

Heffel and DuPont Canada to Offer Important Art Collection at Auction

- Artworks from the corporate collection of DuPont Canada will be offered in an online auction on the Heffel Online 2 (HO2) platform from July 11 - 25, 2018
- Highlighting the sale are works by notable artists including Alex Janvier, Ted Harrison, Gathie Falk and William McElcheran
- More than 160 works of art from the collection will be presented, including paintings, prints, drawings, sculptures and photographs, with approachable starting bids



TORONTO, July 4, 2018—[Heffel Fine Art Auction House](#) is delighted to partner with DuPont Canada, a world leader in market-driven innovation and science, for its popular Heffel Online 2 (HO2) platform. More than 160 works from DuPont’s impressive art collection will be presented in an online auction during the month of July 2018.

Heffel launched its innovative HO2 (Heffel Online 2) platform in 2014 as an auction venue designed to provide customized service to corporations as they restructure their art collections. Since its launch, Heffel has worked with numerous important corporate collections on the sale of their works. The wide range of artwork and approachable price points have been driving factors in the strong interest from clients and impressive auction success rates.

“We are thrilled to work with DuPont Canada and their distinguished artworks for our HO2 platform,” said Lauren Kratzer, Director of Online Auctions at Heffel Fine Art Auction House. “This large offering presents an exciting opportunity for both established and new collectors to build on or begin their collections with works by so many incredible artists.”

Highlights from the DuPont Canada Collection

- A notable painting by beloved artist Ted Harrison leads the auction by estimate. The vibrant canvas, titled *Golden Geese*, is a quintessential Harrison, depicting a scene from daily life in the Yukon (est. \$15,000 – 20,000).
- Also highlighting the sale are three fantastic works by Alex Janvier, a key figure in contemporary Canadian aboriginal art. Leading the pack are *Multi-Nationals at Cold Lake* and *Grand Opening, Ottawa*, both colourful gouache works on paper.
- William McElcheran is featured prominently in the sale with 19 works on offer in a dedicated specialty session, including significant sculptures, mixed media works and lithographs. Some of his most well-known businessmen sculptures will be on offer,

- including *Man with Umbrella*, *Man Reading Newspaper* and *The Pursuer* (each est. \$8,000 – 10,000), among others.
- *Pieces of Water*, a large scale oil on canvas by Gathie Falk is among the highlights in the HO2 sale (est. \$8,000 – 12,000). Falk, who currently resides in Vancouver, finished her memoir earlier this year and will have works on display at the upcoming Frieze Masters 2018 in London.
 - Two impressive portraits by Arthur Shilling will be offered, both done in his distinctive bold expressionist style – *Woman with Corn* (est. \$7,000 – 9,000) and *Child in a Spirit World* (est. \$5,000 – 7,000).
 - Nova Scotia-born Tom Forrestall, whose works have been exhibited across Canada and internationally throughout his artistic career, is featured in the sale with *The Orchard* (est. \$3,000 – 4,000).

Preview and Auction Schedule

The sale will be posted to Heffel's website on July 11. To give interested buyers and enthusiasts an opportunity to view these works, the collection will be previewed at DuPont Canada and is open to the general public, by appointment. Those interested in viewing the collection must contact Carolyn Peralta at previewrequest@heffel.com or 416-961-6505 to schedule a viewing.

- **Preview:**
 - Tuesday, July 17, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm ET
 - 1919 Minnesota Court, Mississauga, ON, L5N 0C9
- **Online Auction:**
 - Wednesday, July 11 - Wednesday, July 25
 - www.heffel.com

For additional details on the auction, and to access the online catalogues, please visit www.heffel.com.

About Heffel Fine Art Auction House

Heffel has sold more Canadian art than any other auctioneer worldwide, with sales totaling more than half a billion dollars since 1978. With offices in Toronto, Vancouver, Montreal, Ottawa and Calgary, Heffel has the most experienced team of fine art specialists in Canada and provides superior client service to both sellers and buyers internationally.

For additional information, to schedule an interview or media viewing, or for high-resolution images, please contact:

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