

BEN BROWN FINE ARTS



Damien Hirst, *Beautiful Iridescent for Mike Painting*, 2002, Household gloss on canvas, 160 x 160 cm. (63 x 63 in.)

Art Mumbai

14 – 17 November 2024

Mahalaxmi Racecourse

Booth 43

Ben Brown Fine Arts is delighted to announce its inaugural participation in Art Mumbai, taking place from 14-17 November at Mahalaxmi Racecourse. Our curated presentation will feature an outstanding array of paintings and sculptures by some of the most distinguished artists of the 20th and 21st centuries, including **Pablo Picasso**, **Andy Warhol**, **François-Xavier Lalanne**, **Robert Indiana**, and **Damien Hirst**. This exceptional collection showcases works that have shaped modern and contemporary art, inviting viewers to engage with the profound creative forces that continue to influence the art world today.

Among the standout pieces is an exquisite selection of works on paper by **Pablo Picasso**, a masterclass in the artist's expressive linework and innovative treatment of the human form. These pieces epitomise Picasso's ability to capture the essence of his subject with minimal strokes, demonstrating his unparalleled compositional genius and relentless experimentation with form and figure.

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Andy Warhol's iconic silkscreen prints are another highlight, presenting landmark moments from his career that encapsulate his striking, innovative approach to portraiture. These works exemplify Warhol's pioneering Pop aesthetic, through which he elevated the everyday and the commercial into the realm of fine art, forever transforming the art world's relationship with media and celebrity culture.



Pablo Picasso, *Chevalier et Picador Dans l'Arène*, 1951, Pen and black ink on paper, 50.7 x 65.8 cm. (20 x 25 7/8 in.)

We are proud to present a series of sculptures by the eminent French artist **François-Xavier Lalanne**, whose career was closely intertwined with that of his wife and creative partner, Claude Lalanne. The sculptures on display combine functional design with a serene, timeless beauty. Lalanne's whimsical and thought-provoking pieces challenge traditional notions of art and utility, reimagining how we engage with objects in both the aesthetic and practical domains, solidifying his legacy as a true master of both.



François-Xavier Lalanne, *Nouveaux Moutons (Bélier)*, 1994/2006, Epoxystone and bronze, 93 x 99 x 36 cm. (36 5/8 x 39 x 14 1/8 in.)

The presentation also includes a vibrant selection of works by a diverse group of contemporary artists, such as **Yoan Capote, Tony Bevan, Awol Erizku, Enoc Perez, Candida Höfer, Vik Muniz, and Hank Willis Thomas**. These artists, through their varied practices, continue to push the boundaries of contemporary art, exploring themes ranging from identity and politics to memory and representation. Their works, though distinct, share a common thread of engaging with the complexities of modern life, offering viewers a rich and thought-provoking visual experience.

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Ben Brown Fine Arts' debut at Art Mumbai promises to provide an exciting and rare opportunity to encounter these masterworks in a dynamic setting, inviting collectors and art enthusiasts alike to explore the diverse trajectories that have shaped the course of modern and contemporary art. We look forward to welcoming you to our booth to experience these remarkable works firsthand.

ABOUT BEN BROWN FINE ARTS

In 2004, Ben Brown Fine Arts opened its first location in the heart of Mayfair, London. The gallery quickly established itself on the international art scene with exhibitions of long-term gallery artists Candida Höfer, Tony Bevan, Claude & François-Xavier Lalanne, and Heinz Mack, amongst others, as well as momentous exhibitions of 20th-century masters including Lucio Fontana, Alighiero Boetti and Gerhard Richter. In 2009, Ben Brown Fine Arts opened an exhibition space in Hong Kong, becoming the first international gallery to move to the city that would soon become a major international art hub. In Hong Kong, the gallery introduced notable exhibitions of Pablo Picasso, Sean Scully, Frank Auerbach, and Miquel Barceló, as well as survey exhibitions of Chinese contemporary photography, the Düsseldorf School of Photography, 20th-century Italian art, and the ZERO movement. In 2021, Ben Brown Fine Arts opened a third location in Palm Beach, Florida, with an inaugural exhibition celebrating the legacy of American and European 20th-century artists who developed radical approaches to making art, among them Alexander Calder, Georg Baselitz, and Andy Warhol. The galleries regularly exhibit and develop programming for our renowned stable of international, multi-disciplinarian contemporary artists, including the aforementioned as well as Yoan Capote, Awol Erizku, Nabil Nahas, José Parlá, Enoc Perez, Ena Swansea, Hank Willis Thomas, Gavin Turk, and Jan Worst. With multi-lingual staff based in London, Hong Kong, New York, and Palm Beach, the gallery has strong relationships with private collectors, advisors, and public institutions, sourcing and placing important primary and secondary artworks for them. Ben Brown Fine Arts participates in major art fairs worldwide, including Art Basel, Art Basel Hong Kong, Art Basel Miami Beach, The Armory Show, Frieze Masters, TEFAF Maastricht, and TEFAF New York.



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Ben Brown began his career at Sotheby's, where he spent 10 years in the Contemporary Art department, reaching the level of director. During his time there he pioneered the now well-respected Italian Sale, and his particular interest in the subject led Brown to concentrate on this little-represented field in London. Following Sotheby's and prior to opening Ben Brown Fine Arts, Brown spent two years as co-managing director at Waddington Galleries.



HUGO COBB

Hugo Cobb joined Ben Brown Fine Arts as a Senior Director, following a decade in the Contemporary art department at Sotheby's, where he headed the Evening sale. He is an expert in British art, spanning from Francis Bacon to Damien Hirst, and since joining Ben Brown Fine Arts has been focussed on the work of Pablo Picasso as well as François-Xavier and Claude Lalanne.

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