

## Art 4 Art presents

### The Richardson Corporate Art Collection

Join us for an exclusive viewing and tour of the Richardson's corporate collection made up of more than 50 pieces by iconic Canadian artists

*With one night only, this is a once-in-a lifetime opportunity to see one of Canada's finest corporate art collections*

Spend the evening taking in sights from the 30th floor of the Richardson Building and view pieces from artists like the Group of Seven, Ivan Eyre, Leo Mol, Peter Sawatzky, and William Kurelek.

October 26, 2017  
7 p.m.

1 Lombard Place: 30th Floor

Tickets \$125

*All proceeds raised will be in support of the WAG*

For more information about this intimate event and to reserve your ticket, visit <http://art4art.ca> or call 204-786-6641.

*There are a limited number of tickets available*

## Study Group News

After a glorious summer, it's time now to think about the upcoming Study Group sessions. It was decided at the May windup to change from a lecture/slideshow format to a facilitated discussion of one in-depth topic per meeting. All WAG Associates are welcome to attend.

### Registration:

Please contact Bonnie Taylor at 204-960-3045 or [whitecats@me.com](mailto:whitecats@me.com)  
Registered participants will receive reminders and information about each upcoming program.

**Location:** WAG Lecture Hall on Tuesdays at 1:45pm.

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Bonnie Taylor

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**September 26, 2017**

Françoise Gilot,  
An Artist's Journey

**October 10, 2017**

David Watt, Scottish  
architect (to be confirmed)

**October 24, 2017**

Vanessa Bell

**November 7, 2017**

Edvard Munch

**April 10, 2018**

First Nations artists

**April 24, 2018**

Speaker confirmed, topic  
title to be confirmed  
(Schedule and topics  
subject to adjustment)

**BONUS:** Additional meetings of the WAG Study Group will be held off site at 1:00pm on the first and third Tuesday of the month from January to March 2018. Each session features two 30-minute films from the 'Art Across The Ages' DVD lecture series of The Great Courses program; followed by discussion.

Pre-registration is required. Participants will be informed of the location, which is handicap accessible and has free street parking.

# Travel Tours

**Southern Africa trip** – there are still three spots available for people to join this trip, which departs on November 15, 2017. Anyone interested should contact Bill or Sherry Glanville to discuss their participation (sbglanville@shaw.ca or 204 885-0091). Also, the orientation for people going on this trip is scheduled for Friday, September 29 at 6:00 pm at the WAG Boardroom.

**October 2018 trip to Indonesia** – in response to several questions about our plans for future trips, we have decided on Indonesia as our destination for next October. Indonesia – Bali, Borobudur and Beyond will take place on October 18 to November 4, 2018. The full itinerary is being finalized and will be available soon. Lewie Gonsalves, the President of Worldwide Quest, will give a presentation on this exciting destination on Friday, September 29 at 7:15 pm in the Boardroom at the WAG. All interested parties are welcome. Those interested should contact Bill or Sherry

Glanville to indicate their interest (sbglanville@shaw.ca or 204 885-0091).

**Future Destinations** – a meeting of the Travel Tour Committee will be held in the next few weeks to discuss possible future destinations for the Travel Tour Program in 2018 and beyond.

*Bill Glanville, Chair*



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# Associates Opening Event Wine and Cheese

Home of Day Scarlett & Robert Reidy  
5 Hermitage Road

1.30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.  
Wednesday, September 27

Presentation at 2.30 p.m. by Stephen Borys  
on Impressionism

Invite a potential member

R.S.V.P. by September 25  
to Kathy Kushpel 786-6641 ext. 286  
or [volunteerassociates@wag.ca](mailto:volunteerassociates@wag.ca)

Directions: Head West on Roblin Blvd.  
1 km past the Gates Restaurant, turn right on  
Hermitage Rd. at the large stone Assiniboine Landing sign  
Look for the balloons

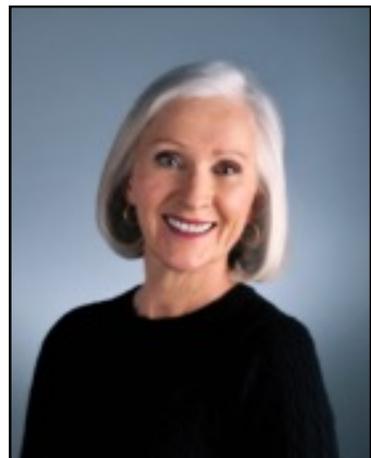
good standing. This will be held at the WAG during the day time when the Gallery is closed to the public

**Spring:** May or June - Recruitment Wine & Cheese.

*Andrea Cibinel and  
Angela Narth  
Co-Chairs*



*Andrea Cibinel*



*Angela Narth*

## Membership Events

As new co-chairs of the membership committee, we have little to report other than our tentative plans for the coming year. Our overall intent is to offer opportunities for like-minded people to connect.

Three annual events are to be offered to the general membership:  
**Fall:** late September Welcome Event.  
**Winter:** early December - Holiday Party for all Associates members in



## President's Message

For many years the Associates had been facing declining numbers and as a result decreasing involvement at the WAG. Last summer after a revitalizing Summer Retreat, the Executive committed to two goals to address these issues.

1. To increase our membership and better engage our existing members
2. To become more relevant to the WAG through increased volunteerism and fundraising

With the tireless efforts of the Executive and members and the support of our amazing Director and his staff great steps were taken toward meeting those goals. As we look back at 2016 – 2017

- Our membership increased and now over 30% of our paid membership is made up of new members

- The volunteer hours logged by our members tripled over the previous year
- Our fundraising efforts resulted in \$10,000 more being raised than in the previous year

So looking back it was a great year! Watching our numbers grow and becoming involved in many different activities and events created a new energy which we look forward to building on this year.

On August 26, the Executive attended a planning session to review our strategic plan. The day provided us with the opportunity to revisit our goals and plan for their continued implementation in the coming year.

With our newly minted Membership Committee co-chaired by Andrea Cibinel and Angela Narth, the focus on growing our membership will continue. With exciting events like Art4Art this fall and Wine4Art later this year in addition to our signature Home Tour already in the planning stages for 2018 our fundraising and volunteer opportunities will continue to grow.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all Associates for the work that you do. I look forward to another fun-filled year as we work together to support the growth and vitality of the WAG!

*Esme Scarlett, President*

## Communications

A new position - Chair of Communications - was created at the AGM with a view to broadening the scope of communications for the Associates and providing support for fundraising projects. A Communication Committee has been formed and includes several new talented members: Christine Lylyk, Sharmon Luchuck, Mercedes Maduka, Barbara Holliday, Bill Crawford, and Ruth Robert.

With the Art4Art event in October, a communication plan was developed for the project which is being acted upon. Several members on the committee have contributed to the content and design of the invitation and website information to promote the event.

It is an exciting period and the work of the committee will help to fill a former gap in communications for the Associates.

*Estelle Sures, Chair*





## Fundraising Activities

The Development Committee has been in place for one year. The Committee's role is to act as the umbrella encompassing the various fundraising activities of the Associates.

Currently Committee members are: Esme Scarlett, Adele Wortzman, Pat McCullough, Angela Narth, Andrea Cibinel, Lila Goodspeed (IAC Representative), Bill Glanville (WAG Development Committee Representative), Pam Simmons (Advisor), and Chair Sherry Glanville.

Last year was a very successful year with the Associate fundraising initiatives: Home Tour,

Wine4Art, Travel Tours and Stamp Committee. The Associates played a significant role in supporting WAG sponsored events such as the Gala, Art in Bloom and the Manitoba Crafts Show.

The Associates have an ambitious fundraising schedule for this calendar year including Art4Art, a new event Co-Chaired by Esme and Adele, Wine4Art, Co-Chaired by Christine Lylyk and Sherry, a travel tour to Southern Africa hosted by Bill and continued support to WAG sponsored events such as the Gala.

We are excited about the upcoming events in our second year of refocusing our efforts to support our common passion of the Winnipeg Art Gallery. Thank you to all of the Associates for your endless support, work and enthusiasm which makes the Development Committee projects become a reality!

*Sherry Glanville,  
Chair*

## Invitation to join the IAC Community Campaign

Are you looking for a novel experience helping out the WAG? Or a chance to work with great volunteers and mentors, or contribute to some new initiatives that will inform the community about the amazing Inuit Art Centre? Help make a difference with us with the community campaign by volunteering for one of the committees!

The IAC Community Campaign Committee has been creating a roadmap for a major community campaign plan beginning in fall 2017. The primary purpose of this phase of the campaign is to engage people in the community at all levels, to build an awareness of the IAC, and welcome everyone and every culture to be a part of the IAC.

We are forming a core committee of volunteers and staff as well as support committees to address each area of the campaign. Feel free to join us and sign up for your interest areas: schools, community groups,



*Lila Goodspeed, left, and Pam Simmons at the Canadian Embassy in Washington to promote Inuit art and the IAC*

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small businesses, volunteer involvement, communications and marketing, special events, speakers bureau, information booths and more.

With your help, the community campaign will bring new awareness to the WAG, raise more needed funds and encourage more people to appreciate the wealth of art in the WAG

collection. Also, it will strengthen relationships between all of us as we all take part in a new enlightening experience.

We would love you to be part of this exciting team! You can take part in whatever way you wish based on your time availability. Contact us for a sign-up form to indicate your interests and for notices of upcoming meetings.

There is a place on this committee for anyone who feels a commitment to the WAG.

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