

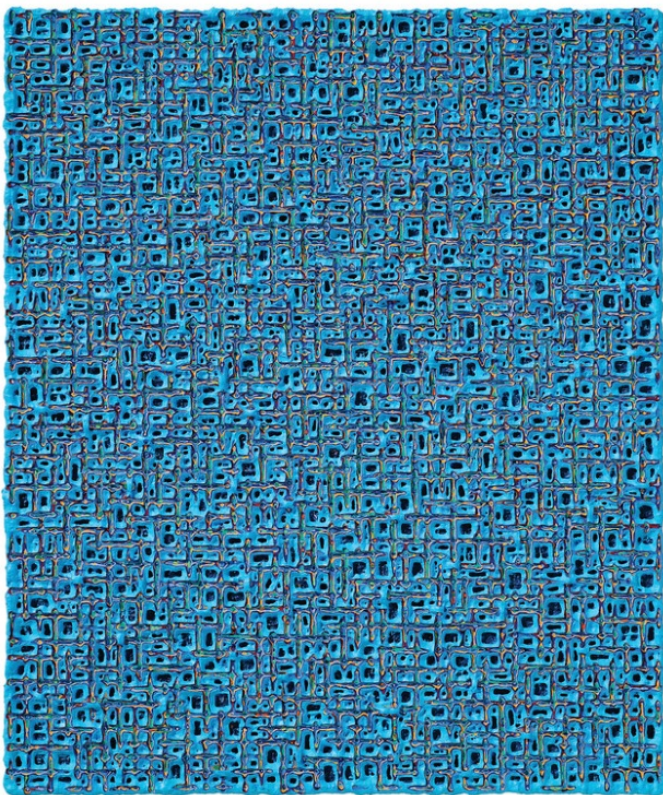
**THE 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL OBJECTS OF ART SANTA FE**

**August 10–13, 2017 at El Museo Cultural de Santa Fe**

**Among More than 70 Exhibitors, Featured Art Includes:**

**Santa Fe, NM**—From tribal, folk, and American Indian art, to paintings, sculpture, fashion, jewelry, furniture and more, the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Objects of Art Santa Fe Show bridges the worlds of historic and contemporary art in a high-quality global showcase of extraordinary objects of art. Following are a few exceptional works on offer from more than 70 featured exhibitors:

**EXHIBITOR: SM Fine Art Gallery, Seoul, South Korea & New York, NY**—Objects of Art Santa Fe will be among the first in the United States to have the opportunity to see and purchase these spectacular examples of Dansaekhwa. This premier fine art gallery specializing in international modern and contemporary art highlights iconic examples of the art of Dansaekhwa (pronounced dawn-say-qua) by two of the genre’s minimalist masters, Kim Tae-Ho and Kim Tschang-Yeul. Widely considered one of the most



influential Korean art movements of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, Dansaekhwa is rooted in mesmerizing abstractions. While the methods and mediums reflect a vast and varied monochromatic range, the works typically are rendered as layers of white, black, blue or earth-toned paints are pushed, dragged with pencils, or sometimes ripped across the canvas. Kim Tae-Ho’s multilayered monochromes reflect his singular sense of rhythm and flow, while the water drop paintings of Kim Tschang-Yeul, one of the most esteemed Korean philosopher-painters of the late 20<sup>th</sup> century, fuse Asian metaphysics and calligraphy with New York color field painting

and trompe l'oeil illusionism. Visitors to Objects of Art Santa Fe will be among the first in the United States to have the opportunity to see and purchase these spectacular examples of Dansaekhwa.

**Kim Tae-Ho, *Internal Rhythm*, acrylic on canvas**

**EXHIBITOR: Asiatica, Westwood, KA**—This year Objects of Art Santa Fe features three clothing designers with artisanal pieces on offer—including the Japanese-inspired, American-made designs of Asiatica. This well-known brand of artisanal fashion is distinguished for its extensive use of select luxury fabrics—including vintage kimonos, woven contemporary Nuno fabrics from Tokyo and fine Italian textiles—in making beautifully designed garments with unique style, texture and fit. Every Asiatica piece is a timelessly chic, one-of-a-kind example of fine workmanship, with every garment created by hand at the Asiatica store in Kansas City. At once wearable and flattering, every piece speaks to the needs of customers seeking a modern, comfortable and highly individualized style.



#### **ASIATICA ARTISANAL GARMENTS**

**(TOP TO BOTTOM):**

**Denovembre Vertigo Indigo/Ivory Tie Dye Scarf—An extremely soft merino wool with frayed edges**

**Temple Jacket in Patchwork of Indigo Ikats—A one-of-a-kind cropped jacket with an open front and wide simple sleeves in a tidy patchwork of vintage Japanese indigo cotton ikats**

**Paris Pant in Black Japanese Linen—A high-waisted, shaped, curve-leg cropped pant with an exposed button-front and slanted front pockets in black Japanese crumpled linen**

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**EXHIBITOR: Silverman's Selected Antiques, San Antonio, TX**—The unique and whimsical designs of New York jeweler Ed Wiener are among the select jewelry pieces that will be on offer at Objects of Art Santa Fe by this established San Antonio dealer specializing in mid-century Modern American studio jewelry, mid-century Scandinavian jewelry, and vintage sterling silver jewelry from the Arts and Crafts period. A native New Yorker, Wiener was largely self-taught and learned to make jewelry with plumber's and carpenter's tools. He began his career in the early days of the Abstract Expressionist movement of the late 1940's, blending influences from the artists' circles of post-Bauhaus Provincetown and Greenwich Village into works in silver described by art historian Dr. Milton W. Brown as having "unusual clarity in contrast to



the baroque exuberance and surrealistic fantasy of some of his contemporaries." Wiener, who later branched out into gold and precious jewels, died in 1991. His work drew notable artist-collectors, including sculptor Louise Nevelson and dancer Martha Graham, during his lifetime and remains highly collectible today.

**Ed Wiener, Sterling silver modernist cuff bracelet**

**Objects of Art Santa Fe takes place at El Museo Cultural de Santa Fe, 555 Camino de la Familia in the Santa Fe Railyard. The Opening Night Gala is Thursday, August 10 from 6-9pm; tickets are \$50 per person and all proceeds benefit KNME New Mexico PBS. The Objects of Art Santa Fe show runs August 10-13. Admission is \$15 per day, and includes entry to the special exhibition: *Homage to the Square*.**

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**For a list of exhibitors, visit [objectsofartsantafe.com](http://objectsofartsantafe.com). For more information, interview requests, and photos, please contact Clare Hertel at 505-474-6783 or 505-670-3090 [clare@clarehertelcommunications.com](mailto:clare@clarehertelcommunications.com).**

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