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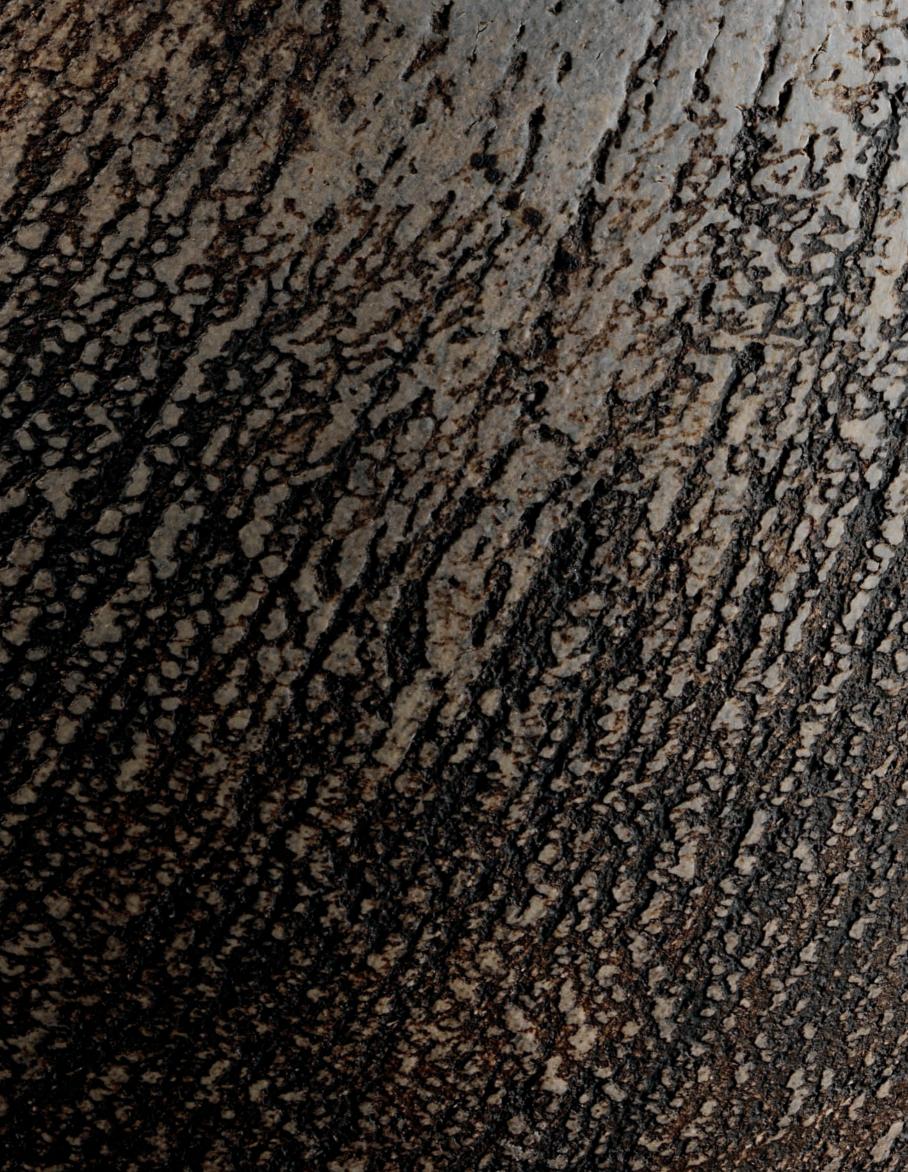
## THE BETTY LEE AND AARON STERN COLLECTION NEW YORK 17 DECEMBER 2013

"My idea of success is getting it to look right".



"My concern is with extracting essence rather than with experiment and exploration."

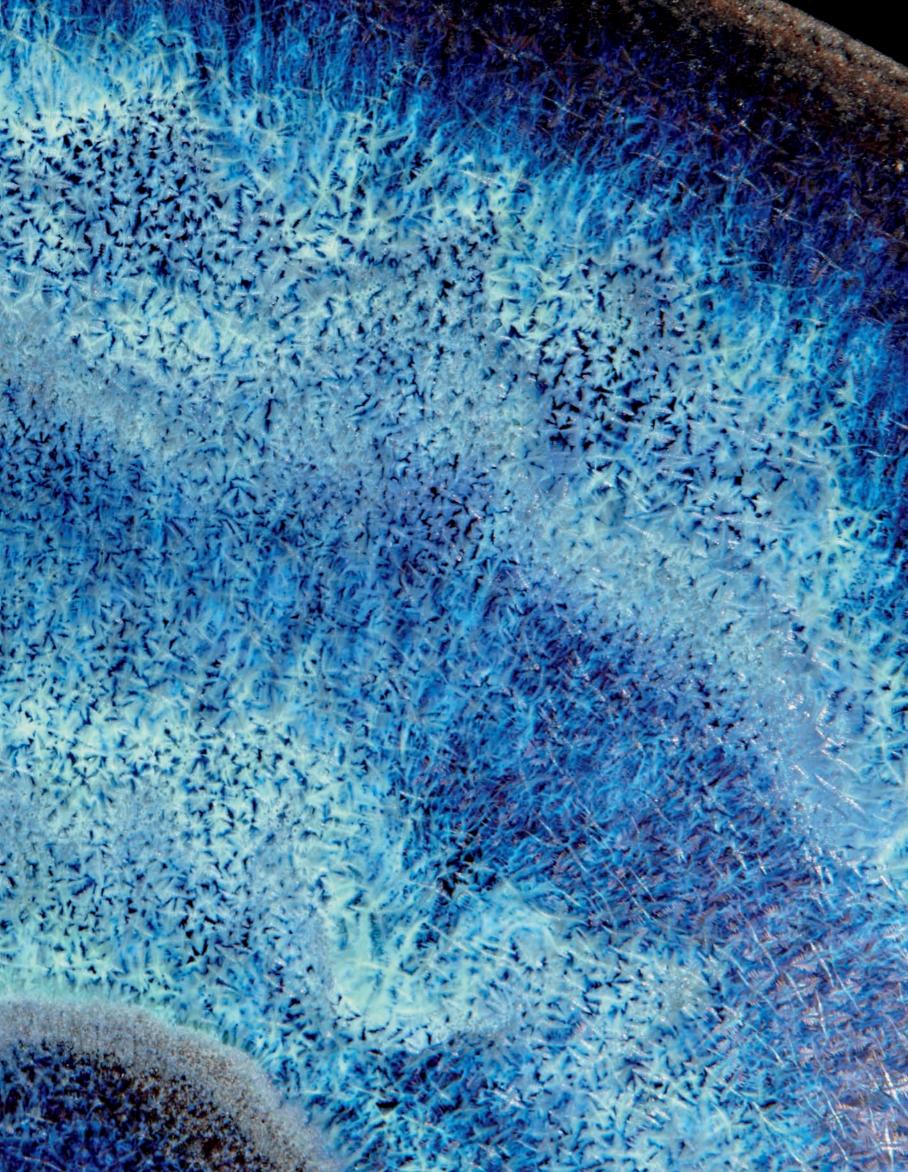
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"To make pottery is an adventure to me, every new work is a new beginning." []]]



"The word 'clay' intrigued me. The German word for it is 'Ton,' the same word as a tone in music."





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Front cover Ken Price, "Unit 6" from "Happy's Curios," 1972-1978, lot 60 (detail)
Back cover Lucie Rie, Three vases, circa 1972-1980, lots 3-5 (detail)
Opposite Hans Coper, Small "Spade" form, circa 1972, lot 6 (detail)



## THE BETTY LEE AND AARON STERN COLLECTION

Phillips is honored to present the collection of Betty Lee and Aaron Stern, passionate collectors who, across forty years of careful acquisition, have compiled a diverse group of international ceramic art and design from the 20th and 21st centuries. The following six artists—Ken Price, Lucie Rie, Hans Coper, the Natzlers, and André Dubreuil—represent the core of the selection presented here.

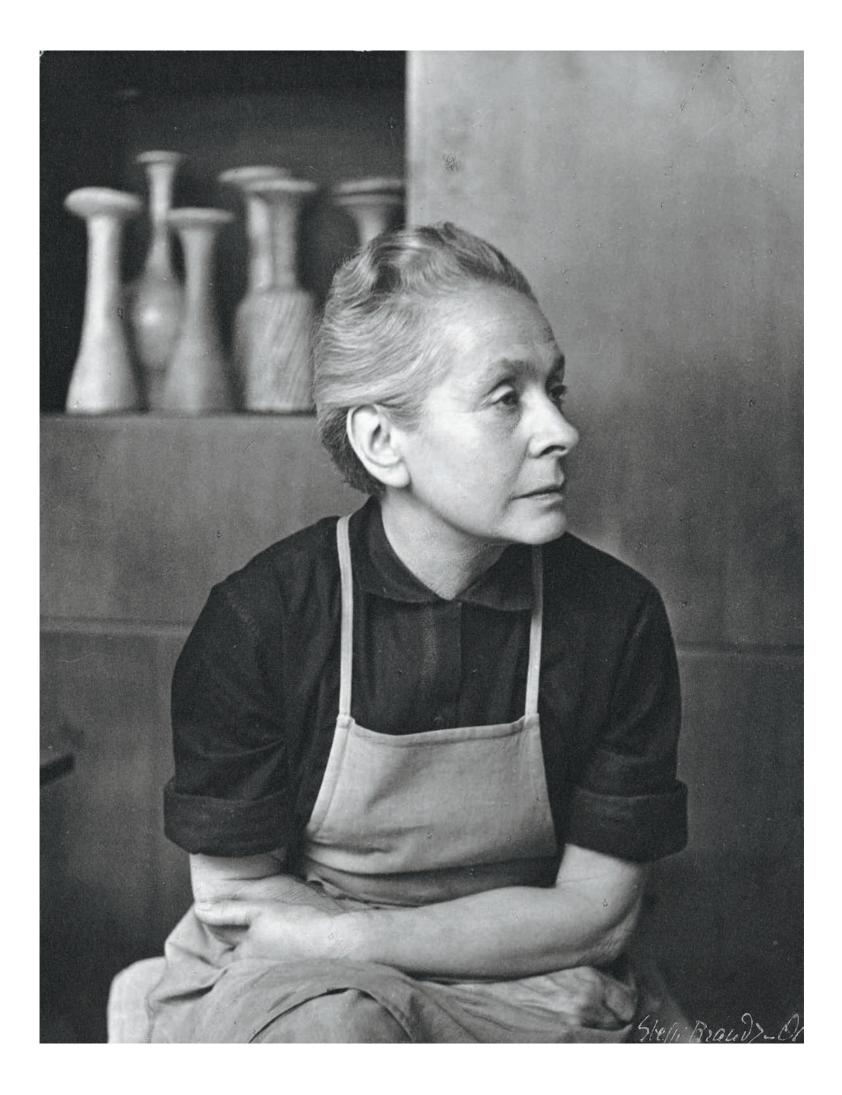
What unifies these independent artists? Rie and Coper worked side-by-side for thirteen years in the former's London studio; they remained friends thereafter. Gertrud and Otto Natzler shared a more fundamental union. Price and Dubreuil (the latter working still) produced from the furnace of their imaginations fiercely personal, fiercely eccentric work. One might say of Dubreuil's curves and protrusions what Ed Ruscha said of Price's: "they [make] you scratch your palms."

More than anything else, however, these six are stitched together by one thread: the Stern's unwavering devotion to the artists they've adopted. The verb is apt, for the Stern's decision to collect has not been a slim or speculative one. Rather, it represents a lifelong vote of confidence, a deep commitment to the work of six masters who the Sterns treat as a family of their own.

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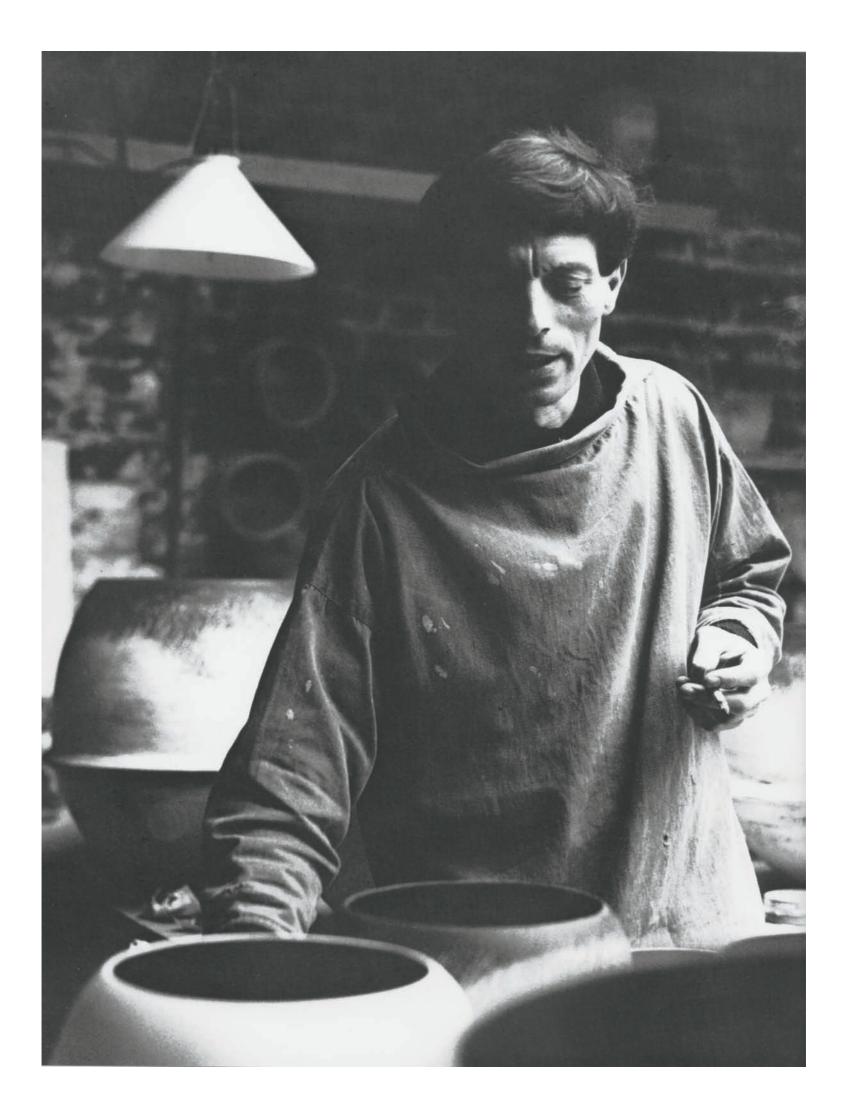
Michael McGinnis Chief Executive Officer

"I am not a thinker...I am not an art historian, I just do."



"Practising a craft with ambiguous reference to purpose and function one has occasion to face absurdity. More than anything, somewhat like a demented piano-tuner, one is trying to approximate a phantom pitch."

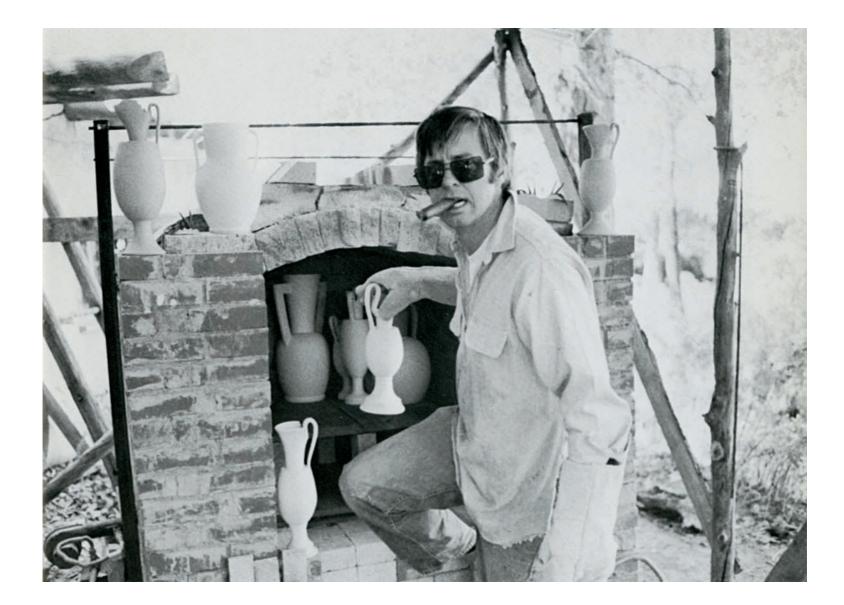
HANS COPER



"Good form is not contained in itself. To be continuous, it has to flow outside its containment. Good form is unending, its outline will continue into its environment and return in an imaginary line to the point of its origin in an unbroken, never ending flow."

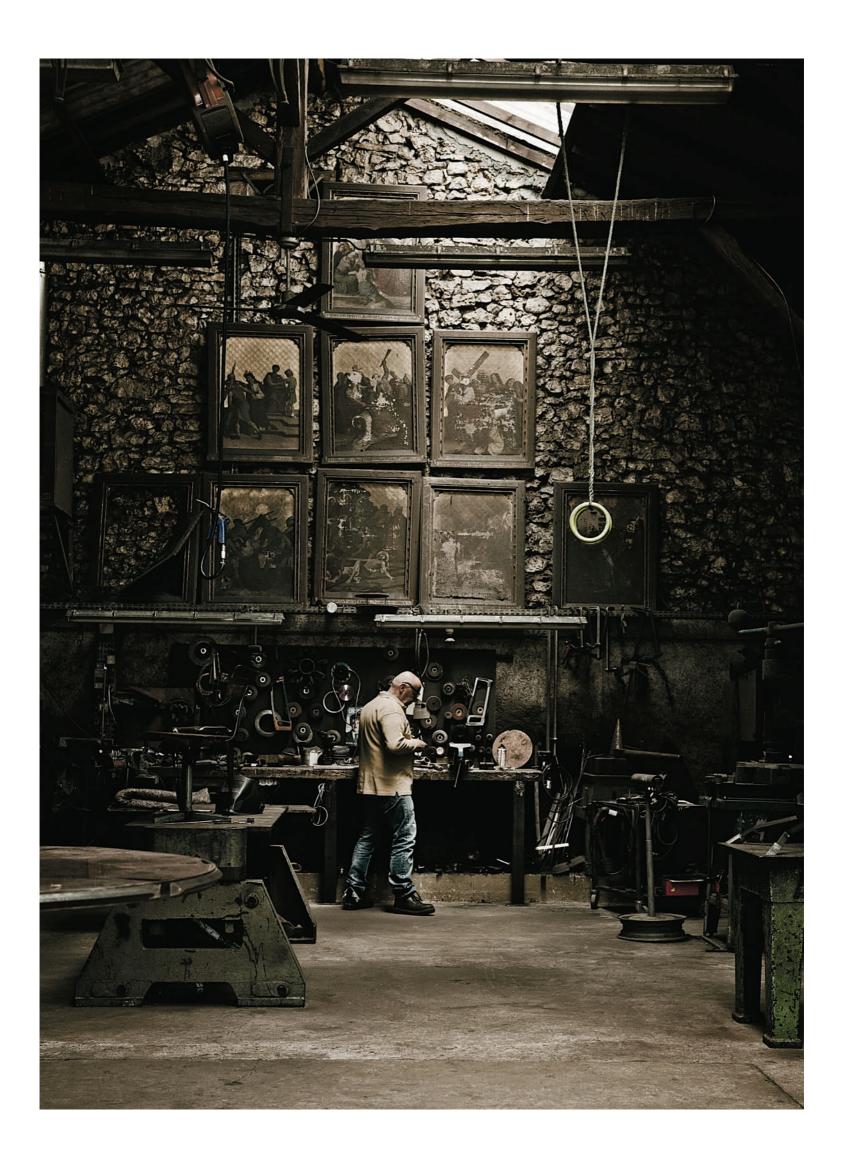


"I think meaning is ambiguous. It's mysterious, uncertain, and open to personal interpretation."



### "I'm not a modernist. I think why make simple when you can make complicated."

ANDRÉ DUBREUIL







#### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Large open form bowl, circa 1980 Porcelain, manganese glaze with radiating sgraffito design.  $3\frac{3}{4} \times 12\frac{1}{6}$  in. (9.4 x 32.8 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

**PROVENANCE** Christie's London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," January 28, 1986, lot 76 Fischer Fine Art, London



## "...her vases are like metaphysical poems, animated by... tensions."

#### 2

#### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Early "Flask" bottle, circa 1955 Porcelain, manganese and matte blue glazes, unglazed bands and sgraffito. 9½ x 3½ x 1½ in. (24 x 8 x 4.8 cm)

Impressed with artist's seal and original Lucie Rie Pottery sticker.

#### Estimate \$8,000-12,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," July 8, 1986, lot 444

#### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, *Lucie Rie*, Yeovil, 2004, p. 148 Tony Birks, *Lucie Rie*, Paris, 2008, pp. 54, 206 for similar examples *Lucie Rie – A Retrospective*, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, 2010, p. 17, fig. 5

#### 3

#### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Tall cylindrical vase with flaring rim, circa 1972 Porcelain, manganese and terracotta glazes, *sgraffito* on the lip and shoulder, with three bands of blue inlay. 10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. (27.3 cm) high, 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. (12 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$18,000-25,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 210

#### LITERATURE

*Issey Miyake Meets Lucie Rie*, exh. cat., Sogetsu Gallery, Tokyo, 1989, p.103, fig.38, for a similar example

Serene Beauty: Lucie Rie Retrospective 100th Anniversary of her Birth, exh. cat., The Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park / The Museum of Contemporary Ceramic Art, Shigaraki, 2002, p. 35, fig. 20, for a similar example Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, p. 4 for a similar example Lucie Rie – A Retrospective, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art,

Tokyo, 2010, p. 143 for a similar example

#### 4

**LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995 *Miniature vase*, circa 1980 Porcelain, golden manganese and matte blue glazes, *sgraffito*, unglazed bands and inlaid lines. 4½ in. (10.5 cm) high, 3½ in. (8 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000

LITERATURE Tony Birks, *Lucie Rie*, Paris, 2008, p. 109 for a similar example

#### 5

LUCIE RIE 1902-1995 Vase with flaring lip, circa 1976

Porcelain, manganese and matte blue glazes, *sgraffito* lip and shoulder and three inlaid bands. 8<sup>3</sup>% in. (21.4 cm) high, 3<sup>3</sup>⁄4 in. (9.5 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$15,000-20,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 213

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 48 for a similar example

Serene Beauty: Lucie Rie Retrospective 100th Anniversary of her Birth, exh. cat., The Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park / The Museum of Contemporary Ceramic Art, Shigaraki, 2002, p. 41, fig. 29, for a similar example Lucie Rie – A Retrospective, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, 2010, p. 205 for a similar example



#### HANS COPER 1920-1981

#### Small "Spade" form, circa 1972

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $5\% \times 5\% \times 2\%$  in. (15.2 x 15 x 5.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," July 8, 1986, lot 474

#### EXHIBITED

"Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters," The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, November 15, 1994-May 21, 1995

#### LITERATURE

Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters, exh. cat., The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 1994, illustrated front cover

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#### HANS COPER 1920-1981

Ovoid volume on a cylindrical foot, 1975

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a textured body, the interior with manganese glaze.  $75\% \times 3\% \times 234$  in. (19.4 x 8 x 7 cm)

Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$12,000-16,000

#### PROVENANCE

Bonhams, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," June 17, 1992, lot 114

#### LITERATURE

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 119 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 189 for a similar example Maya Nishi, ed., *Hans Coper Retrospective: Innovation in 20th Century Ceramics*, exh. cat., The Museum of Ceramic Art, Hyogo, 2009, p. 118 for a similar example





#### HANS COPER 1920-1981

*"Spade" form*, circa 1970

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $9 \times 5\% \times 2\%$  in. (23 x 15 x 6 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### LITERATURE

Cyril Frankel, *Modern Pots: Hans Coper, Lucie Rie & their Contemporaries: The Lisa Sainsbury Collection*, London, 2000, p. 29, fig.4, for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 171 for similar examples

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#### HANS COPER 1920-1981

*"Spade" form*, circa 1967

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $93\% \times 75\% \times 234$  in. (23.8 x 19.5 x 7 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 244

#### LITERATURE

Cyril Frankel, *Modern Pots: Hans Coper, Lucie Rie & their Contemporaries: The Lisa Sainsbury Collection*, London, 2000, p. 26 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 151, 172 for similar examples

#### HANS COPER 1920-1981

#### "Spade" form, circa 1973

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $95\% \times 6\% \times 3\%$  in. (24.4 x 15.5 x 8 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### PROVENANCE

#### Acquired directly from the artist

Sotheby's, London, "Ceramics and Glass by 20th Century Artists and Studio Potters," October 18, 1990, lot 283

#### LITERATURE

Cyril Frankel, *Modern Pots: Hans Coper, Lucie Rie & their Contemporaries: The Lisa Sainsbury Collection*, London, 2000, p. 29 for a similar example

#### 11

HANS COPER 1920-1981

#### "Thistle" form, circa 1970

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $114 \times 94 \times 35$  in. (28.7 × 23.6 × 9.2 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$25,000-35,000

#### LITERATURE

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 97 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 116 for a similar example





**LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995

Flaring footed bowl, circa 1980
Porcelain, golden manganese glaze with concentric bands of inlay and sgraffito.
4½ in. (11.4 cm) high, 9% in. (25.2 cm) diameter
Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$25,000-35,000

LITERATURE Lucie Rie: A Retrospective, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, 2010, p. 177 for a similar example



#### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Deep conical bowl, circa 1982 Porcelain, golden manganese glaze with bands of inlaid and sgraffito grid designs. 4<sup>5</sup>% in. (11.8 cm) high, 8% in. (22.4 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$20,000-30,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 7, 1983, lot 135

#### LITERATURE

*Englische Keramiken und Holzarbeiten*, exh. cat., Kunstsammlungen der Veste, Coburg, 1981, n.p.

#### 14

LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

"Byzantine" style vase, circa 1982 Porcelain, golden manganese glaze, *sgraffito* on the shoulder and interior. 10% in. (27.5 cm) high, 3% in. (10 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p.49, fig. 25, for a similar example

Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, p. 209 for a similar example

#### 15 ANDRÉ DURREI

#### ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

 $\begin{array}{l} Unique \ clock,\ circa\ 1990\\ Gold-painted\ and\ enameled\ copper,\ steel,\ clear\ convex\ glass.\\ 28\frac{1}{2}\ x\ 17\frac{3}{4}\ x\ 7\frac{3}{8}\ in.\ (72.4\ x\ 45.1\ x\ 18.7\ cm) \end{array}$ 

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

**PROVENANCE** Galerie Mougin, Paris Acquired from the above, 1999

#### LITERATURE

Claire Downey, Neo Furniture, London, 1992, p. 62 for a similar example

André Dubreuil refers to his own work as "Super Classical," a label borne out in his own uniquely personal brand of postmodernism, a playful approach to form which embraces multiple reference points, among them the Baroque. Dubreuil's work emphasizes the visual over the functional, a typical postmodern rejection of modernist ideals. He turns a cold shoulder on that seminal movement of the 20th century: "...why make simple when you can make complicated," he asks.

The present group of unique and limited edition works by Dubreuil form the core of Betty Lee and Aaron Stern's design collection and represent the fullest expression of the designer's anti-modernist ideas on manufacture and aesthetics. For Dubreuil, form follows form; his work flows from a direct, "organic process" of working freehand in metal. Dubreuil's rejection of mechanized manufacturing processes is a further retort to modernism: "I like the perfection of the hand because it's made by man for man." This artistic method has been fundamental to Dubreuil's practice since he began as an assistant to designer Tom Dixon, who in 1985 taught him to weld—a revelation. "I loved it. I threw my paint brush away and bought a welder," he stated. Dubreuil's first chair, the unique "Throne" of that same year, was a gift to the London fashion designer Georgina Godley. The following year, energized by this new direction, Dubreuil designed the "Spine" chair (Lot 52), perhaps his most recognizable work, an example of which is in the permanent collection of The Victoria and Albert Museum, London. Produced from flat steel rods the front legs have a cabriole form which can be considered part of his "Super Classical" practice.

\*All citations Gareth Williams and Nick Wright, *Cut and Shut: The History of Creative Salvage*, London, 2012, p. 120





### LOUIS I. KAHN 1901-1974

"Cortile of 'II Gotico' (Palazzo Communale), Piacenza," 1928-1929 Pencil, graphite and ink on paper. 12 x 85% in. (30.5 x 21.9 cm) Together with a certificate of authenticity from Sue Ann Kahn.

### Estimate \$3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE Collection of the artist Sue Ann Kahn Lori Bookstein Fine Art, New York Acquired from the above, 2008

### EXHIBITED

"The Travel Sketches of Louis Kahn," Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA, February 10-March 26, 1978

"Drawn from the Source: The Travel Sketches of Louis I. Kahn," Williams College Museum of Art, MA, April 6-June 9, 1996, then traveled to: The Jewish Museum, NY, September 30-December 15, 1996, Art Institute of Chicago, IL, February 14-May 4, 1997

#### LITERATURE

*The Travel Sketches of Louis Kahn,* exh. cat., Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, 1978, illustrated p. 41 Jan Hochstim and Vincent Scully, *The Paintings and Sketches of Louis I. Kahn,* New York, 1991, illustrated cat. no. 83, p. 86

# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Large early oval bowl with abstract design in the well, circa 1953 Stoneware, the exterior with layered white porcelain slips and engobes, the interior with manganese glaze revealing a white linear design beneath.  $5\frac{1}{3} \times 11 \times 10\frac{1}{3}$  in. (13 x 28 x 27.6 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$15,000-20,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 224

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

Cup on stand with central disc, circa 1965 Stoneware, black glaze. 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. (12 cm) high, 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in. (9 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$14,000-18,000

#### LITERATURE

Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters, exh. cat., The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 1994, p. 22 for a similar example Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 58, 138 for similar examples

# 19

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

Small "Digswell" composite form, circa 1959 Stoneware, black glaze. 5% in. (13.5 cm) high, 3% in. (9.2 cm) diameter

# Impressed with artist's seal. **Estimate** \$4,000-6,000

#### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, p. 95 for a similar example

# 20

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

*"Digswell" composite form with flattened central volume*, circa 1960 Stoneware, black glaze. 10½ in. (26.8 cm) high, 5¾ in. (14.5 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$15,000-20,000

#### EXHIBITED

"Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters," The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, November 15, 1994-May 21, 1995

#### LITERATURE

Peter Collingwood/Hans Coper: Rugs and wall-hangings by Peter Collingwood, Pots by Hans Coper, exh. cat., Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1969, p. 19 for a similar example Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters, exh. cat., The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 1994, illustrated p. 22 Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 38, 112 for similar examples

# 21

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Digswell" composite form, circa 1963 Stoneware, black glaze.

7% in. (9.2 cm) high, 6% in. (16 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

### Estimate \$14,000-18,000

PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 236

LITERATURE Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 83 for a similar example

# 22

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Digswell" composite form with disc, circa 1960 Stoneware, black glaze. 5¼ in. (13 cm) high, 3¼ in. (10 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

#### LITERATURE

Cyril Frankel, *Modern Pots: Hans Coper, Lucie Rie & their Contemporaries: The Lisa Sainsbury Collection*, London, 2000, p. 46, fig. 23 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 42









# HOLLY COULIS b. 1968

Untitled (2 Ghosts), 2002 Acrylic on canvas. 24 x 36 in. (61 x 91.4 cm) Stretcher signed in pen with HOLLY COULIS.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000

**PROVENANCE** Zach Feuer Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 2002

## ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Pair of centerpieces, circa 2004 Patinated steel, etched copper, quartz crystal. Tallest: 16¾ in. (41.6 cm) high From the production of four.

Estimate \$15,000-20,000

**PROVENANCE** Galerie Mougin, Paris

LITERATURE

Jean-Louis Gaillemin, André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron, Paris, 2006, cat. no. 261

The present centerpieces are two of the four examples of this design that were produced.



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Cycladic" arrow form, circa 1972

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $9\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{3}{8} \times 4\frac{3}{4}$  in. (24.2 x 6 x 12 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

#### PROVENANCE

Fifty/50, New York

### LITERATURE

Lucie Rie-Hans Coper Keramik, exh. cat., Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe, Hamburg, 1972, p. 33 for a similar example Lucie Rie, Hans Coper, and their pupils: A selection of contemporary

*ceramics illustrating their influence*, exh. cat., Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, University of East Anglia, Norwich, 1990, fig. 3, p. 12 for a similar example

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 193, 203

# 26

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Cycladic" pot with wide shoulder, circa 1972 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $95\% \times 4\% \times 2\%$  in. (24.4 x 11.4 x 5.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$25,000-35,000

# 27

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Cycladic" pot with spherical volume and oval lip, circa 1974 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $5\% \times 3\% \times 2\%$  in. (15 x 9.5 x 6.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$20,000-30,000

#### LITERATURE

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 121 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 190, 206 for a similar example





### HANS COPER 1920-1981

Pot with four indents and central stem holder, circa 1972 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $8\frac{1}{4} \times 6\frac{3}{4} \times 6\frac{1}{4}$  in. (21 x 17 x 16 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

PROVENANCE

Sotheby's, London, "Decorative Arts: Part II: Art Pottery and Studio Ceramics," October 8, 1982, lot 204

#### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 180, 188 for a similar example

# 29

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Spade" form, circa 1969

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $12\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{34}{4} \times 3\frac{1}{8}$  in. (31.8 x 17 x 8 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

### PROVENANCE

Christie's London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," January 28, 1986, lot 88 Fischer Fine Art, London

#### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, p. 158 for a similar example



# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Large open form bowl, circa 1960 Stoneware, flowing "Dolomite" glaze with an unglazed ring in the well. 41% in. (10.5 cm) high, 141⁄2 in. (36.7 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

### Estimate \$20,000-30,000

### PROVENANCE

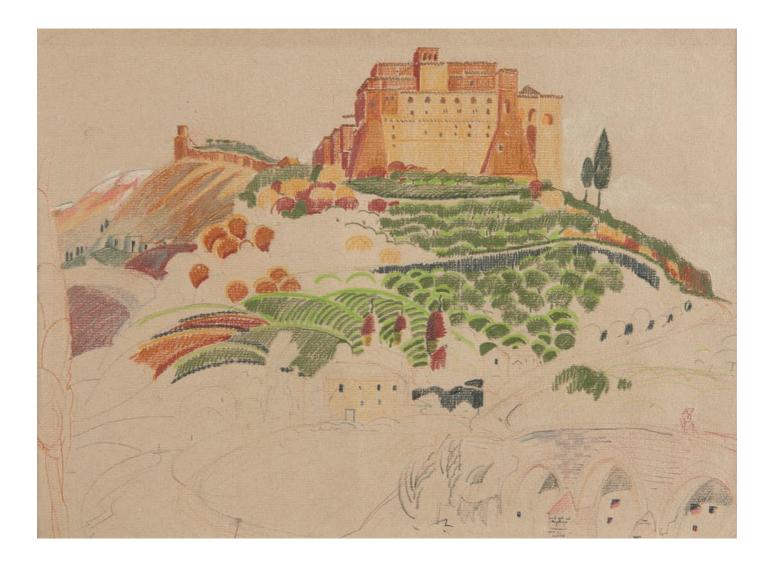
Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 2

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: A Survey of Her Life and Work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 41 for a similar example

*Lucie Rie: A Retrospective*, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, 2010, p. 145, fig. 104 for a similar example





### LOUIS I. KAHN 1901-1974

"Convent of Saint Francis of Assisi, Italy," 1929 Colored pencil and pastel on brown paper.  $9\% \times 13\%$  in. (25.1 x 34.6 cm) Together with a certificate of authenticity from Sue Ann Kahn.

### Estimate \$6,000-9,000

PROVENANCE

Collection of the artist Sue Ann Kahn Lori Bookstein Fine Art, New York Acquired from the above, 2008

#### EXHIBITED

"The Travel Sketches of Louis Kahn," Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA, February 10-March 26, 1978 "Louis I. Kahn: Paintings, Watercolors and Drawings," Salander-O'Reilly Galleries, New York, May 14-June 28, 2002

### LITERATURE

Jan Hochstim and Vincent Scully, *The Paintings and Sketches of Louis I. Kahn*, New York, 1991, illustrated p. 63, cat. no. 37

# 32

### **LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995 Flower vase with squared body, circa 1960 Stoneware, flowing "Dolomite" glaze. 9½ x 6½ x 6½ in. (24 x 16.5 x 15.5 cm)

Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000











# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Rare composite vase form, circa 1980 Porcelain, shiny white glaze.  $12\frac{1}{3} \times 5\frac{3}{4} \times 5\frac{3}{8}$  in. (31.2 x 14.5 x 13.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

#### PROVENANCE

Cyril Frankel, London Sotheby's, Belgravia, "Art Pottery and Studio Ceramics," December 10, 1980, lot 99

#### LITERATURE

Lucie Rie, Hans Coper, and their pupils: A selection of contemporary ceramics illustrating their influence, exh. cat., Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, University of East Anglia, Norwich, 1990, p. 38, fig. 55 for a similar example

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 94 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Lucie Rie*, Paris, 2008, p. 58 for a similar example

# 34

### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

*Tall composite vase*, circa 1968 Porcelain, shiny white glaze. 17¾ in. (44 cm) high, 7½ in. (18 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

LITERATURE Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, pp. 58, 64

# 35

### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Bottle with flaring lip, circa 1976 Stoneware, shiny white glaze. 10<sup>3</sup>⁄<sub>4</sub> in. (27.2 cm) high, 5<sup>7</sup>⁄<sub>8</sub> in. (15 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$18,000-25,000

#### LITERATURE

Serene Beauty: Lucie Rie Retrospective 100th Anniversary of her Birth, exh. cat., The Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park / The Museum of Contemporary Ceramic Art, Shigaraki, 2002, p. 47, fig. 34, for a similar example Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, pp. 156, 180 for similar examples

# 36

**LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995 Composite vase form, circa 1974 Stoneware, shiny white glaze.  $9 \times 6\% \times 5\%$  in. (23 x 17.7 x 13.6 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

#### PROVENANCE Bonhams, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," June 13, 1990, lot 240



### HANS COPER 1920-1981

### Early and large "Hourglass" form, 1965

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze. 18% in. (46 cm) high, 8¼ in. (21 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, p.60, 124 for similar examples

# 38

# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Early "Hourglass" form, 1965

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze. 13% in. (34 cm) high, 5% in. (13.5 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

**Estimate** \$16,000-24,000

#### PROVENANCE

Fischer Fine Art, London Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 240

#### LITERATURE

Cyril Frankel, Modern Pots: Hans Coper, Lucie Rie & their Contemporaries: The Lisa Sainsbury Collection, London, 2000, p. 49, fig. 27 for a similar example

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 119, 124 for a similar example



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Early and large globular pot with abstract design, 1953 Stoneware, manganese glaze with a white linear abstract design. 9½ in. (24 cm) high, 125% in. (32 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

### PROVENANCE

Mansard Gallery, London Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 22, 1985, lot 235

### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 35 for a similar example Maya Nishi, ed., *Hans Coper Retrospective: Innovation in 20th Century Ceramics*, exh. cat., The Museum of Ceramic Art, Hyogo, 2009, p. 35 for a similar example





# ACHILLE CASTIGLIONI and PIER GIACOMO CASTIGLIONI

1918-2002, 1913-1968

*Two "Taccia" table lamps*, designed 1962 Enameled spun aluminum, polished spun aluminum, lacquered metal, clear blown glass. Each: 26½ in. (67.3 cm) maximum height Manufactured by Flos, Italy.

Estimate \$4,000-6,000

#### LITERATURE

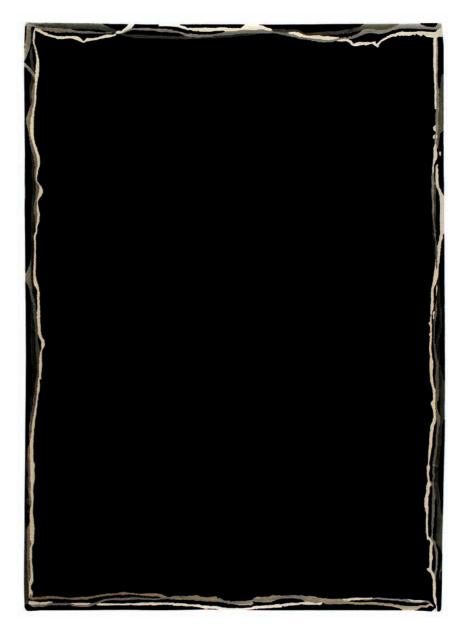
Albrecht Bangert, *Italian Furniture Design: Ideas Styles Movements*, Munich, 1988, p. 162 Jerryll Habegger and Joseph H. Osman, *Sourcebook of Modern Furniture*, New York, 2005, p. 701

# 41

**ANDRÉE PUTMAN** 1925-2013 *"Libre Cours" rug*, circa 1993 Hand-tufted wool. 123½ x 174½ in. (313.7 x 444.2 cm)

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

**PROVENANCE** Pucci International, Ltd., New York Acquired from the above, 1993





## JOHN KØRNER b. 1967

"One Spaceship," 2005 Acrylic on canvas. 71 x 94¼ in. (180.3 x 239.4 cm) Verso signed in acrylic with *One/Spaceship* and signed and dated *Kørner/05*.

Estimate \$10,000-15,000

**PROVENANCE** Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen Acquired from the above, 2005



**VERNER PANTON** 1926-1998

Fruit Dish, model no. 1302, designed 1988, produced 1989 Silver. 4 x 22 x 18½ in. (10.2 x 55.9 x 46 cm) Produced by Georg Jensen, Denmark. Underside impressed with designer's mark, date mark, hallmark and standard mark.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

LITERATURE Alexander von Vegesack and Mathias Remmele, eds., Verner Panton: The Collected Works, Weil am Rhein, 2000, p. 309

**MATT WEDEL** b. 1984 *"Flower Tree,"* 2010 Glazed ceramic. 26¼ x 18 x 16½ in. (66.7 x 45.7 x 41.9 cm)

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

PROVENANCE L.A. Louver, Venice, California





### ELIZABETH FRITSCH b. 1940

*Still life comprising two "Spout pots" and a "Moon Pocket,"* 1975 Stoneware, painted colored slips. Tallest: 12 in. (30.5 cm) high

### Estimate \$20,000-30,000

### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 168 for the vessel illustrated far left

### LITERATURE

Edward Lucie-Smith, *Elizabeth Fritsch: Vessels from Another World, Metaphysical Pots in Painted Stoneware,* London, 1993, p. 18 for comparable examples



# ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Pair of "Perles" candle holders, circa 1997 Patinated and gilt iron, glass. Each: 25¼ in. (64.1 cm) high From the edition of 60.

Estimate \$10,000-14,000

PROVENANCE Galerie Mougin, Paris, 1997

LITERATURE

Jean-Louis Gaillemin, André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron, Paris, 2006, cat. nos. 127-28 Gareth Williams and Nick Wright, Cut and Shut: The History of Creative Salvage, London, 2012, p. 121

# 47

### ROLAND MELLAN b. 1967

Unique mirror, no. 78, 1998 Patchwork painted and sanded aluminum, mirrored glass, wood. 43 x 33 in. (109.2 x 83.8 cm) Reverse carved with *MELLAN 98*.

#### Estimate \$3,000-4,000

**PROVENANCE** Galerie Mougin, Paris



**GIO PONTI** 1891-1979

*"La Mie Terre" vase, model no. 1175,* circa 1928 Glazed earthenware. 12½ in. (31.8 cm) high Manufactured by Richard-Ginori, Italy. Underside signed in blue underglaze with firm's mark and *Ginori/1175-361E*.

### Estimate \$10,000-15,000

### LITERATURE

Loris Manna, *Gio Ponti: Le Maioliche*, Milan, 2000, pp. 210-11 Dario Matteoni, ed., *Gio Ponti: il fascino della ceramic, fascination for ceramics*, exh. cat., Spazio Eventi Grattacielo Pirelli, Milan, 2011, p. 126

# ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Pair of "Trévise" chairs, circa 1988 Painted cast aluminum, mohair. Each:  $37\frac{1}{5} \times 28 \times 25\frac{1}{2}$  in. (94.5 x 71.1 x 64.8 cm) From the edition of 20.

### Estimate \$3,000-4,000

### LITERATURE

Claire Downey, *Neo Furniture*, London, 1992, p. 61 Jean-Louis Gaillemin, *André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron*, Paris, 2006, pp. 26-27, cat. no. 40

Gareth Williams and Nick Wright, *Cut and Shut: The History of Creative Salvage*, London, 2012, p. 121 for a similar example

Delphine Antoine, Yves Gastou antiquaire du futur, Paris, 2011, p. 191











#### MAARTEN BAAS b. 1978

"Clay" shelves from the "Clay Furniture" series, 2007 Painted synthetic clay, metal.  $68^{3}4 \times 20^{1/2} \times 15$  in. (174.6 x 52.1 x 38.1 cm) Made by Baas & den Herder, the Netherlands. Underside of one shelf signed Maarten/May 2007 and one leg inset with partial metal lettering BA\_S.

#### Estimate \$6,000-9,000

## PROVENANCE Christie's, South Kensington, "Christie's Interiors," October 12, 2010, lot 566

LITERATURE "Burning Baas," *DAMn*°, August 12, 2013, p. 91

#### ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Pair of "Soleil" wall appliques, circa 1987 Patinated steel, copper, magnifying glass. Each: 22¼ in. (56.5 cm) high

#### Estimate \$4,000-6,000

#### PROVENANCE

Bonhams, Los Angeles, "20th Century Decorative Arts," October 16, 2011, lot 5233

#### LITERATURE

Jean-Louis Gaillemin, *André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron*, Paris, 2006, pp. 73, cat. no. 22

# 52

### ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

"Spine" chair, circa 1986 Painted iron. 35¼ x 21¾ x 29½ in. (89.5 x 55.2 x 74.9 cm) Editioned by A.D. Decorative Arts, London and produced in the artist's workshop, Dordogne, France. Number 8 from the first edition of 50. Underside of one bar impressed with 8.

#### Estimate \$6,000-9,000

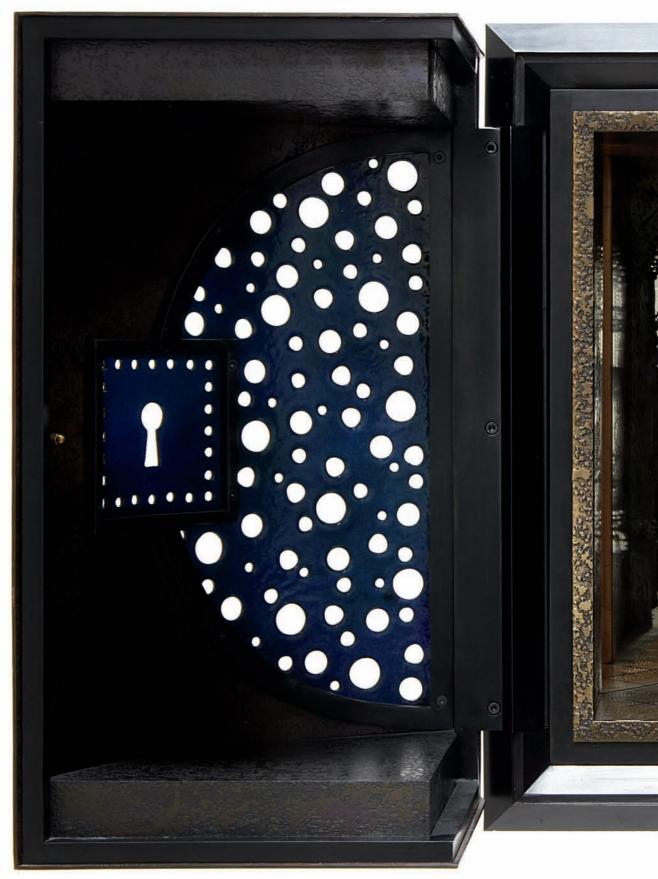
#### LITERATURE

Claire Downey, *Neo Furniture*, London, 1992, p. 56 Jerryll Habegger and Joseph H. Osman, *Sourcebook of Modern Furniture*, New York, 2005, p. 452 Jean-Louis Gaillemin, *André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron*, Paris, 2006, pp. 10, 27, 38, 40-41, 43, cat. nos. 8, 9, 11 Gareth Williams and Nick Wright, *Cut and Shut: The History of Creative Salvage*, London, 2012, pp. 111, 119





"I like the perfection of the hand because it's made by man for man."



(detail of lot 53 with door open)



## ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Unique "Tabernacle" cabinet, 1998 Patinated steel, etched copper, enamel, mirrored glass.  $71 \times 35\frac{1}{2} \times 17\frac{7}{6}$  in. (180.3 x 90.2 x 45.4 cm) Produced in the artist's workshop, Dordogne, France.

Estimate \$60,000-90,000

**PROVENANCE** Galerie Mougin, 1999

#### LITERATURE

Jean-Louis Gaillemin, André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron, Paris, 2006, illustrated cat. no. 158





MICHAEL GRAVES b. 1934

Mailbox, circa 1990 Enameled rolled steel, stamped steel and aluminum.  $14 \times 9\frac{1}{2} \times 23\frac{3}{4}$  in. (35.6 x 24.1 x 60.3 cm) Manufactured by the Markuse Corporation, USA.

Estimate \$500-800

RONAN and ERWAN BOUROULLEC b. 1971, b. 1976

"Butterfly" cabinet, model no. BF/176, circa 2002 Painted wood, painted aluminum.  $42\frac{1}{2} \times 69 \times 23\frac{5}{6}$  in. (108 x 175.3 x 60 cm) Manufactured by Cappellini, Italy.

Estimate \$4,000-6,000

LITERATURE

Ronan and Erwan Bouroullec, et al., *Ronan and Erwan Pouroullec*, London, 2003, pp. 141-43 figs. 154-58 for similar examples



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## AN IMPORTANT SUITE FROM KEN PRICE'S EROTIC SERIES, LOTS 56-59

"The original conception of [*Happy's Curios*] was going to include an erotic area...I was doing a lot of erotic drawings. That was my favorite subject matter at the time. There was a lot of pottery sitting around waiting to be decorated, so I did a whole series of erotic stuff...mostly comprised of bowls that had club names around the outside, and the audience around the inside of the walls—down on the bottom it had the dancers."





**KEN PRICE** 1935-2012 *"Club Atomica" bowl*, circa 1986 Ceramic, acrylic. 5% in. (13.7 cm) high, 13½ in. (33.3 cm) diameter

Estimate \$50,000-70,000

PROVENANCE Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986

EXHIBITED "Kenneth Price," Willard Gallery, New York, November 1986

LITERATURE John Russell, "Kenneth Price (Willard Gallery, 29 East 72d Street)", *The New York Times*, November 28, 1986, for a discussion of the exhibition

## **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

*"Club Atomica" vase*, circa 1986 Ceramic, acrylic. 12½ in. (31.8 cm) high, 8¾ in. (22.2 cm) diameter

Estimate \$60,000-90,000

**PROVENANCE** Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986

#### EXHIBITED

"Kenneth Price," Willard Gallery, New York, November 1986

#### LITERATURE

John Russell, "Kenneth Price (Willard Gallery, 29 East 72d Street)", *The New York Times*, November 28, 1986, for a discussion of the exhibition "Ken Price: A Talk with Slides," *The Chinati Foundation Newsletter*, vol. 10, October 2005, illustrated p. 31, fig. 77





**KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

"Club Noches del Oro" bowl, 1986 Ceramic, acrylic. 4% in. (11.7 cm) high, 8 in. (20.3 cm) diameter

#### Estimate \$30,000-40,000

**PROVENANCE** Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986

EXHIBITED "Kenneth Price," Willard Gallery, New York, November 1986

LITERATURE John Russell, "Kenneth Price (Willard Gallery, 29 East 72d Street)", *The New York Times*, November 28, 1986, for a discussion of the exhibition



## **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

"Club XX" vase, 1986 Ceramic, acrylic. 19 in. (48.3 cm) high, 9¼ in. (23.5 cm) wide

Estimate \$60,000-90,000

**PROVENANCE** Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986

#### EXHIBITED

"Kenneth Price," Willard Gallery, New York, November 1986

LITERATURE

John Russell, "Kenneth Price (Willard Gallery, 29 East 72d Street)", *The New York Times*, November 28, 1986, for a discussion of the exhibition



"Happy's Curios, named for the artist's wife, may turn out to be one of the most quixotic enterprises in the history of postwar American art, on par with Jay DeFeo's *The Rose* and James Turrell's *Roden Crater*—obsessive endeavors without end."



## **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

"Unit 6" from "Happy's Curios," 1972-1978 Ceramic, acrylic, painted plywood, wood, glass, Plexiglas, fluorescent bulbs. Case: 100 x 96 x 28 in. (254 x 243.8 x 71.1 cm) Largest vessel: 9% in. (25.1 cm) high Interior of each "Bomb" numbered consecutively on paper labels *390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395*.

#### Estimate \$300,000-400,000

#### PROVENANCE

James Corcoran Gallery, Santa Monica, CA, circa 1980

#### EXHIBITED

"Ken Price: Happy's Curios," Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, April 4-July 2, 1978

#### LITERATURE

Maurice Tuchman, *Ken Price: Happy's Curios*, exh. cat., Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, 1978, illustrated pp. 28, 29, 32, and p. 83 Bernard Kester, "Kenneth Price," *Craft Horizons*, vol. 38, June 1978, p. 57 for a discussion of the present lot

"Ken Price: a Talk with Slides," *Chinati Foundation Newsletter*, vol. 10, Marfa, October 2005, illustrated p. 28, figs. 53 and 54



The present lot was one of ten "units" on view during "Ken Price: Happy's Curios", the artist's seminal 1978 exhibition at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Comprising multiple ceramic vessels displayed in purpose-built cabinets, the units appeared together with two *Death Shrines*, two *Showcase Windows*, various wall hangings, works on paper, and individual ceramic cups in cases. *Happy's Curios* ranged not only across the museum but farther back across the decade. Those works exhibited at LACMA represented the core of Price's six-year series by the same name, an extended project that encompassed forms as varied as ceramic tequila cups and Zapotec weavings, drawings and painted erotic wares—"a bombardment of images and color."<sup>1</sup>

"Here's the Curios Store," Price noted during a 2004 slide presentation at the Chinati Foundation in Marfa, Texas, "but it's hard to explain this thing."<sup>2</sup> Bookended by his *Geometric Cups* of the early 1970s and 80s, singular abstractions produced before and after *Happy's Curios*, the jocular wares of the "Curios Store" (as he also called it) crowd in like visitors from a warm and distant country, where Price had been on sabbatical. "I grew up around Mexican pottery and really liked it and was impressed by it...I got turned on and thought I would make a tribute to Mexican pottery in the form of a curios store. It was kind of a fantasy. It was supposed to be a small store with some billboards outside, and a storefront window...I figured it would take me about a year, maybe two, to make it. It took about six..."<sup>3</sup>

A passage without apparent end, the fantasy foundered on practical considerations: "I hadn't realized that in order to make this thing I would have to buy a store and build it in.<sup>24</sup> In response, Price packed up the shop (literally), divided the work into cohesive units for the LACMA exhibition, then moved east from New Mexico to Massachusetts, where he returned to focused, individual sculptures. But the view out to sea remained.

Both Maurice Tuchman, former Senior Curator at LACMA, and Douglas Dreishpoon, Chief Curator of the Albright-Knox Art Gallery, have related *Happy's Curios* to *Roden Crater*, James Turrell's ongoing, decadeslong earthwork in the Arizona desert.<sup>5</sup> Ambitious, environmental installations, both works represent what Tuchman called "a single overriding win-or-lose gesture."<sup>6</sup> Like Turrell's crater, Price's "Store" rose up from the desert, an elaborate construction of the heart.

- 1-4 "Ken Price: A Talk with Slides", Chinati Foundation Newsletter, vol. 10, Oct. 2005, p. 23
  Douglas Dreishpoon, Ken Price: Slow and Steady Wins the Race, Works on Paper 1962-
- 2010, exh. cat., The Drawing Center, New York, 2013, p. 39
  Maurice Tuchman, *Ken Price: Happy's Curios*, exh. cat., Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, 1978, p. 5



The present lot, *"Ken Price: Happy's Curios,"* Los Angeles County Museum, 1978. Photo © Museum Associates/LACMA



### LUDWIG MIES VAN DER ROHE 1886-1969

Set of eight "Brno" chairs, designed 1930, manufactured 1970s Leather, chromium-plated steel. Each:  $31\frac{1}{2} \times 23 \times 19\frac{3}{4}$  in. (80 x 58.4 x 50.2 cm) Manufactured by Knoll International, USA.

Estimate \$4,000-6,000

LITERATURE

Mark Emery, *Furniture by Architects*, New York, 1983, p. 209 for the Knoll production

Helmut Reuter and Birgit Schulte, eds., *Mies and Modern Living: Interiors, Furniture, Photography*, Ostfildern, 2008, p. 105 for a period example

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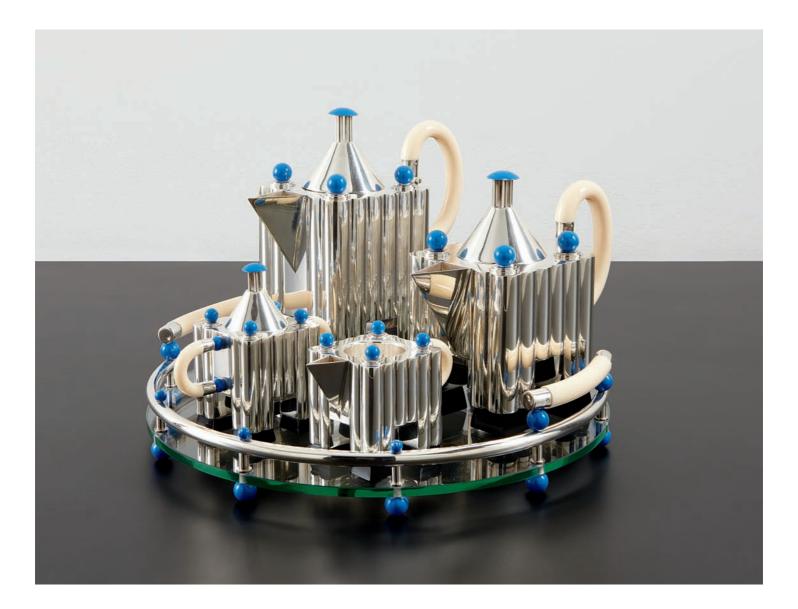
## LE CORBUSIER 1887-1965 PIERRE JEANNERET 1896-1967 and CHARLOTTE PERRIAND 1903-1999

Dining table, model no. LC6, designed 1925-1928, manufactured circa 1975 Enameled steel, glass, rubber.  $27 \times 88 \times 33\frac{1}{2}$  in. (68.6 x 223.5 x 85.1 cm) Manufactured by Cassina, Italy.

Estimate \$1,500-2,000

LITERATURE Mark Emery, Furniture by Architects, New York, 1983, pp. 86-87





#### MICHAEL GRAVES b. 1934

*"Piazza" tea and coffee service*, designed 1984-1985, produced 1991 Silver, faux ivory, lacquered aluminum, Bakelite.

Tray:  $16\frac{1}{8}$  in. (8.6 cm) diameter;

coffee pot: 9% in. (25.1 cm) high

Comprising tray, teapot, coffee pot, sugar bowl with spoon, and creamer. Produced by Alessi, Italy. Number 84 from the edition of 99. Each piece impressed with Italian assay marks, each vessel additionally impressed *OFFICINA/ALESSI*, with the designer's cipher, *ITALY* and incised 1991/84/99.

#### Estimate \$8,000-12,000

#### PROVENANCE

Donna Schneier Fine Arts, New York Acquired from the above, 1991

#### LITERATURE

Officina Alessi, *Tea and Coffee Piazza*, Italy, 1985, pp. 34-35 for drawings, pp. 36-37

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#### ALDO ROSSI 1931-1997

*"Piazza" tea and coffee service*, designed 1986, produced 1994 Brass, enameled metal, clear glass, oxidized copper, silver,

enameled silver, glass.

Case: 26 x 17<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> x 11<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> in. (66 x 43.8 x 28.9 cm)

Coffee pot: 11 in. (27.9 cm) high

Comprising vitrine, teapot, coffee pot, thermos, creamer and spoon. Produced by Alessi, Italy. Number 41 from the edition of 99. Each piece impressed with standard and Milanese maker's marks, each vessel and spoon additionally impressed with firm's mark, designer's initials and 1994/41 / 99/ITALY.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, New York, "Important 20th Century Decorative Arts," June 9, 1995, lot 122A

#### LITERATURE

Officina Alessi, Tea and Coffee Piazza, Italy, 1985, pp. 25, 56-57, 61





#### FRANK GEHRY b. 1929

Set of twelve "Fish" goblets, circa 1990 Acid-polished glass. Each: 7% in. (19.4 cm) high

Manufactured by Amses Cosma Inc., USA, retailed by Swid Powell, USA. From the edition of 250. Underside of each etched with designer's signature and *Swid Powell/Edition/250/Amses Cosma*.

#### Estimate \$8,000-12,000

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#### **ROBERT MAPPLETHORPE** 1946-1989

Set of eighteen "Flower," "Orchid" and "Calla Lily" plates, circa 1987 Photographic transfer-printed porcelain.

Each: 12 in. (30.5 cm) diameter

Comprising six examples of each design. Manufactured by Swid Powell, USA. The underside of each plate transfer-printed with *Swid Powell*, artist's signature, and respectively with *"Calla Lily, 1984," "Flower, 1986"* and *"Orchid, 1987."* Together with the original boxes.

#### Estimate \$12,000-18,000

PROVENANCE Swid Powell, New York

LITERATURE Annette Tapert, *Swid Powell: Objects by Architects*, New York, 1990, pp. 142-43



















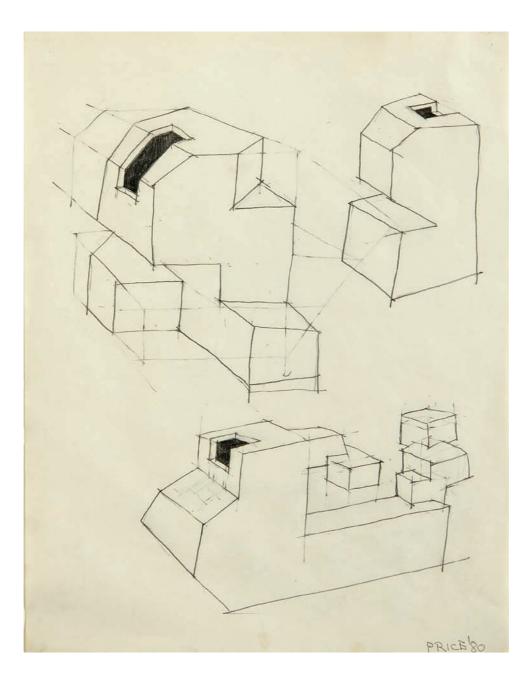












#### **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Prepatory drawing for "Geometric" pots, 1980 Graphite on paper. 10% x 8½ in. (27.6 x 21.6 cm) Lower right edge signed and dated in pencil with PRICE '80.

#### Estimate \$5,000-7,000

LITERATURE "Ken Price: A Talk with Slides," *The Chinati Foundation Newsletter*, vol. 10, October 2005, p. 27, figs. 43-48 for examples of similar "Geometric Cups"

## BUCCELLATI

*Centerpiece*, 20th century Silver. 11½ in. (29.2 cm) high Underside of one shell impressed with *M. BUCCELLATI* and standard mark.

Estimate \$10,000-14,000

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# IN THE MANNER OF BUCCELLATI

*Spider crab lidded dish and hermit crab*, 20th century Silver.

Spider crab: 3½ in. (8.9 cm) high (excluding tentacles) Hermit crab: 5 in. (12.7 cm) high (excluding tentacles) The hermit crab made by Fratelli Lisi e Figli, Florence. Each impressed with standard marks. Underside of hermit crab additionally impressed with maker's mark and *Lisi*.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000



## **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Group of seventeen "Town Wares," from the "Easter Island" series, circa 1977

Glazed ceramic. Together with later replica "Town Unit" case. Large low bowl: 12¼ in. (31.1 cm) diameter Largest bowl: 7¾ in. (18.7 cm) diameter Tallest vase: 10 in. (25.4 cm) high Case: 70½ x 35¼ x 24 in. (178.1 x 89.5 x 61 cm) Comprising one large low "Town bowl," six "Town bowls" of varying size, three "Town vases" of varying size and seven "Town cups" of varying size. Large low bowl with small paper tag numbered 88, the bowls with tags numbered consecutively 80-85, vases with tags consecutively numbered 91-93, one cup with tag inscribed *T-P/36* and a second cup with tag inscribed 37/*T-P*.

#### Estimate \$30,000-40,000

#### LITERATURE

"Ken Price: A Talk with Slides," *The Chinati Foundation Newsletter*, vol. 10, October 2005, p. 29, figs. 64-66 for similar examples





#### ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Unique "Feuilles de Chêne" gueridon, 1999 Patinated steel, copper, bronze, enamel. 29½ x 23¾ x 23¾ in. (74 x 60.3 x 60.3 cm)

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

**PROVENANCE** Galerie Mougin, Paris Acquired from the above, 1999

#### LITERATURE

Jean-Louis Gaillemin, *André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron*, Paris, 2006, cat. no. 166 for a similar example

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#### ANDRÉ DUBREUIL b. 1951

Pair of "Trévise" chairs, circa 1988 Painted cast aluminum, fabric. Each:  $37\% \times 28 \times 25\%$  in. (94.5 x 71.1 x 64.8 cm) From the edition of 20.

#### Estimate \$3,000-4,000

#### LITERATURE

Claire Downey, *Neo Furniture*, London, 1992, p. 61 Jean-Louis Gaillemin, *André Dubreuil: Poète du Fer, Poet of Iron*, Paris, 2006, pp. 26-27, cat. no. 40 Delphine Antoine, *Yves Gastou antiquaire du future*, Paris, 2011, p. 191 Gareth Williams and Nick Wright, *Cut and Shut: The History of Creative Salvage*, London, 2012, p. 121 for a similar example





*Head of Buddha*, Southeast Asia, 19th century Gilt and patinated metal, painted wood base. 20 in. (50.8 cm) high

Estimate \$1,000-1,500

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#### **INGEBORG LUNDIN** 1921-1992

Four "Apple" vases, 1950s Blown colorless and clear colored glass. The tallest: 17¾ in. (45.1 cm) high Produced by Orrefors, Sweden. Undersides respectively incised ORREFORS/32-57/Ingeborg Lundin; ORREFORS/Expo du 95/Ingeborg Lundin; ORREFORS/expo D32-57/Ingeborg Lundin; Gallery-86/ORREFORS 9575-15/Ingeborg Lundin.

#### Estimate \$12,000-18,000

#### PROVENANCE

For three vases: Colleen Sullivan, Chicago Sotheby's, New York, "A Mid-Century Eye: The Collection of Colleen Sullivan," September 21, 2011, lot 20 For one vase: Bonhams, Los Angeles, "20th Century Decorative Arts," October 16, 2011, lot 5200







LUCIE RIE 1902-1995 Conical bowl, circa 1980 Porcelain, inlaid pink lines, turquoise and manganese bands. 45% in. (11.6 cm) high, 8½ in. (21.7 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

### Estimate \$25,000-35,000

# LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p .50 for a similar example *Issey Miyake Meets Lucie Rie*, exh. cat., Sogetsu Gallery, Tokyo, 1989, p. 116, fig.36, for a similar example

Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, p. 161 for a similar example



# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Small straight-sided bowl, circa 1978 Porcelain, inlaid pink lines, turquoise and golden manganese bands.  $4\% \times 4\% \times 3\%$  in. (10.6 x 10.4 x 9.8 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$12,000-18,000

# 77

**LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995 Bottle with flaring lip, circa 1978 Stoneware, inlaid shoulder and lip, gold bands and matte white glaze. 10¾ in. (26.5 cm) high, 5 in. (12.8 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

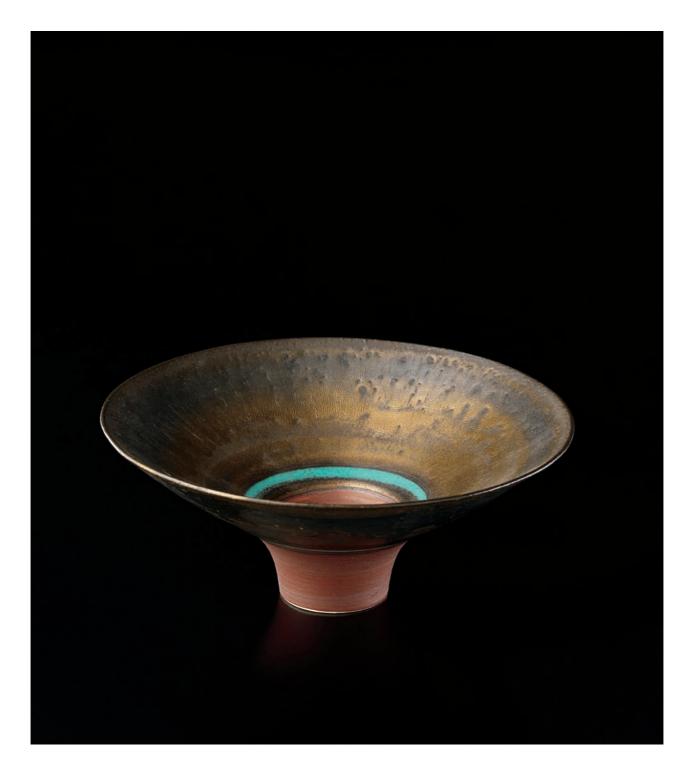
#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 219

## LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 64 for a similar example





**LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995

Footed bowl, circa 1980

Porcelain, golden manganese glaze, turquoise rings, terracotta foot and well. 25% in. (6.6 cm) high, 61% in. (16.6 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 89, fig. 216 for a similar example

*Issey Miyake Meets Lucie Rie*, exh. cat., Sogetsu Gallery, Tokyo, 1989, p. 112 and fig. 37 for a similar example

Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2006, p. 194, for a similar example

*Lucie Rie: A Retrospective*, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, 2010, p. 247 for a similar example



## LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Rare bottle with raised dots, circa 1976 Porcelain, squared body, matte white glaze. 9¼ in. (23.5 cm) high, 2¾ in. (7 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

## Estimate \$15,000-20,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," July 8, 1986, lot 463

#### EXHIBITED

"Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters," The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, November 15, 1994-May 21, 1995

#### LITERATURE

Issey Miyake Meets Lucie Rie, exh. cat., Sogetsu Gallery, Tokyo, 1989, p. 109, fig. 49 for similar examples Lucie Rie/Hans Coper: Masterworks by Two British Potters, exh. cat., The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 1994, p. 11, fig. R47 Garth Clark, The Potter's Art, London 1995, illustrated p. 170 Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, p. 214 for a similar example



LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Footed bowl, circa 1974 Porcelain, "American" yellow glaze. 3½ in. (8.8 cm) high, 7¼ in. (18.4 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$16,000-24,000

PROVENANCE Christie's East, New York, "20th Century Design," June 10, 1996, lot 679

LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Footed bowl, circa 1978 Porcelain, bottle green glaze with golden lip. 3% in. (9.2 cm) high, 7% in. (18 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$30,000-40,000

#### LITERATURE

Issey Miyake Meets Lucie Rie, exh. cat., Sogetsu Gallery, Tokyo, 1989, p.116,

fig.91, for a similar example Lucie Rie, Hans Coper, and their pupils: A selection of contemporary ceramics illustrating their influence, exh. cat., Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, University of East Anglia, Norwich, 1990, front cover for a similar example Tony Birks, *Lucie Ri*e, Paris, 2008, p. 181 for a similar example

*Lucie Rie: A Retrospective*, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo, 2010, p. 240 for a similar example



# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

#### Lidded pot, circa 1956

Porcelain, radiating inlaid design, manganese and matte blue glazes on the interior.

4% in. (10.5 cm) high, 7% in. (18.2 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$5,000-7,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 7, 1983, lot 136  $\,$ 

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, fig.120, p. 76 for a similar example

a similar example Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 60 for a similar example



LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Flaring footed bowl, circa 1978
Porcelain, golden manganese glaze, radiating inlaid and sgraffito design.
3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. (9.5 cm) high, 8<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> in. (22 cm) diameter
Impressed with artist's seal.

# Estimate \$25,000-35,000

# LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, p. 141 for a similar example



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

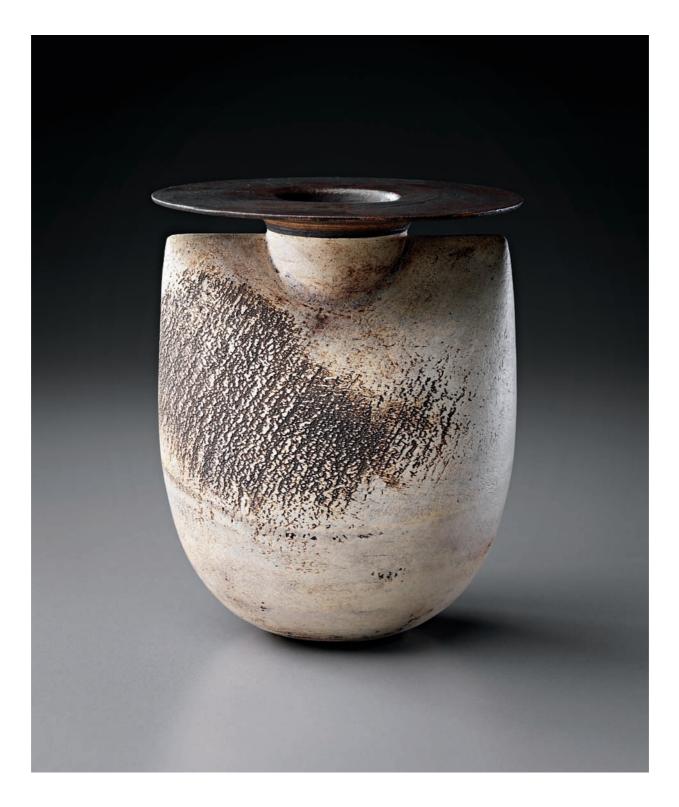
Composite form with vertical central disc, circa 1972 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $13\% \times 7\% \times 3\%$  in. (33.3 x 20 x 9 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

#### LITERATURE

Garth Clark, *The Potter's Art*, London, 1995, p. 179 Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 99 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 118 and pp. 140-41 for similar examples





HANS COPER 1920-1981

"Sack and disc" form, circa 1969 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior and disc with manganese glaze. 7¾ in. (18.8 cm) high, 6¼ in. (15.8 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$16,000-24,000

#### PROVENANCE

Fischer Fine Art, London Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," July 23, 1984, lot 176

LITERATURE Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, p. 147 for a similar example

# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Ovoid volume with disc top, circa 1969 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior and disc with manganese glaze. 9<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> in. (24.3 cm) high, 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in. (16.5 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

LITERATURE Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, p. 134 for a similar example



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Large "Spade" form, 1967 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $16 \times 11\frac{3}{4} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$  in. (40.7 x 29 x 14 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

EXHIBITED "Hans Coper – Lucie Rie," Museum Bymans, Rotterdam, June 24-August 13, 1967

#### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, illustrated front cover



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Early and large "Thistle" form, circa 1958 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $17\frac{3}{4} \times 17\frac{3}{6} \times 7\frac{7}{6}$  in. (45 x 44 x 20 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$50,000-70,000

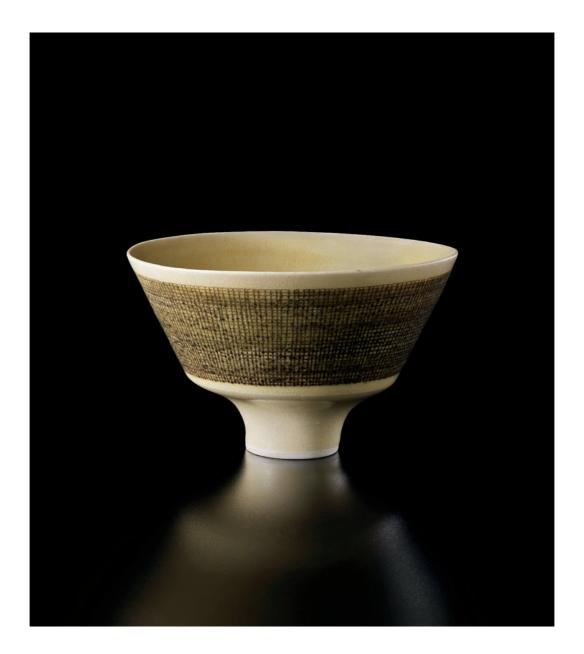
#### PROVENANCE

Sotheby's, London, "Decorative Arts including Arts & Crafts, Art Nouveau, Art Deco, Art Pottery and Studio Ceramics," November 30, 1983, lot 375 Fischer Fine Art, London

#### LITERATURE

Maya Nishi, ed., *Hans Coper Retrospective: Innovation in 20th Century Ceramics*, exh. cat., The Museum of Ceramic Art, Hyogo, 2009, p. 81 for a similar example





# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Footed bowl with inlaid band, circa 1954 Porcelain, pale yellow glaze over wide band of inlaid grid design. 45% in. (11.8 cm) high, 73% in. (18.6 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

#### PROVENANCE Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 215

# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Pot with ovoid lip, circa 1974 Porcelain, inlaid "feather" designs beneath pale yellow glaze.  $6^{34} \times 6^{34} \times 5^{36}$  in. (17 x 17 x 13.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$16,000-24,000

## LITERATURE

Garth Clark, *The Potter's Art*, London, 1995, illustrated p. 170 Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 67 for a similar example John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 42 for a similar example

Tony Birks, Lucie Rie, Paris, 2008, p. 209 for a similar example

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# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Beaker vase, circa 1954 Porcelain, inlaid "chord and disc" design beneath pale yellow glaze.  $4\% \times 4 \times 3\%$  in. (12.5 x 10.3 x 9.7 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$6,000-9,000

# PROVENANCE

Stephen Andrews Collection, London

# EXHIBITED

"Lucie Rie: A retrospective exhibition of earthenware, stoneware and porcelain 1926-1967," exh. cat., Arts Council, London, 1967, item no. 106

#### LITERATURE

Lucie Rie: A retrospective exhibition of earthenware, stoneware and porcelain 1926-1967, exh. cat., Arts Council, London, 1967, illustrated fig. VIII John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p.71, fig. 85 for a similar example





# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Large bottle vase with flaring lip, circa 1978 Stoneware, shiny white glaze with manganese brown speckle. 16½ in. (41.8 cm) high, 6% in. (17.6 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$25,000-35,000

# 93

# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Bottle vase with flared lip, circa 1976 Stoneware, matte white glaze with a manganese speckle. 11% in. (30.2 cm) high, 6¼ in. (16 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," July 8, 1986, lot 450  $\,$ 

# LITERATURE

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 78 for a similar example



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Tall bottle vase with central ovoid volume, circa 1956 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $19\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{4} \times 5\frac{7}{8}$  in. (49.5 x 21 x 15 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$18,000-25,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," January 27, 1988, lot 259 Galerie Besson, London

LITERATURE

Garth Clark, The Potter's Art, London, 1995, p. 177



# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Large bowl, circa 1980

Stoneware, matte white glaze with golden lip. 45% in. (11.6 cm) high, 11% in. (28.2 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 89, fig. 213, for a similar example

*Issey Miyake Meets Lucie Rie*, exh. cat., Sogetsu Gallery, Tokyo, 1989, fig. 27 for a similar example

Tony Birks, *Lucie Rie*, Paris, 2008, p. 212 for a similar example *Lucie Rie: A Retrospective*, exh. cat., The National Museum of Modern Art,

Tokyo, 2010, p. 231 for a similar example



# LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

*"Knitted" bowl*, circa 1982 Stoneware, inlaid with manganese beneath grey. 35% in. (9.2 cm) high, 97% in. (25.2 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$12,000-16,000

#### PROVENANCE

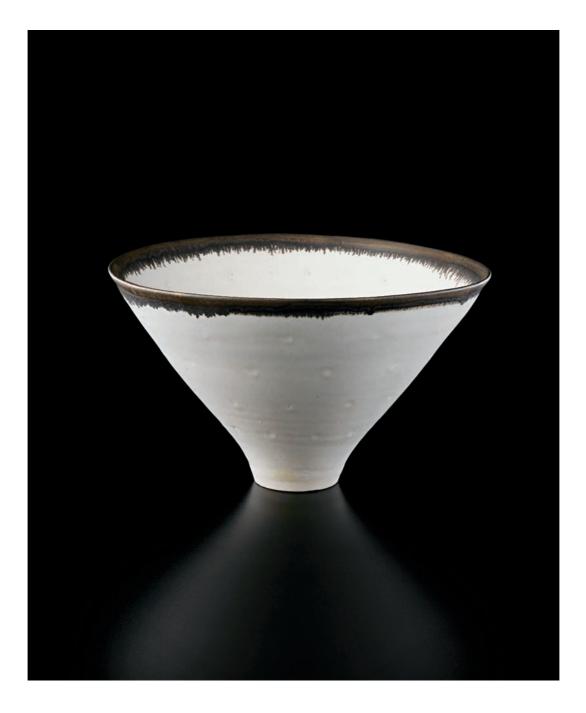
Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 203

## LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 56 for a similar example







**LUCIE RIE** 1902-1995

Large conical "Rice" bowl, circa 1978 Porcelain, matte white glaze with golden lip, the glaze flowing into pierced dots in the body. 4¼ in. (10.8 cm) high, 7½ in. (19.2 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

## Estimate \$12,000-16,000

#### LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 75, fig. 112, for a similar example

Garth Clark, The Potter's Art, London, 1995, p. 170

Serene Beauty: Lucie Rie Retrospective 100th Anniversary of her Birth, exh. cat., The Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park / The Museum of Contemporary Ceramic Art, Shigaraki, 2002, p. 50 for a similar example

LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Deep bowl, circa 1956

Porcelain, manganese and white glazes, with a deep band of fine *sgraffito* design.

4¾ x 7½ x 6½ in. (12.2 x 18.2 x 17.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

## LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, fig. 73, p. 70 for a similar example





## HANS COPER 1920-1981

Early "Thistle" form, circa 1958

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $55\% \times 8\% \times 3\%$  in. (14.3 x 20.5 x 9 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

#### Estimate \$14,000-18,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 235 Christie's London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," January 27, 1988, lot 257 Galerie Besson, London

#### LITERATURE

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, p. 18 for a similar example Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 117 for a similar example

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# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Large bottle, circa 1958

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze. 17% in. (44.4 cm) high, 6% in. (16 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$15,000-20,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's London, "Contemporary Ceramics," November 23, 1987, lot 191 Fischer Fine Art, London

#### LITERATURE

Margot Coatts, ed., *Lucie Rie & Hans Coper: Potters in Parallel*, exh. cat., Barbican Art Gallery, London, 1997, pp. 18, 74 for similar examples



# HANS COPER 1920-1981

Composite form with vertical impression, circa 1969 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $5\frac{3}{4} \times 5\frac{1}{2} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$  in. (14.5 x 15 x 14 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$14,000-18,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "British Decorative Arts from 1880 to the Present Day," July 8, 1986, lot 479

LITERATURE

Tony Birks, Hans Coper, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 67, 199 for similar examples



### HANS COPER 1920-1981

Tall "Cycladic" form, 1967

Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $14\frac{5}{8} \times 2\frac{5}{8}$  in. (37 x 6.8 x 6.8 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$25,000-35,000

### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 231

#### LITERATURE

Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, p. 150 for a similar example Maya Nishi, ed., *Hans Coper Retrospective: Innovation in 20th Century Ceramics*, exh. cat., The Museum of Ceramic Art, Hyogo, 2009, p. 110, fig. 490 for a similar example

### 103

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

Pot with ovoid volume and flattened neck, circa 1972 Stoneware, black glaze.

6¾ x 5¼ x 3¾ in. (17 x 13 x 9.5 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$12,000-16,000

LITERATURE Tony Birks, *Hans Coper*, Yeovil, 2006, pp. 149, 211 for similar examples





HANS COPER 1920-1981

Black "Cycladic" pot, circa 1974 Stoneware, black glaze.  $7\% \times 1\% \times 1\%$  in. (20 x 4.2 x 4 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$12,000-16,000

### LITERATURE

Lucie Rie, Hans Coper, and their pupils: A selection of contemporary ceramics illustrating their influence, exh. cat., Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, University of East Anglia, Norwich, 1990, p. 17 for a similar example Maya Nishi, ed., Hans Coper Retrospective: Innovation in 20th Century Ceramics, exh. cat., The Museum of Ceramic Art, Hyogo, 2009, p. 110, fig. 92 for a similar example

### HANS COPER 1920-1981

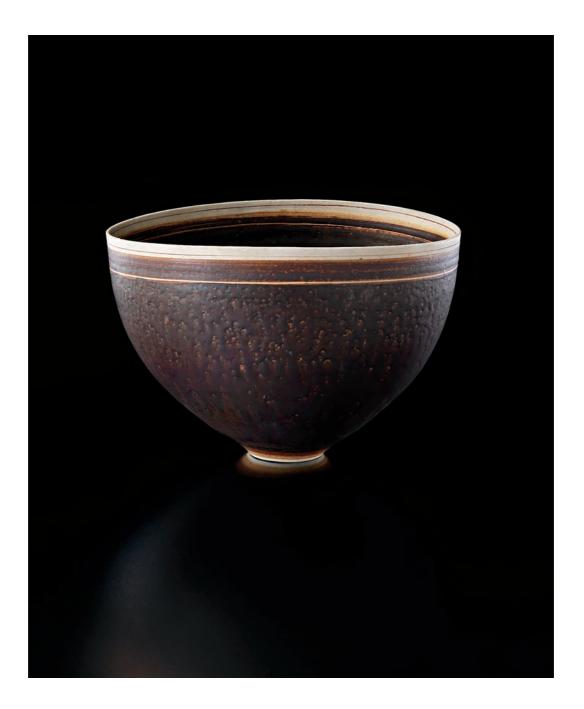
Ovoid volume with flattened cylinder, circa 1968 Stoneware, layered white porcelain slips and engobes over a body with textured and incised linear designs, the interior with manganese glaze.  $13\% \times 8\% \times 8\%$  in. (35.5 x 22 x 22 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$25,000-35,000

### PROVENANCE

Sotheby's, London, "Decorative Arts including Arts & Crafts, Art Nouveau, Art Deco, Art Pottery and Studio Ceramics," November 30, 1984, lot 489





## 106 LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Deep bowl with oval lip, circa 1956 Porcelain, manganese glaze, sgraffito and inlaid bands at the lip.  $53\% \times 814 \times 71\%$  in. (13.7 x 20.8 x 18.2 cm) Impressed with artist's seal.

Estimate \$16,000-24,000

LITERATURE

John Houston, ed., *Lucie Rie: a survey of her life and work*, exh. cat., Crafts Council and The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 1981, p. 73, fig. 94, for a similar example

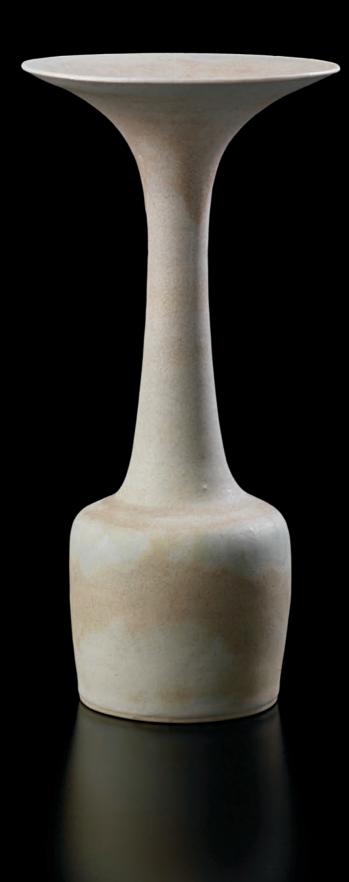
### LUCIE RIE 1902-1995

Vase with elongated neck, circa 1968 Porcelain, duck egg blue and peach colored glazes. 11¾ in. (30 cm) high, 5‰ in. (14.8 cm) diameter Impressed with artist's seal.

### Estimate \$18,000-25,000

### PROVENANCE

Christie's, London, "Contemporary Ceramics," December 16, 1985, lot 211





## 108 JOSEF HOFFMANN 1870-1956

*"Haus Koller" armchair*, designed circa 1911, manufactured circa 1980 Mohair velvet, ebonized wood.  $36\frac{1}{2} \times 36 \times 33$  in. (92.7 x 91.4 x 83.8 cm) Manufactured by Franz Wittmann, Austria. Underside with firm's bronze tag.

Estimate \$3,000-4,000

### LITERATURE

Mark Emery, *Furniture by Architects*, New York, 1983, p. 145 Jerryll Habegger and Joseph H. Osman, *Sourcebook of Modern Furniture*, New York, 2005, p. 387



### LORD SNOWDON (ANTONY ARMSTRONG JONES) b. 1930

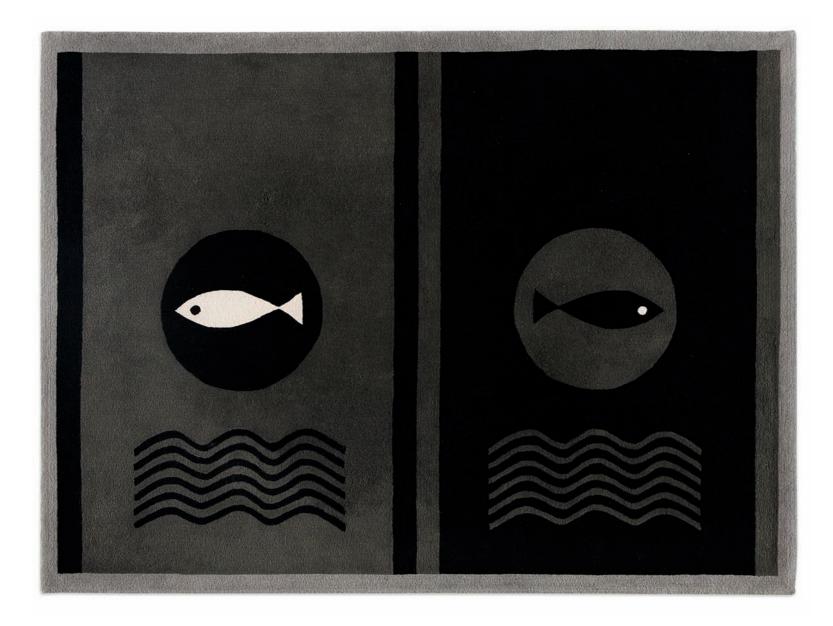
Dame Lucie Rie Seated Beside the Korean Pot, circa 1990 Color photograph. Image:  $115\% \times 115\%$  in. (29.5 x 29.5 cm) Sheet: 15 x 12 in. (38.1 x 30.5 cm)

Lower left signed in pen with SNOWDON.

Estimate \$2,000-3,000

PROVENANCE

Bonhams, Knightsbridge, "The Art & Influence of Asia," September 16, 1998, lot 104



ANDRÉE PUTMAN 1925-2013

Rug, circa 1990 Virgin wool. 71 x 95 in. (180.3 x 241.3 cm) Manufactured by Tai Ping, Hong Kong. With manufacturer's tags.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000



### LUDWIG MIES VAN DER ROHE 1886-1969

Chair and sofa, designed circa 1930, manufactured 1970s Leather, mahogany-veneered wood. Sofa:  $30 \times 90 \times 32$  in. (76.2 x 228.6 x 81.3 cm) Chair:  $30 \times 34\frac{1}{4} \times 32$  in. (76.2 x 87 x 81.3 cm) Manufactured by Knoll International, USA.

Estimate \$4,000-6,000

#### LITERATURE

Christiane Lange, *Ludwig Mies van der Rohe & Lilly Reich: Furniture and Interiors*, Krefeld, 2006, p. 185 for a circa 1930 example

## 112

### LUCIA MERCER

Pair of "Stump" side tables, circa 1982 Nero Marquina marble. Each: 14<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub> x 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> x 13 in. (37.8 x 36.2 x 33 cm) Manufactured by Knoll International, USA. Underside of each engraved with designer's monogram.

Estimate \$3,000-4,000

### LITERATURE

Jerryll Habegger and Joseph H. Osman, Sourcebook of Modern Furniture, New York, 2005, p. 78





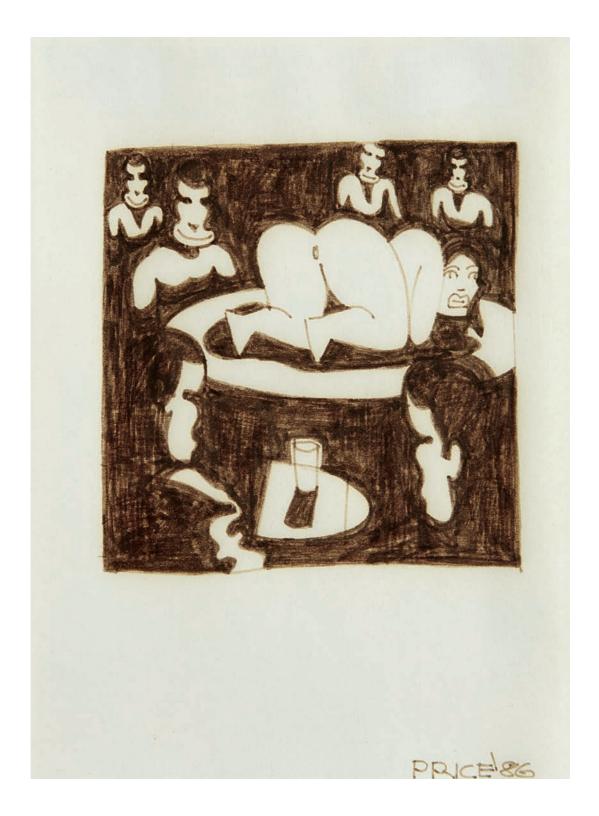


### **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Three studies, 1986 Ink on paper. Various sizes, largest sheet: 13 x 11 in. (33 x 27.9 cm) Lower right signed and dated *PRICE* '86.

Estimate \$20,000-30,000

PROVENANCE Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986



"... if you can't draw it you can't see it."

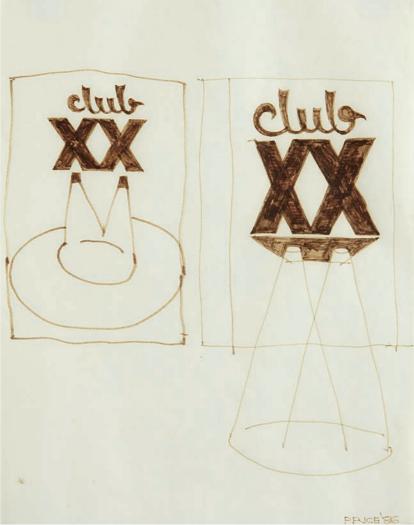


**KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Two works: "Study for Vase Decor," 1986 and Untitled, 1986 Ink on paper. Various sizes, largest sheet: 13 x 11 in. (33 x 27.9 cm) Lower front edge of one image titled in pen with Study for Vase Decor, lower front right edge of each signed and dated PRICE '86.

Estimate \$10,000-15,000

**PROVENANCE** Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986



### **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Two works: "Study for Club Vase" and "Study for Vase 'Club Atomica,'" 1986 Ink on paper. 8¾ x 11½ in. (21.3 x 28.3 cm) Lower left titled in pencil with Study for Club Vase and Study for Vase "Club Atomica" respectively. Lower right of each signed and dated PRICE '86.

Estimate \$15,000-20,000

**PROVENANCE** Willard Gallery, New York Acquired from the above, 1986







### **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Group of twelve "Town Wares," from the "Easter Island" series, circa 1977 Glazed ceramic. Vase: 14 in. (35.6 cm) high Round plate: 11½ in. (28.3 cm) diameter Oval plates: 11½ x 7½ in. (29.2 x 19.1 cm) Tallest cup: 3 in. (7.6 cm) high Comprising one "Town vase," one round "Town plate," five oval "Town plates" and five "Town cups." Underside of four pieces with hand-numbered paper tags.

Estimate \$30,000-40,000

#### LITERATURE

"Ken Price: A Talk with Slides," *The Chinati Foundation Newsletter*, vol. 10, October 2005, p. 29, figs. 64-66 for similar examples













### AFRA SCARPA and TOBIA SCARPA b. 1937, b. 1935

Pair of "Soriana" sofas, lounge chair and ottoman, 1977 Leather, Dacron fiberfill, and chromium-plated steel. Each sofa:  $27\frac{1}{4} \times 99\frac{1}{2} \times 39$  in. (69.2 x  $252.7 \times 99.1$  cm) Chair:  $27\frac{1}{4} \times 35 \times 50$  in (69.2 x  $88.9 \times 127$  cm) Ottoman:  $15 \times 32 \times 29$  in ( $38.1 \times 81.3 \times 73.7$  cm) Manufactured by Atelier International, Ltd., USA for Cassina, Italy. Underside of each with manufacturer's tags dated 1977.

Estimate \$12,000-16,000

#### LITERATURE

Giuliana Gramigna, Repertorio 1950/1980, Milan, 1985, p. 318 for the chair and ottoman

(illustrated on previous pages and detail at right)

### 118

### BETTY LEE STERN b. 1936

Custom carpet, 1990s Wool.  $165\% x\,240 \text{ in.} (420.4\,x\,609.6\,\text{cm})$ Manufactured by Tai Ping, Hong Kong. With manufacturer's tags.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000

(illustrated on previous pages and detail at right)



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### CINI BOERI b. 1924

"Lunario" coffee table, 1970s Chromium-plated steel, glass.  $16\% \times 59 \times 43\%$  in. (42.9 x 149.9 x 109.9 cm) Manufactured by Knoll International, USA. Tabletop with V.A.P decal.

Estimate \$3,000-4,000

## 120

### MARCEL BREUER 1902-1981

Pair of vitrines, model no. S40, designed circa 1924, manufactured 1980s Glass, painted wood, bronze. Each:  $64\frac{5}{8} \times 31\frac{1}{2} \times 31\frac{1}{2}$  in. (164.1 x 80 x 80 cm) Manufactured by Tecta, Germany.

Estimate \$3,000-4,000

(illustrated on previous pages and detail at right)



"The form of a pot is the main part of its spiritual substance... It is also unique as to the hour or the minute it was made. The same pot does not happen twice."

OTTO NATZLER

## 121

### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Monumental vase, 1962 Earthenware, textured surface, bronze and verdigris glaze. 13½ in. (34.3 cm) high Underside signed with *NATZLER* and with original inventory label printed *M075*.

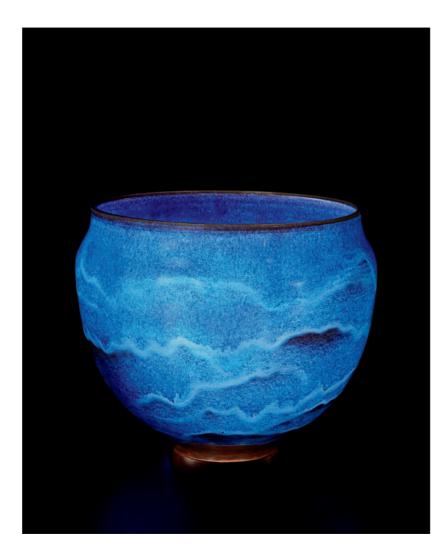
Estimate \$8,000-12,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's East, New York, "20th Century Decorative Arts," December 8, 1998, lot 36

Phillips would like to thank Barbara Jo Lubitz for her assistance in cataloguing lots 121-140.







### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Large vase, 1962 Earthenware, blue glaze with flow patterns. 8½ in. (21.6 cm) high Underside signed with NATZLER and with original inventory label printed M446.

### Estimate \$8,000-12,000

PROVENANCE Acquired directly from the artists Thence by descent

Clars Auction Gallery, Oakland, California, November 7, 2010, lot 6156

## 123

## GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007 Large dish, 1960

Earthenware, blue crystalline glaze with flow patterns and smoke marks. 11¼ in. (28.6 cm) diameter Underside signed with *NATZLER* and with original inventory label printed *L100*.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000

#### LITERATURE

Lloyd E. Herman, et. al., *Form and Fire: Natzler Ceramics* 1939-1972, exh. cat., The Renwick Gallery of the National Collection of the Fine Arts, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC, 1973, p. 55. cat. no 67 for a similar glaze GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Bowl, 1963, and bottle, 1959, Earthenware, "mystic" blue glaze. Bowl: 6½ in. (16.8 cm) diameter Bottle: 9¼ in. (23.5 cm) high Underside of both signed with NATZLER, the bowl with original inventory label printed M701 and the bottle with original inventory label printed K556.

Estimate \$10,000-15,000

### LITERATURE

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Gertrud and Otto Natzler: Collaboration/Solitude, American Craft Museum, New York, July 15-October 10, 1993 for examples of the "mystic" glaze



### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Footed vase, 1964 Black earthenware, ivory celadon reduction glaze with melt fissures, flow patterns and throwing rings. 4 in. (10.2 cm) high Underside signed with NATZLER, with original inventory label printed N357 and with red sticker.

#### Estimate \$3,000-5,000

**PROVENANCE** Private collection of the artists Treadway Gallery, Oak Park, Illinois, November 23, 1997, lot 639



## 126 GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Footed vase, date unknown Earthenware, blue and brown volcanic glaze. 4¼ in. (10.8 cm) high Underside signed with NATZLER.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000



### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Squat closed-form vase, 1967 Black earthenware, "mariposa" glaze with melt fissures. 45% in. (11.7 cm) high Underside signed with NATZLER, with original inventory label printed N954 and second label printed O & G NATZLER: "Mariposa RG Squ…/Bottle": (N954): ceramic: 5 x/10 dia.; unique 1967.

#### Estimate \$4,000-6,000

#### LITERATURE

*Gertrud and Otto Natzler: Collaboration/Solitude*, exh. cat., American Craft Museum, New York, 1993, p. 27 for a similar example of the form



### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

#### Closed-form vase, completed 1975

Black earthenware, "dark peach blossom" glaze with craters, melt fissures, smoke marks and elephant skin.

### 6½ in. (16.5 cm) high

Underside signed with *NATZLER/+* and with original inventory label printed 0584.

#### Estimate \$4,000-6,000

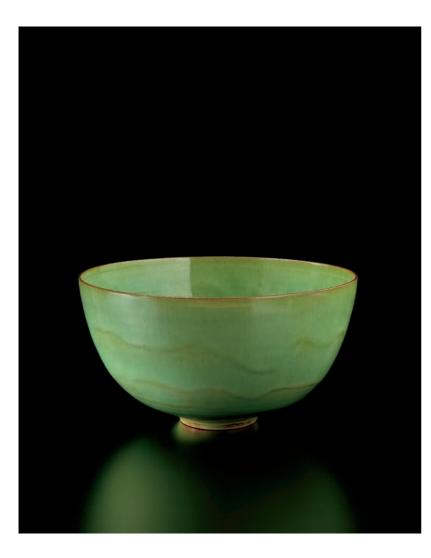
#### PROVENANCE

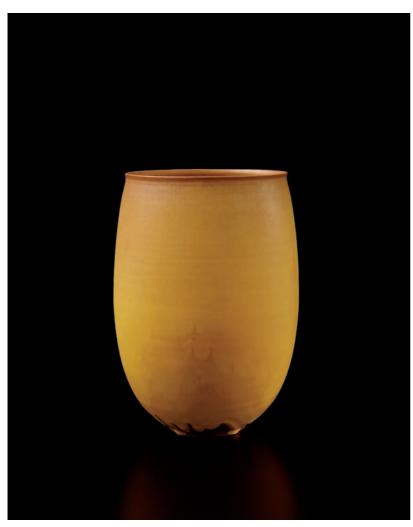
Christie's East, New York, "20th Century Decorative Arts" December 8, 1998, lot 34

#### EXHIBITED

"Natzler," Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles, October 4-November 13, 1977, then traveled to: Scottsdale Center for the Arts, November 25-December 31, 1977, Northern Arizona University, January 19 - February 17, 1978

The present lot was thrown by Gertrud prior to her death and posthumously glazed by Otto.





**GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER** 1908-1971, 1908-2007 Large bowl, date unknown Earthenware, shiny "verte de lune" glaze with flow patterns. 85% in. (21.9 cm) diameter Underside signed with *NATZLER*.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000

## 130

**GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER** 1908-1971, 1908-2007 *Tall cylindrical vase*, circa 1963 Earthenware, matte yellow glaze with throwing rings. 8½ in. (21.6 cm) high Underside signed with *NATZLER* and with remnants of an unidentified label.

Estimate \$4,000-6,000

#### PROVENANCE

Christie's East, New York, "20th Century Design," June 10, 1996, lot 677

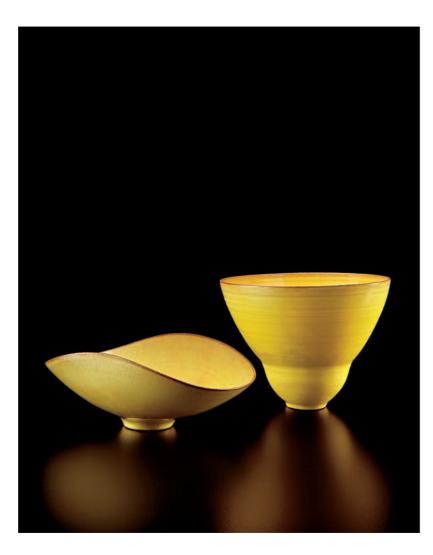
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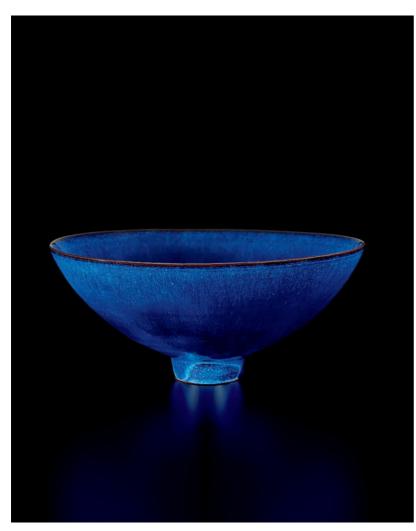
"Ceramics by Gertrud and Otto Natzler," The Art Institute of Chicago, April 13-June 9, 1963, then traveled to: San Francisco Museum of Art, July 2-August 18, 1963, Saint Paul Art Center, Minnesota, November 22-January 2, 1964, Museum of Contemporary Crafts, New York, July 15-October 10, 1964

**GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER** 1908-1971, 1908-2007 Early bowl and vase, 1940-1942 Earthenware, "old turquoise" glaze with flow patterns. Bowl: 11½ in. (28.3 cm) diameter Vase: 8 in. (20.3 cm) high Underside of bowl signed with G + O/NATZLER, underside of vase signed with NATZLER.

Estimate \$10,000-15,000







### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Oval footed bowl, 1960 Double curved vase, circa 1960 Earthenware, yellow glaze, with throwing rings Bowl: 8 in. (20.3 cm) wide Vase: 51/s in. (13 cm) high Underside of each signed NATZLER, bowl with original inventory label printed L154.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000

## 133

### **GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER** 1908-1971, 1908-2007 Footed bowl, 1966 Earthenware, "mystic" blue glaze. 7% in. (20 cm) diameter Underside signed with NATZLER and with original inventory label printed N846.

Estimate \$4,000-6,000

GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Bowl, 1958, and bottle with flaring top, 1959

Bowl: earthenware, dark blue glaze with crystal formations, fire marks and smoke traces; bottle: earthenware, dark blue glaze with crystal formations. Bowl: 65% in. (16.8 cm) diameter

Bottle: 7 in. (17.8 cm) high

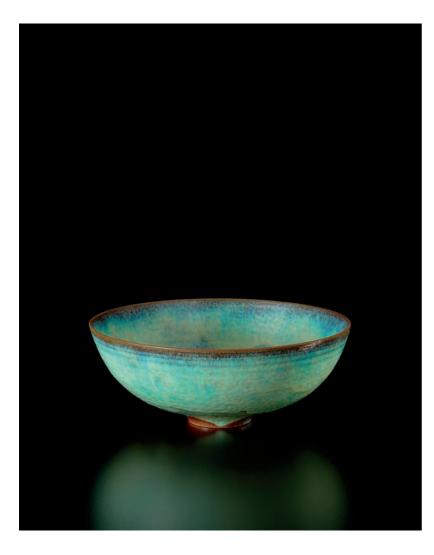
Underside of each signed with *NATZLER*, the bowl with original inventory label printed *K035* and the bottle with original inventory label printed *K399*.

Estimate \$10,000-15,000

#### PROVENANCE

For the vase: Treadway Gallery, Oak Park, Illinois, "20th Century Auction," May 4, 1997, lot 604







GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Bowl, 1962
Earthenware, semi-matte "old turquoise" glaze with crystal formations.
8½ in. (20.6 cm) diameter
Underside signed with NATZLER and with original inventory label printed M219.

Estimate \$3,500-4,500

# 136

**GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER** 1908-1971, 1908-2007 Footed vase, 1962 Earthenware, blue, turquoise and copper glaze with iridescence, crystal formations and flow patterns. 9¼ in. (23.5 cm) high Underside signed with NATZLER and with original inventory label printed M163.

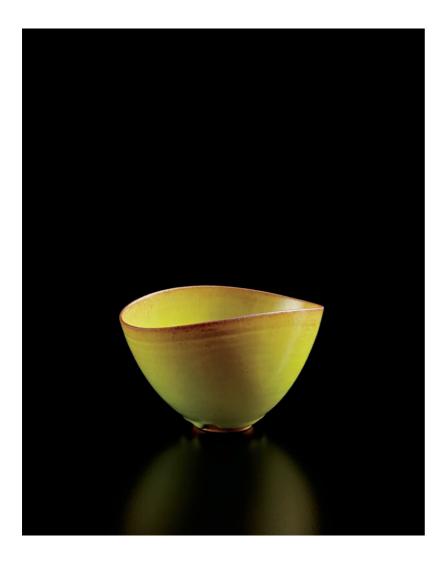
Estimate \$8,000-12,000

GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Bowl, 1950s Earthenware, shiny black glaze with muted grey, blue and brown tones. 10¾ in. (26.4 cm) diameter Underside signed with NATZLER.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000







### GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Oval bowl, date unknown Earthenware, matte velvet chartreuse glaze. 5¾ in. (13.7 cm) wide Underside signed with NATZLER.

Estimate \$3,000-4,000

# 139

### **GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER** 1908-1971, 1908-2007 *Oval bowl*, 1950s Earthenware, shiny black glaze with muted grey, blue and brown tones.

12½ in. (30.8 cm) wide Underside signed with NATZLER.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000

GERTRUD and OTTO NATZLER 1908-1971, 1908-2007

Footed bowl, 1957 Earthenware, verdigris and copper crystalline glaze with glaze flow and throwing rings. 7% in. (19.4 cm) diameter Underside signed with NATZLER, and with original inventory label printed J105.

Estimate \$5,000-7,000



# LADDIE JOHN DILL b. 1943

*"Light Wedge,"* 1971 Neon light, steel, polished plate glass, cement with black iron oxide, transformer. 110 x 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> x 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. (279.4 x 21.6 x 9.5 cm) Signed and dated.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

**PROVENANCE** Acquired directly from the artist, California

# RON ARAD b. 1951

"Rolling Volume" chair, circa 1991 Mirror-polished stainless steel.  $29 \times 32\frac{1}{2} \times 36$  in. (73.7  $\times 82.6 \times 91.4$  cm) Produced by One Off, London. Number 7 from the edition of 20 mirror-polished examples.

Estimate \$50,000-70,000

# PROVENANCE

Acquired directly from the designer, 1993

## LITERATURE

Deyan Sudjic, *Ron Arad*, London, 1999, pp. 62-63 Matthew Collings, *Ron Arad talks to Matthew Collings*, New York, 2004, pp. 98-99

*Ron Arad, A Retrospective Exhibition 1981-2001, exh. cat., Barry Friedman Ltd., New York, 2005, pp. 73-75* 

Paola Antonelli, Jonathan Safran Foer, Marie-Laure Jousset, *Ron Arad: No Discipline*, New York, 2009, p. 51





# **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

"Where We Live" (Decoration for Bowl), 1981 Charcoal, graphite and ink on illustration board. Image:  $5\frac{3}{4} \times 8\frac{1}{4}$  in. (14.6 x 21 cm) Sheet:  $11\frac{1}{2} \times 14\frac{1}{2}$  in. (29.2 x 36.8 cm) Lower edge titled in pencil with "WHERE WE LIVE" (DECORATION FOR BOWL), lower right edge signed and dated PRICE '81.

# Estimate \$6,000-9,000

PROVENANCE Christie's, New York, "Contemporary Art, Part II," November 13, 1986, lot 264 "The cup essentially presents a set of formal restrictions – sort of a preordained structure." KEN PRICE



# 144

# **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

"Pueblo Cup" in an enclosed wood box construction, circa 1981 Partially-glazed ceramic, birch-veneered plywood, clear glass, frosted glass, painted wood, brass. Cup: 3¼ in. (8.3 cm) high, 3¾ in. (8.6 cm) wide

Box: 12¼ x 10¼ x 5½ in. (30.8 x 27.6 x 14 cm)

# Estimate \$5,000-7,000

# LITERATURE

*Ken Price Sculpture: A Retrospective*, exh. cat., Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, 2013, pp. 217-18 for earlier examples of cups in boxes



**KEN PRICE** 1935-2012 Dish, from the "Cityscape" series, circa 1991 Glazed ceramic. 2<sup>3</sup>% in. (6 cm) high, 9<sup>5</sup>% in. (24.4 cm) diameter

# Estimate \$5,000-7,000

**PROVENANCE** Christie's, New York, "Important Contemporary International Design," December 10, 1993, lot 97



**KEN PRICE** 1935-2012 Large bowl, from the "Cityscape" series, circa 1991 Glazed ceramic. 3¼ in. (8.3 cm) high, 11¾ in. (29.8 cm) diameter

# Estimate \$6,000-9,000

**PROVENANCE** Christie's, New York, "Important Contemporary International Design," December 10, 1993, lot 98



# **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Untitled, 1991 Watercolor, ink and colored pencil on Arches paper. Sheet:  $25\frac{1}{2} \times 36\frac{3}{4}$  in. ( $64.8 \times 93.3$  cm) Image:  $18\frac{1}{8} \times 29\frac{1}{4}$  in. ( $46 \times 74.3$  cm) Lower right signed and dated in pencil with PRICE '91.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

## PROVENANCE

James Corcoran Gallery, Santa Monica, California The Greenberg Gallery, St. Louis, Missouri Charles Cowles Gallery, New York

## LITERATURE

Douglas Dreishpoon, ed., *Ken Price: Slow and Steady Wins the Race, Works on Paper 1962–2010*, exh. cat., The Drawing Center, New York, 2013, pl. 39 for a similar example



**KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Untitled, 1991 Watercolor, ink and colored pencil on Arches paper. Image:  $16 \times 22$  in. (40.6 x 55.9 cm) Sheet:  $20\frac{1}{8} \times 26$  in. (51.1 x 66 cm) Lower right is signed and dated in pencil with *PRICE* '91.

Estimate \$8,000-12,000

## PROVENANCE

James Corcoran Gallery, Santa Monica, California Greenberg Gallery, St. Louis, Missouri

# LITERATURE

Douglas Dreishpoon, ed., *Ken Price: Slow and Steady Wins the Race, Works on Paper 1962–2010*, exh. cat., The Drawing Center, New York, 2013, pl. 39 for a similar example

# **KEN PRICE** 1935-2012

Bowl, from the "Cityscape" series, circa 1991 Glazed ceramic.  $4\frac{3}{1}$  in. (11.1 cm) high,  $5\frac{3}{4}$  in. (14.6 cm) diameter

Estimate \$6,000-9,000

PROVENANCE

James Corcoran Gallery, Santa Monica, California Acquired from the above, 1991







# **RICARDO ROSSO, PIERO DEROSSI** and GIORGIO CERETTI

Pair of "Puffo" stools, designed 1968, manufactured 1986 Polyurethane foam. Each: 18½ in. (47 cm) high, 20¾ in. (52.7 cm)

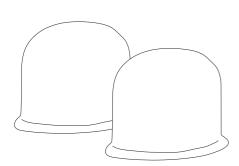
diameter Each from the edition of 1000. Underside of

each stamped GUFRAM MULTIPLI '86 / PUFFO, respectively numbered 21 / 1000 and 24 / 1000.

# Estimate \$3,000-4,000

## LITERATURE

Albrecht Bangert, Italian Furniture Design: Ideas Styles Movements, Munich, 1988, p. 86



# 155 **GÜNTER BELTZIG** b. 1941

"Floris" stacking chair, designed 1967, produced 1992

Molded fiberglass-reinforced polyester. 42 x 181/2 x 231/2 in. (106.7 x 47 x 59.7 cm) Editioned by Galerie Objeckte, Austria. Number 86 from the edition of 100. Underside inscribed with 86 / 100/Gunter Beltzig in silver marker.

# Estimate \$2,000-3,000

LITERATURE Philippe Garner, Contemporary Decorative Arts from 1940 to the present day, London, 1990, p. 50

Estimate \$1,000-1,500

151

FRANK GEHRY b. 1929

Bent maple laminated plywood.

Pair of "Hat Trick" armchairs, 1992

# LITERATURE

David A. Hanks, Anne Hoy and Martin Eidelberg, Design for Living: Furniture and Lighting 1950-2000, exh. cat., Montreal Museum of Decorative Arts, Paris, 2000, p. 202

Each: 33¼ x 22¾ x 21¾ in. (84.5 x 56.8 x 55.2 cm)

Manufactured by Knoll, USA. Each branded with

designer's signature and Knoll/MADE IN USA,

respectively dated 10 / 02 / 92 and 7 / 10 / 92.



# 156

# RICK OWENS b. 1962

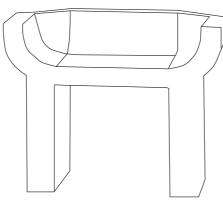
"Curial" chair, circa 2006 Plywood.

26 x 325% x 23 in. (66 x 82.9 x 58.4 cm) Number 5 from the edition of 25. One leg with metal tag signed Rick Owens and impressed 5/25

## Estimate \$6,000-8,000

## PROVENANCE

Galerie Jousse Entreprise, Paris Hedge Gallery, San Francisco Phillips de Pury & Company, New York, "Design," June 9, 2010, lot 206



# 152

# **FRANCO MELLO and** GUIDO DROCCO b. 1945, b. 1942

Set of three "Giant Cactus" coat stands, circa 1972

Painted injection-molded foam, steel. Tallest: 66½ in. (168.9 cm)

Manufactured by Gufram, Italy and retailed by Stendig Inc., USA. Each from the edition of 2000. Underside of each stamped GUFRAM MULTIPLI '86 / PUFFO, respectively numbered 245 / 2000, 251 / 2000 and 253 / 2000.

# Estimate \$6,000-9,000

PROVENANCE Stendig Inc., New York

## LITERATURE

Giuliana Gramigna, Repertorio 1950/1980, Milan, 1985, p. 370

Albrecht Bangert, Italian Furniture Design: Ideas Styles Movements, Munich, 1988, p. 100 David A. Hanks, Anne Hoy and Martin Eidelberg, Design for Living: Furniture and Lighting 1950-2000, The Liliane and David M. Stewart Collection, exh. cat., Montreal Museum of Decorative Arts, Paris, 2000, p. 116

# 157

# **ELIZABETH GAROUSTE and**

MATTIA BONETTI b. 1949, b. 1953 "Prince Impérial" chair, circa 1985 Painted found wood, painted tree branches, raffia. 54 x 175% x 187% in. (137.2 x 44.8 x 47.9 cm) Edited by Galerie Néotù, France. Front of seat with painted monogram B.G.

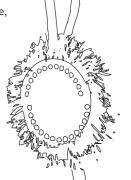
# Estimate \$5,000-7,000

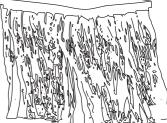
## PROVENANCE

Donna Schneier Fine Arts, New York Acquired from the above, 2005

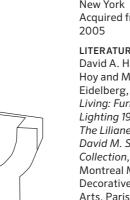
## LITERATURE

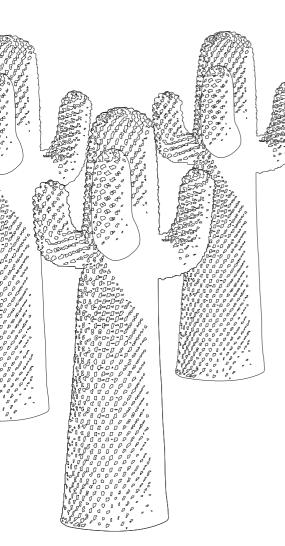
David A. Hanks, Anne Hoy and Martin Eidelberg, Design for Living: Furniture and Lighting 1950-2000, The Liliane and David M. Stewart Collection, exh. cat., Montreal Museum of Decorative Arts, Paris, 2000, p. 176











# MARCEL WANDERS b. 1963

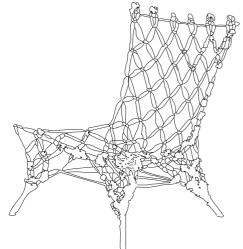
"Knotted Rouge" chair, 2006

Epoxy-coated carbon and aramid fiber cord. 28½ x 21½ x 25¼ in. (71.4 x 54.6 x 64.1 cm) Produced by Cappellini, Italy. Number 48 from the edition of 99. Tag printed with KNOTTED ROUGE/LIMITED EDITION/2006/MARCEL WANDERS/48.

Estimate \$6,000-9,000

## LITERATURE

David A. Hanks, Anne Hoy and Martin Eidelberg, *Design for Living: Furniture and Lighting 1950-2000, The Liliane and David M. Stewart Collection,* exh. cat., Montreal Museum of Decorative Arts, Paris, 2000, p. 208 Jerryll Habegger and Joseph H. Osman, *Sourcebook of Modern Furniture,* New York, 2005, p. 471



# 153

# MARC NEWSON b. 1963

*"Felt" chair*, designed 1993, produced 2005 Lacquered fiberglass, chromium-plated steel. 32<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> x 25<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> x 39 in. (83.2 x 64.8 x 99.1 cm) Manufactured by Cappellini, Italy. Number 96 from the edition of 99. Tag printed with *FELT CHAIR LIMITED EDITION/2005 / MARC NEWSON /* 96-99.

# Estimate \$4,000-6,000

### LITERATURE

Alice Rawsthorn, *Marc Newson*, London, 1999, pp. 52-55, 213 for the form

# 154

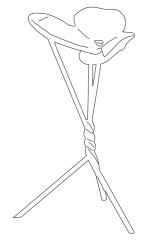
# NIGEL COATES b. 1949

"Genie" stool, circa 1988 Oak, painted steel. 26½ x 13½ x 17¼ in (67.3 x 34.3 x 43.8 cm)

Estimate \$1,500-2,000

## LITERATURE

Charlotte and Peter Fiell, *1000 Chairs*, Cologne, 1997, p. 615





# TOM DIXON b. 1959

"Bull Kitchen" chair, circa 1986 Welded and patinated salvaged metal.  $30\frac{1}{4} \times 15 \times 17\frac{1}{2}$  in. (76.8 x 38.1 x 44.5 cm) From the edition of 40.

Estimate \$3,000-4,000

## LITERATURE

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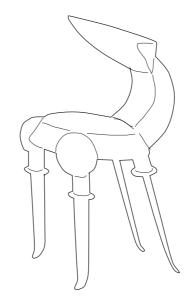
Claire Downey, *Neo Furniture*, London, 1992, p. 129 Gareth Williams and Nick Wright, *Cut and Shut: The History of Creative Salvage*, London, 2012, p. 56

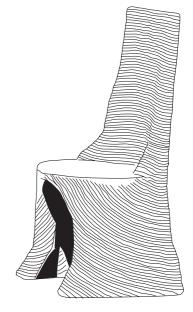
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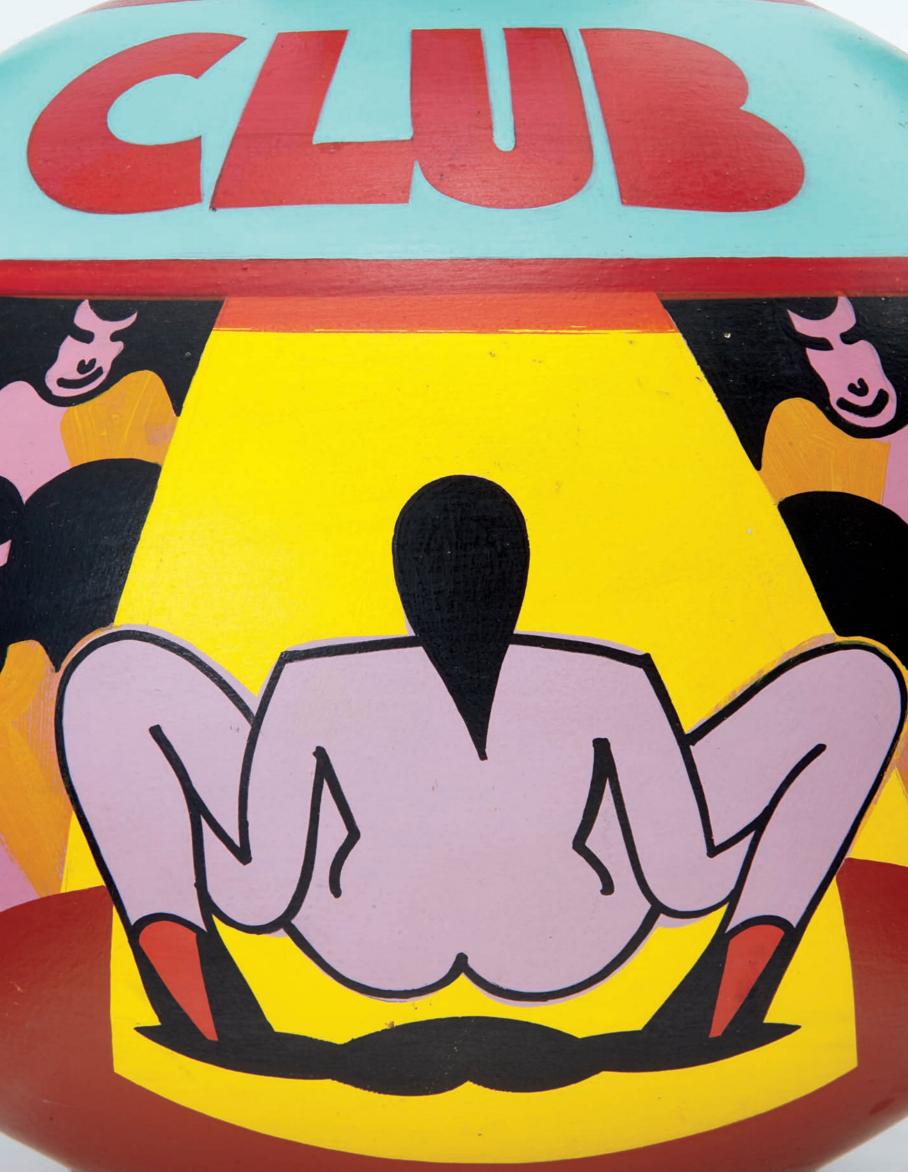
# CHRISTIAN ASTUGUEVIEILLE b. 1946

*"Mitak" chair*, 1997 Painted rope, wood. 40 x 16 x 20 in. (101.6 x 40.6 x 50.8 cm) Retailed by Holly Hunt, USA. Underside with gold tag impressed *C. ASTUGUEVIEILLE* 97.

Estimate \$1,000-1,500







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#### **Pre-Sale Estimates in Pounds Sterling and Euros**

Although the sale is conducted in US dollars, the pre-sale estimates in the auction catalogues may also be printed in pounds sterling and/or euros. Since the exchange rate is that at the time of catalogue production and not at the date of auction, you should treat estimates in pounds sterling or euros as a guide only.

#### **Catalogue Entries**

Phillips may print in the catalogue entry the history of ownership of a work of art, as well as the exhibition history of the property and references to the work in art publications. While we are careful in the cataloguing process, provenance, exhibition and literature references may not be exhaustive and in some cases we may intentionally refrain from disclosing the identity of previous owners. Please note that all dimensions of the property set forth in the catalogue entry are approximate.

#### **Condition of Lots**

Our catalogues include references to condition only in the descriptions of multiple works (e.g., prints). Such references, though, do not amount to a full description of condition. The absence of reference to the condition of a lot in the catalogue entry does not imply that the lot is free from faults or imperfections. Solely as a convenience to clients, Phillips may provide condition reports. In preparing such reports, our specialists assess the condition in a manner appropriate to the estimated value of the property and the nature of the auction in which it is included. While condition reports are prepared honestly and carefully, our staff are not professional restorers or trained conservators. We therefore encourage all prospective buyers to inspect the property at the pre-sale exhibitions and recommend, particularly in the case of any lot of significant value, that you retain your own restorer or professional advisor to report to you on the property's condition prior to bidding. Any prospective buyer of photographs or prints should always request a condition report because all such property is sold unframed, unless otherwise indicated in the condition report. If a lot is sold framed, Phillips accepts no liability for the condition of the frame. If we sell any lot unframed, we will be pleased to refer the purchaser to a professional framer.

#### **Pre-Auction Viewing**

Pre-auction viewings are open to the public and free of charge. Our specialists are available to give advice and condition reports at viewings or by appointment.

#### **Electrical and Mechanical Lots**

All lots with electrical and/or mechanical features are sold on the basis of their decorative value only and should not be assumed to be operative. It is essential that, prior to any intended use, the electrical system is verified and approved by a qualified electrician.

#### Symbol Key

The following key explains the symbols you may see inside this catalogue.

#### **O** Guaranteed Property

The seller of lots with this symbol has been guaranteed a minimum price. The guarantee may be provided by Phillips, by a third party or jointly by us and a third party. When a third party has financed all or part of our financial interest in a lot, it assumes all or part of the risk that the lot will not be sold and will be remunerated accordingly. The third party may bid on the guaranteed lot during the auction. If the third party is the successful bidder, the remuneration may be netted against the final purchase price. If the lot is not sold, the third party may incur a loss.

#### $\Delta\,$ Property in Which Phillips Has an Ownership Interest

Lots with this symbol indicate that Phillips owns the lot in whole or in part or has an economic interest in the lot equivalent to an ownership interest.

#### No Reserve

Unless indicated by a •, all lots in this catalogue are offered subject to a reserve. A reserve is the confidential value established between Phillips and the seller and below which a lot may not be sold. The reserve for each lot is generally set at a percentage of the low estimate and will not exceed the low pre-sale estimate.

#### $\Omega\,$ Endangered Species

Lots with this symbol have been identified at the time of cataloguing as containing endangered or other protected species of wildlife which may be subject to restrictions regarding export or import and which may require permits for export as well as import. Please refer to Paragraph 4 of the Guide for Prospective Buyers and Paragraph 11 of the Conditions of Sale.

#### **2 BIDDING IN THE SALE**

#### **Bidding at Auction**

Bids may be executed during the auction in person by paddle or by telephone or prior to the sale in writing by absentee bid. Proof of identity in the form of government issued identification will be required, as will an original signature. We may also require that you furnish us with a bank reference.

#### **Bidding in Person**

To bid in person, you will need to register for and collect a paddle before the auction begins. New clients are encouraged to register at least 48 hours in advance of a sale to allow sufficient time for us to process your information. All lots sold will be invoiced to the name and address to which the paddle has been registered and invoices cannot be transferred to other names and addresses. Please do not misplace your paddle. In the event you lose it, inform a Phillips staff member immediately. At the end of the auction, please return your paddle to the registration desk.

#### **Bidding by Telephone**

If you cannot attend the auction, you may bid live on the telephone with one of our multilingual staff members. This service must be arranged at least 24 hours in advance of the sale and is available for lots whose low pre-sale estimate is at least \$1,000. Telephone bids may be recorded. By bidding on the telephone, you consent to the recording of your conversation. We suggest that you leave a maximum bid, excluding the buyer's premium and any applicable taxes, which we can execute on your behalf in the event we are unable to reach you by telephone.

#### **Absentee Bids**

If you are unable to attend the auction and cannot participate by telephone, Phillips will be happy to execute written bids on your behalf. A bidding form can be found at the back of this catalogue. This service is free and confidential. Bids must be placed in the currency of the sale. Our staff will attempt to execute an absentee bid at the lowest possible price taking into account the reserve and other bidders. Always indicate a maximum bid, excluding the buyer's premium and any applicable taxes. Unlimited bids will not be accepted. Any absentee bid must be received at least 24 hours in advance of the sale. In the event of identical bids, the earliest bid received will take precedence.

#### **Employee Bidding**

Employees of Phillips and our affiliated companies, including the auctioneer, may bid at the auction by placing absentee bids so long as they do not know the reserve when submitting their absentee bids and otherwise comply with our employee bidding procedures.

#### **Bidding Increments**

Bidding generally opens below the low estimate and advances in increments of up to 10%, subject to the auctioneer's discretion. Absentee bids that do not conform to the increments set below may be lowered to the next bidding increment.

\$50 to \$1,000	by \$50s
\$1,000 to \$2,000	by \$100s
\$2,000 to \$3,000	by \$200s
\$3,000 to \$5,000	by \$200s, 500, 800 ( <u>i.e.</u> , \$4,200, 4,500, 4,800)
\$5,000 to \$10,000	by \$500s
\$10,000 to \$20,000	by \$1,000s
\$20,000 to \$30,000	by \$2,000s
\$30,000 to \$50,000	by \$2,000s, 5,000, 8,000
\$50,000 to \$100,000	by \$5,000s
\$100,000 to \$200,000	by \$10,000s
above \$200,000	auctioneer's discretion

The auctioneer may vary the increments during the course of the auction at his or her own discretion.

#### **3 THE AUCTION**

#### **Conditions of Sale**

As noted above, the auction is governed by the Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty. All prospective bidders should read them carefully. They may be amended by saleroom addendum or auctioneer's announcement.

#### **Interested Parties Announcement**

In situations where a person allowed to bid on a lot has a direct or indirect interest in such lot, such as the beneficiary or executor of an estate selling the lot, a joint owner of the lot or a party providing or participating in a guarantee on the lot, Phillips will make an announcement in the saleroom that interested parties may bid on the lot.

#### **Consecutive and Responsive Bidding; No Reserve Lots**

The auctioneer may open the bidding on any lot by placing a bid on behalf of the seller. The auctioneer may further bid on behalf of the seller up to the amount of the reserve by placing consecutive bids or bids in response to other bidders. If a lot is offered without reserve, unless there are already competing absentee bids, the auctioneer will generally open the bidding at 50% of the lot's low pre-sale estimate. In the absence of a bid at that level, the auctioneer will proceed backwards at his or her discretion until a bid is recognized and will then advance the bidding from that amount. Absentee bids on no reserve lots will, in the absence of a higher bid, be executed at approximately 50% of the low pre-sale estimate or at the amount of the bid if it is less than 50% of the low pre-sale estimate. If there is no bid whatsoever on a no reserve lot, the auctioneer may deem such lot unsold.

#### **4 AFTER THE AUCTION**

#### Payment

Buyers are required to pay for purchases immediately following the auction unless other arrangements are agreed with Phillips in writing in advance of the sale. Payment must be made in US dollars either by cash, check drawn on a US bank or wire transfer, as noted in Paragraph 6 of the Conditions of Sale. It is our corporate policy not to make or accept single or multiple payments in cash or cash equivalents in excess of US\$10,000.

#### **Credit Cards**

As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will accept American Express, Visa and Mastercard to pay for invoices of \$100,000 or less. A processing fee will apply.

#### Collection

It is our policy to request proof of identity on collection of a lot. A lot will be released to the buyer or the buyer's authorized representative when Phillips has received full and cleared payment and we are not owed any other amount by the buyer. Promptly after the auction, we will transfer all lots to our warehouse located at 29-09 37th Avenue in Long Island City, Queens, New York. All purchased lots should be collected at this location during our regular weekday business hours. As a courtesy to clients, we will upon request transfer purchased lots suitable for hand carry back to our premises at 450 Park Avenue, New York, New York for collection within 30 days following the date of the auction. We will levy removal, interest, storage and handling charges on uncollected lots.

#### Loss or Damage

Buyers are reminded that Phillips accepts liability for loss or damage to lots for a maximum of seven days following the auction.

#### **Transport and Shipping**

As a free service for buyers, Phillips will wrap purchased lots for hand carry only. We will, at the buyer's expense, either provide packing, handling and shipping services or coordinate with shipping agents instructed by the buyer in order to facilitate such services for property purchased at Phillips. Please refer to Paragraph 7 of the Conditions of Sale for more information.

#### **Export and Import Licenses**

Before bidding for any property, prospective bidders are advised to make independent inquiries as to whether a license is required to export the property from the United States or to import it into another country. It is the buyer's sole responsibility to comply with all import and export laws and to obtain any necessary licenses or permits. The denial of any required license or permit or any delay in obtaining such documentation will not justify the cancellation of the sale or any delay in making full payment for the lot.

#### **Endangered Species**

Items made of or incorporating plant or animal material, such as coral, crocodile, ivory, whalebone, rhinoceros horn or tortoiseshell, irrespective of age, percentage or value, may require a license or certificate prior to exportation and additional licenses or certificates upon importation to any foreign country. Please note that the ability to obtain an export license or certificate does not ensure the ability to obtain an import license or certificate in another country, and vice versa. We suggest that prospective bidders check with their own government regarding wildlife import requirements prior to placing a bid. It is the buyer's sole responsibility to obtain any necessary export or import licenses or certificates as well as any other required documentation. The denial of any required license or certificate or any delay in obtaining such documentation will not justify the cancellation of the sale or any delay in making full payment for the lot. Please note that lots containing potentially regulated plant or animal material are marked as a convenience to our clients, but Phillips does not accept liability for errors or for failing to mark lots containing protected or regulated species.

# **CONDITIONS OF SALE**

The Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty set forth below govern the relationship between bidders and buyers, on the one hand, and Phillips and sellers, on the other hand. All prospective buyers should read these Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty carefully before bidding.

#### **1 INTRODUCTION**

Each lot in this catalogue is offered for sale and sold subject to: (a) the Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty; (b) additional notices and terms printed in other places in this catalogue, including the Guide for Prospective Buyers, and (c) supplements to this catalogue or other written material posted by Phillips in the saleroom, in each case as amended by any addendum or announcement by the auctioneer prior to the auction.

By bidding at the auction, whether in person, through an agent, by written bid, by telephone bid or other means, bidders and buyers agree to be bound by these Conditions of Sale, as so changed or supplemented, and Authorship Warranty.

These Conditions of Sale, as so changed or supplemented, and Authorship Warranty contain all the terms on which Phillips and the seller contract with the buyer.

#### **2 PHILLIPS AS AGENT**

Phillips acts as an agent for the seller, unless otherwise indicated in this catalogue or at the time of auction. On occasion, Phillips may own a lot directly, in which case we will act in a principal capacity as a consignor, or a company affiliated with Phillips may own a lot, in which case we will act as agent for that company, or Phillips or an affiliated company may have a legal, beneficial or financial interest in a lot as a secured creditor or otherwise.

#### **3 CATALOGUE DESCRIPTIONS AND CONDITION OF PROPERTY**

Lots are sold subject to the Authorship Warranty, as described in the catalogue (unless such description is changed or supplemented, as provided in Paragraph 1 above) and in the condition that they are in at the time of the sale on the following basis.

(a) The knowledge of Phillips in relation to each lot is partially dependent on information provided to us by the seller, and Phillips is not able to and does not carry out exhaustive due diligence on each lot. Prospective buyers acknowledge this fact and accept responsibility for carrying out inspections and investigations to satisfy themselves as to the lots in which they may be interested. Notwithstanding the foregoing, we shall exercise such reasonable care when making express statements in catalogue descriptions or condition reports as is consistent with our role as auctioneer of lots in this sale and in light of (i) the information provided to us by the seller, (ii) scholarship and technical knowledge and (iii) the generally accepted opinions of relevant experts, in each case at the time any such express statement is made.

(b) Each lot offered for sale at Phillips is available for inspection by prospective buyers prior to the auction. Phillips accepts bids on lots on the basis that bidders (and independent experts on their behalf, to the extent appropriate given the nature and value of the lot and the bidder's own expertise) have fully inspected the lot prior to bidding and have satisfied themselves as to both the condition of the lot and the accuracy of its description.

(c) Prospective buyers acknowledge that many lots are of an age and type which means that they are not in perfect condition. As a courtesy to clients, Phillips may prepare and provide condition reports to assist prospective buyers when they are inspecting lots. Catalogue descriptions and condition reports may make reference to particular imperfections of a lot, but bidders should note that lots may have other faults not expressly referred to in the catalogue or condition report. All dimensions are approximate. Illustrations are for identification purposes only and cannot be used as precise indications of size or to convey full information as to the actual condition of lots.

(d) Information provided to prospective buyers in respect of any lot, including any pre-sale estimate, whether written or oral, and information in any catalogue, condition or other report, commentary or valuation, is not a representation of fact but rather a statement of opinion held by Phillips. Any pre-sale estimate may not be relied on as a prediction of the selling price or value of the lot and may be revised from time to time by Phillips in our absolute discretion. Neither Phillips nor any of our affiliated companies shall be liable for any difference between the pre-sale estimates for any lot and the actual price achieved at auction or upon resale.

#### **4 BIDDING AT AUCTION**

(a) Phillips has absolute discretion to refuse admission to the auction or participation in the sale. All bidders must register for a paddle prior to bidding, supplying such information and references as required by Phillips.

(b) As a convenience to bidders who cannot attend the auction in person, Phillips may, if so instructed by the bidder, execute written absentee bids on a bidder's behalf. Absentee bidders are required to submit bids on the Absentee Bid Form, a copy of which is printed in this catalogue or otherwise available from Phillips. Bids must be placed in the currency of the sale. The bidder must clearly indicate the maximum amount he or she intends to bid, excluding the buyer's premium and any applicable sales or use taxes. The auctioneer will not accept an instruction to execute an absentee bid which does not indicate such maximum bid. Our staff will attempt to execute an absentee bid at the lowest possible price taking into account the reserve and other bidders. Any absentee bid must be received at least 24 hours in advance of the sale. In the event of identical bids, the earliest bid received will take precedence.

(c) Telephone bidders are required to submit bids on the Telephone Bid Form, a copy of which is printed in this catalogue or otherwise available from Phillips. Telephone bidding is available for lots whose low pre-sale estimate is at least \$1,000. Phillips reserves the right to require written confirmation of a successful bid from a telephone bidder by fax or otherwise immediately after such bid is accepted by the auctioneer. Telephone bids may be recorded and, by bidding on the telephone, a bidder consents to the recording of the conversation.

(d) When making a bid, whether in person, by absentee bid or on the telephone, a bidder accepts personal liability to pay the purchase price, as described more fully in Paragraph 6 (a) below, plus all other applicable charges unless it has been explicitly agreed in writing with Phillips before the commencement of the auction that the bidder is acting as agent on behalf of an identified third party acceptable to Phillips and that we will only look to the principal for such payment.

(e) By participating in the auction, whether in person, by absentee bid or on the telephone, each prospective buyer represents and warrants that any bids placed by such person, or on such person's behalf, are not the product of any collusive or other anti-competitive agreement and are otherwise consistent with federal and state antitrust law.

(f) Arranging absentee and telephone bids is a free service provided by Phillips to prospective buyers. While we undertake to exercise reasonable care in undertaking such activity, we cannot accept liability for failure to execute such bids except where such failure is caused by our willful misconduct.

(g) Employees of Phillips and our affiliated companies, including the auctioneer, may bid at the auction by placing absentee bids so long as they do not know the reserve when submitting their absentee bids and otherwise comply with our employee bidding procedures.

#### **5 CONDUCT OF THE AUCTION**

(a) Unless otherwise indicated by the symbol •, each lot is offered subject to a reserve, which is the confidential minimum selling price agreed by Phillips with the seller. The reserve will not exceed the low pre-sale estimate at the time of the auction.

(b) The auctioneer has discretion at any time to refuse any bid, withdraw any lot, re-offer a lot for sale (including after the fall of the hammer) if he or she believes there may be error or dispute and take such other action as he or she deems reasonably appropriate. Phillips shall have no liability whatsoever for any such action taken by the auctioneer. If any dispute arises after the sale, our sale record is conclusive. The auctioneer may accept bids made by a company affiliated with Phillips provided that the bidder does not know the reserve placed on the lot.

(c) The auctioneer will commence and advance the bidding at levels and in increments he or she considers appropriate. In order to protect the reserve on any lot, the auctioneer may place one or more bids on behalf of the seller up to the reserve without indicating he or she is doing so, either by placing consecutive bids or bids in response to other bidders. If a lot is offered without reserve, unless there are already competing absentee bids, the auctioneer will generally open the bidding at 50% of the lot's low pre-sale estimate. In the absence of a bid at that level, the auctioneer will proceed backwards at his or her discretion until a bid is recognized and will then advance the bidding from that amount. Absentee bids on no reserve lots will, in the absence of a higher bid, be executed at approximately 50% of the low pre-sale estimate or at the amount of the bid if it is less than 50% of the low pre-sale estimate. If there is no bid whatsoever on a no reserve lot, the auctioneer may deem such lot unsold.

(d) The sale will be conducted in US dollars and payment is due in US dollars. For the benefit of international clients, pre-sale estimates in the auction catalogue may be shown in pounds sterling and/or euros and, if so, will reflect approximate exchange rates. Accordingly, estimates in pounds sterling or euros should be treated only as a guide.

(e) Subject to the auctioneer's reasonable discretion, the highest bidder accepted by the auctioneer will be the buyer and the striking of the hammer marks the acceptance of the highest bid and the conclusion of a contract for sale between the seller and the buyer. Risk and responsibility for the lot passes to the buyer as set forth in Paragraph 7 below.

(f) If a lot is not sold, the auctioneer will announce that it has been "passed," "withdrawn," "returned to owner" or "bought-in."

(g) Any post-auction sale of lots offered at auction shall incorporate these Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty as if sold in the auction.

#### **6 PURCHASE PRICE AND PAYMENT**

(a) The buyer agrees to pay us, in addition to the hammer price of the lot, the buyer's premium and any applicable sales tax (the "Purchase Price"). The buyer's premium is 25% of the hammer price up to and including \$100,000, 20% of the portion of the hammer price above \$100,000 up to and including \$2,000,000 and 12% of the portion of the hammer price above \$2,000,000. Phillips reserves the right to pay from our compensation an introductory commission to one or more third parties for assisting in the sale of property offered and sold at auction.

(b) Sales tax, use tax and excise and other taxes are payable in accordance with applicable law. All prices, fees, charges and expenses set out in these Conditions of Sale are quoted exclusive of applicable taxes. Phillips will only accept valid resale certificates from US dealers as proof of exemption from sales tax. All foreign buyers should contact the Client Accounting Department about tax matters.

(c) Unless otherwise agreed, a buyer is required to pay for a purchased lot immediately following the auction regardless of any intention to obtain an export or import license or other permit for such lot. Payments must be made by the invoiced party in US dollars either by cash, check drawn on a US bank or wire transfer, as follows:

(i) Phillips will accept payment in cash provided that the total amount paid in cash or cash equivalents does not exceed US\$10,000. Buyers paying in cash should do so in person at our Client Accounting Desk at 450 Park Avenue during regular weekday business hours.

(ii) Personal checks and banker's drafts are accepted if drawn on a US bank and the buyer provides to us acceptable government issued identification. Checks and banker's drafts should be made payable to "Phillips." If payment is sent by mail, please send the check or banker's draft to the attention of the Client Accounting Department at 450 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10022 and make sure that the sale and lot number is written on the check. Checks or banker's drafts drawn by third parties will not be accepted.

(iii) Payment by wire transfer may be sent directly to Phillips. Bank transfer details:

Citibank 322 West 23rd Street, New York, NY 10011 SWIFT Code: CITIUS33 ABA Routing: 021 000 089 For the account of Phillips Account no.: 58347736

Please reference the relevant sale and lot number.

(d) As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will accept American Express, Visa and Mastercard to pay for invoices of \$100,000 or less. A processing fee will apply.

(e) Title in a purchased lot will not pass until Phillips has received the Purchase Price for that lot in cleared funds. Phillips is not obliged to release a lot to the buyer until title in the lot has passed and appropriate identification has been provided, and any earlier release does not affect the passing of title or the buyer's unconditional obligation to pay the Purchase Price.

#### **7 COLLECTION OF PROPERTY**

(a) Phillips will not release a lot to the buyer until we have received payment of its Purchase Price in full in cleared funds, the buyer has paid all outstanding amounts due to Phillips or any of our affiliated companies, including any charges payable pursuant to Paragraph 8 (a) below, and the buyer has satisfied such other terms as we in our sole discretion shall require, including completing any anti-money laundering or anti-terrorism financing checks. As soon as a buyer has satisfied all of the foregoing conditions, he or she should contact our Shipping Department at +1 212 940 1372 or +1 212 940 1373 to arrange for collection of purchased property.

(b) The buyer must arrange for collection of a purchased lot within seven days of the date of the auction. Promptly after the auction, we will transfer all lots to our warehouse located at 29-09 37th Avenue in Long Island City, Queens, New York. All purchased lots should be collected at this location during our regular weekday business hours. As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will upon request transfer on a bi-weekly basis purchased lots suitable for hand-carry back to our premises at 450 Park Avenue, New York, New York for collection within 30 days following the date of the auction. Purchased lots are at the buyer's risk, including the responsibility for insurance, from the earlier to occur of (i) the date of collection or (ii) seven days after the auction. Until risk passes, Phillips will compensate the buyer for any loss or damage to a purchased lot up to a maximum of the Purchase Price paid, subject to our usual exclusions for loss or damage to property.

(c) As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will, without charge, wrap purchased lots for handcarry only. We will, at the buyer's expense, either provide packing, handling, insurance and shipping services or coordinate with shipping agents instructed by the buyer in order to facilitate such services for property bought at Phillips. Any such instruction, whether or not made at our recommendation, is entirely at the buyer's risk and responsibility, and we will not be liable for acts or omissions of third party packers or shippers. Third party shippers should contact us by telephone at +1 212 940 1376 or by fax at +1 212 924 6477 at least 24 hours in advance of collection in order to schedule pickup.

(d) Phillips will require presentation of government issued identification prior to release of a lot to the buyer or the buyer's authorized representative.

#### **8 FAILURE TO COLLECT PURCHASES**

(a) If the buyer pays the Purchase Price but fails to collect a purchased lot within 30 days of the auction, the buyer will incur a late collection fee of \$10 per day for each uncollected lot. Additional charges may apply to oversized lots. We will not release purchased lots to the buyer until all such charges have been paid in full.

(b) If a purchased lot is paid for but not collected within six months of the auction, the buyer authorizes Phillips, upon notice, to arrange a resale of the item by auction or private sale, with estimates and a reserve set at Phillips's reasonable discretion. The proceeds of such sale will be applied to pay for storage charges and any other outstanding costs and expenses owed by the buyer to Phillips or our affiliated companies and the remainder will be forfeited unless collected by the buyer within two years of the original auction.

#### **9 REMEDIES FOR NON-PAYMENT**

(a) Without prejudice to any rights the seller may have, if the buyer without prior agreement fails to make payment of the Purchase Price for a lot in cleared funds within seven days of the auction, Phillips may in our sole discretion exercise one or more of the following remedies: (i) store the lot at Phillips's premises or elsewhere at the buyer's sole risk and expense at the same rates as set forth in Paragraph 8 (a) above; (ii) cancel the sale of the lot, retaining any partial payment of the Purchase Price as liquidated damages; (iii) reject future bids from the buyer or render such bids subject to payment of a deposit; (iv) charge interest at 12% per annum from the date payment became due until the date the Purchase Price is received in cleared funds; (v) subject to notification of the buyer, exercise a lien over any of the buyer's property which is in the possession of Phillips and instruct our affiliated companies to exercise a lien over any of the buyer's property which is in their possession and, in each case, no earlier than 30 days from the date of such notice, arrange the sale of such property and apply the proceeds to the amount owed to Phillips or any of our affiliated companies after the deduction from sale proceeds of our standard vendor's commission and all sale-related expenses; (vi) resell the lot by auction or private sale, with estimates and a reserve set at Phillips reasonable discretion, it being understood that in the event such resale is for less than the original hammer price and buyer's premium for that lot, the buyer will remain liable for the shortfall together with all costs incurred in such resale; (vii) commence legal proceedings to recover the hammer price and buyer's premium for that lot, together with interest and the costs of such proceedings; (viii) set off the outstanding amount remaining unpaid by the buyer against any amounts which we or any of our affiliated companies may owe the buyer in any other transactions; (ix) release the name and address of the buyer to the seller to enable the seller to commence legal proceedings to recover the amounts due and legal costs or (x) take such other action as we deem necessary or appropriate.

(b) As security to us for full payment by the buyer of all outstanding amounts due to Phillips and our affiliated companies, Phillips retains, and the buyer grants to us, a security interest in each lot purchased at auction by the buyer and in any other property or money of the buyer in, or coming into, our possession or the possession of one of our affiliated companies. We may apply such money or deal with such property as the Uniform Commercial Code or other applicable law permits a secured creditor to do. In the event that we exercise a lien over property in our possession because the buyer is in default to one of our affiliated companies, we will so notify the buyer. Our security interest in any individual lot will terminate upon actual delivery of the lot to the buyer or the buyer's agent.

(c) In the event the buyer is in default of payment to any of our affiliated companies, the buyer also irrevocably authorizes Phillips to pledge the buyer's property in our possession by actual or constructive delivery to our affiliated company as security for the payment of any outstanding amount due. Phillips will notify the buyer if the buyer's property has been delivered to an affiliated company by way of pledge.

#### **10 RESCISSION BY PHILLIPS**

Phillips shall have the right, but not the obligation, to rescind a sale without notice to the buyer if we reasonably believe that there is a material breach of the seller's representations and warranties or the Authorship Warranty or an adverse claim is made by a third party. Upon notice of Phillips's election to rescind the sale, the buyer will promptly return the lot to Phillips, and we will then refund the Purchase Price paid to us. As described more fully in Paragraph 13 below, the refund shall constitute the sole remedy and recourse of the buyer against Phillips and the seller with respect to such rescinded sale.

#### 11 EXPORT, IMPORT AND ENDANGERED SPECIES LICENSES AND PERMITS

Before bidding for any property, prospective buyers are advised to make their own inquiries as to whether a license is required to export a lot from the United States or to import it into another country. Prospective buyers are advised that some countries

prohibit the import of property made of or incorporating plant or animal material, such as coral, crocodile, ivory, whalebone, rhinoceros horn or tortoiseshell, irrespective of age, percentage or value. Accordingly, prior to bidding, prospective buyers considering export of purchased lots should familiarize themselves with relevant export and import regulations of the countries concerned. It is solely the buyer's responsibility to comply with these laws and to obtain any necessary export, import and endangered species licenses or permits. Failure to obtain a license or permit or delay in so doing will not justify the cancellation of the sale or any delay in making full payment for the lot. As a courtesy to clients, Phillips has marked in the catalogue lots containing potentially regulated plant or animal material, but we do not accept liability for errors or for failing to mark lots containing protected or regulated species.

#### **12 CLIENT INFORMATION**

In connection with the supply of auction related services and other products and services, or as required by law, Phillips may ask clients to provide personal information about themselves or in certain cases (such as to conduct credit checks, verify identity or prevent fraud) obtain information about clients from third parties. Phillips may also occasionally use personal details provided by clients to send them marketing communications about our products, services or events. By agreeing to these Conditions of Sale and providing Phillips with personal details, clients agree that Phillips and our affiliated companies may use those details for the above purposes. If clients would like further information about our privacy policy or how to correct their data or opt-out from receiving further marketing communications, please contact us at +1 212 940 1228.

#### **13 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY**

(a) Subject to subparagraph (e) below, the total liability of Phillips, our affiliated companies and the seller to the buyer in connection with the sale of a lot shall be limited to the Purchase Price actually paid by the buyer for the lot.

(b) Except as otherwise provided in this Paragraph 13, none of Phillips, any of our affiliated companies or the seller (i) is liable for any errors or omissions, whether orally or in writing, in information provided to prospective buyers by Phillips or any of our affiliated companies or (ii) accepts responsibility to any bidder in respect of acts or omissions, whether negligent or otherwise, by Phillips or any of our affiliated companies in connection with the conduct of the auction or for any other matter relating to the sale of any lot.

(c) All warranties other than the Authorship Warranty, express or implied, including any warranty of satisfactory quality and fitness for purpose, are specifically excluded by Phillips, our affiliated companies and the seller to the fullest extent permitted by law.

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