# The Apollo Circle

# 2018 Fall/Winter Calendar of Events

## **Apollo Circle Exclusives**

Open to all Apollo Circle Members. RSVP to Apollo.Circle@metmuseum.org.

# Conservation Overview with Michael Gallagher

Wednesday, September 26, 6:30–8:30 pm Kick off the fall season with a fascinating overview of activities in the Museum's Paintings Conservation department with its chair, Michael Gallagher.

# Private Performance and Talk: Battle! Hip Hop in Armor

Tuesday, October 16, 6:30–8:30 pm Met Live Arts and Pierre Terjanian, Curator for Arms and Armor, invite Apollo Circle to a special collaboration with the b-boys and freestyle dancers of It's Showtime NYC to learn what it's like to make moves in chainmail and gauntlets.

#### Workshop: Prints and Printmaking

Thursday, November 29, 6:30–8:30 pm Celebrate! Get hands-on and creative with museum educators Barbara Woods and Ines Powell in a tour and printmaking workshop inspired by the holiday season. Space is limited.

## Venice to Amsterdam: A Curatorial Tour

Tuesday, December 18, 6:30–8:30 pm Explore two unique exhibitions *Celebrating Tintoretto: Portrait Paintings and Studio Drawings* with Andrea Bayer, Deputy Director for Collections and Administration and Jayne Wrightsman Curator, Department of European Paintings, and Alison Nogueira, Associate Curator, Lehman Collection, as well as *In Praise of Painting: Dutch*  Masterworks with Adam Eaker, Assistant Curator, European Paintings.

#### **Tours at The Met Breuer**

January (*Date to come*), 6:30–8:30 pm Explore the Breuer and enjoy exclusive talks.

#### **Evening with the Director**

February (*Date to come*), 6:30–8:30pm Hear from the Museum's new director, Max Hollein, and ask about his vision for the future of the Met.

## 2018 Apollo Circle Benefit: The Body Transformed

Thursday, November 8, 9pm–Midnight Tickets: \$275 each for Apollo Circle Members. Ticket packages also available. Inspired by *Jewelry: The Body Transformed*, you are invited to adorn yourself and embody the celebration at the Apollo Circle's annual black-tie fundraiser. Enjoy DJ sets, special performances, cocktails, savory treats, and more. Invitation to come.

# **Apollo Circle Patron Exclusives**

# Private Collection Visit with Marc and Livia Straus

Tuesday, October 30, 6:30–8:00 pm You are invited to the home of Marc and Livia Straus to explore their renowned collection of contemporary art and learn about their journey as collectors. Invitation to follow.

#### Patron Lecture Series

Open to Apollo Circle Patrons and Met Patrons. RSVP required at MembershipPrograms@metmuseum.org.

# Recent Acquisitions in Asian Art: Famous Women by Cao Zhenxiu and Gai Qi

Friday, October 26, 6:00–8:00 pm Lecture with Joseph Scheier-Dolberg, Oscar Tang and Agnes Hsu-Tang Associate Curator of Chinese Paintings, Asian Art.

# Art of Native America: The Charles and Valerie Diker Collection and Picturing Indigenous America at The Met

Friday, November 16, 6:00–8:00 pm Lecture with Sylvia Yount, Lawrence A. Fleischman Curator in Charge, the American Wing, and Shannon Vittoria, Research Associate

#### Delacroix

Friday, December 14, 6:00–8:00 pm Lecture with Asher Miller, Associate Curator, European Paintings

## **Patron Evening Receptions**

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#### Delacroix

Thursday, September 13, 6:00–8:00 pm With Preview Day viewings during Museum hours: September 13–16

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#### Jewelry: The Body Transformed

Monday, November 19, 6:00–8:00 pm With Preview Day viewings during Museum hours: November 6–11

#### **Epic Abstraction: Pollock to Herrera**

Thursday, December 20, 6:00–8:00 pm With Preview Day viewings during Museum hours: December 11–16

#### **Celebrations**

#### **Met After Hours**

Tuesday, October 23, 6:00–9:00 pm Afterhours access to The Met collection. Free. Open to Evening Access Members and Patrons Invitation to follow. Space is limited.

## **Private Shopping Event**

Friday, November 2, 6:00–8:00 pm Members are invited to kick off a week of Double Discount Days with drinks and treats. Enjoy 20% off in The Met Store and online Nov. 2–11.

# Holiday Party for Members and Patrons

Wednesday, December 12, 6:30–9:00 pm Enjoy the holidays with cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, music by DJ Mode, and access to special exhibitions *Delacroix* and *Jewelry: The Body Transformed*. This event is open to all Members and Patrons. Tickets are \$250; after December 3, tickets are \$275. Available online at metmuseum.org/holidayparty

## **Annual Acquisitions Fund Dinner**

Thursday, December 13, 6:30–10:30 pm Celebrate The Met collection and take an insider's look at the acquisition process. Black tie. Special ticket and table prices available for Members of The Apollo Circle. Invitation to follow.

For more information about these exhibitions, including sponsorship credits, visit metmuseum.org.