot Bistro and award-winning Executive Chef Melissa Craig will prepare an extraordinary six-course dinner including a special re-creation of the exact dish paired with the same wine that earned her the Gold Medal Plates award at the Canadian Culinary Championships a decade ago. Lindsay and Keith Lambert will be hosting the event with wines selected from their personal cellar paired with this outstanding meal.

Exquisite Summer Dinner at Château du Lac, Whistler, July 14, 2018

Value *Priceless* | Bid starts \$600 per seat
Donated by Keith and Lindsay Lambert
and Bearfoot Bistro
Lot #012



Lindsay and Keith Lambert will be hosting the event with wines selected from their personal cellar paired with this outstanding meal, including:

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