

# ART LAW DAY NYC

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2019 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law 55 Fifth Avenue, NYC

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5:00 – 6:30 pm Salmagundi Club 47 Fifth Avenue, NYC



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## 2019 ART LAW DAY

#### 8:00 – 9:00 AM CHECK-IN AND COFFEE

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#### 9:00 – 9:15 AM **WELCOME**

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9:15 - 9:45 AM

#### **KEYNOTE ADDRESS | CRIME AND PUNISHMENT OR PROVE IT!**



KENNY SCHACHTER Author, Artist, Curator, Dealer, Lecturer

I have heard time and again of pathological dealers selling a painting, even more than once, that they neither owned nor had the authority to sell. How were these dealers able to so seamlessly get away with defrauding their friends, associates, and partners for so long? That there is no definitive title to a work of art, yet anything resembling proof of legal ownership, is dumbfounding for a business said to approach \$60 billion per year. This talk will discuss what, if anything, constitutes title for art, and how the art market functions with such a clear and fundamental lack of clarity in something as essential as proof of ownership.

9:45 – 11:00 AM

#### THE ROAD TO REPATRIATION? RESTITUTION OF COLONIAL-ERA, NATIVE AMERICAN, AND INDIGENOUS ARTWORKS

Although always a nagging concern for U.S. museums, the taking of artworks and artifacts in the widespread looting of the colonial era now emerges as a primary issue following the Sarr-Savoy Report. This report addresses France's need to make amends for extensive looting in sub-Saharan Africa and it has sparked increased attention in Europe and the United States. This panel will review the Sarr-Savoy Report and its recommendations, discuss the historical facts upon which it is based and comparable situations occurring in colonized areas elsewhere, relate those events to the current situation with Native American losses and claims, and review the legal context of colonial appropriation issues.

Shannon O'Loughlin, Executive Director, Association of American Indian Affairs Thomas R. Kline, Partner, Cultural Heritage Partners, LLC Diala Touré, Ph.D., Principal, Senior Art Appraiser, Appraisals of Value, LLC Dorit Straus, Art and Insurance Advisor, Dorit Straus LLC, moderator

#### 11:00 – 11:15 AM COFFEE AND EXHIBITORS

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## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8



#### 11:15 – 12:30 PM NEW ISSUES AND PLATFORMS IN THE ART MARKET

This panel will provide an update on the important regulatory, tax, legal, and technology changes in the art world in 2019.

Nigel Glenday, Chief Financial Officer, Masterworks Marc Halsema, Partner, Chief of Staff, Global Family Office Advisory, Pennington Partners & Co., LLC Freya Stewart, CEO, Art Finance and Group General Counsel, The Fine Art Group Diana Wierbicki, Global Head of Art Law, Partner, Withers Bergman LLP, moderator

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#### 12:30 – 1:45 PM LUNCH

List of neighborhood restaurants provided.

#### 1:45 – 3:00 PM IP CAVEATS: WHEN IS THE IP AS IMPORTANT AS THE ART?

As the global market continues to expand, especially for contemporary art, a range of artistic practices and legal issues have emerged that involve intellectual property (IP) law. This panel will explore the many intellectual property issues that can emerge in creating, buying, reproducing, exhibiting, loaning, licensing and, more generally, exploiting an artwork, and how these legal constraints and protections for both artists and collectors differ from country to country.

Abbey Green, Corporate Counsel & Global Copyright Manager, Christie's Inc. Sarah Conley Odenkirk, Fine Art Attorney, ArtConverge Massimo Sterpi, Partner, Gianni Origoni Grippo Cappelli & Partners Virginia Rutledge, PIPE Arts Group, moderator

### 3:00 – 3:15 PM COFFEE AND EXHIBITORS

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#### 3:15 – 4:30 PM FINANCIAL OPTIONS FOR BUYING AND SELLING ART

This panel will discuss the current landscape of complex financial options, i.e., guarantees, loans, and lending alternatives, and how they are implemented to meet the needs of the buyer/seller in today's market.

Andy Augenblick, President, Emigrant Bank Fine Art Finance John R. Cahill, Esq. Katherine Wilson-Milne, Esq., Partner, Schindler Cohen & Hochman LLP Steven R. Schindler, Esq., Partner, Schindler Cohen & Hochman LLP, moderator

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#### 5:00 – 6:30 PM RECEPTION

All Members, Art Law Day Attendees, and Guests are welcome!

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