

BURNABY ART GALLERY

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BAG LAUNCHES BILINGUAL WEBSITE & BOOK Canadian Artist Takao Tanabe Showcased With Works from a Touring Exhibition and New Publication *Chronicles of Form and Place: Works on Paper by Takao Tanabe*

BURNABY, BC – The Burnaby Art Gallery is pleased to announce the launch of a new bilingual website and publication on senior Canadian artist Takao Tanabe. Through a commitment to exhibiting culturally important works on paper, the website www.formandplace.ca showcases works from both the touring exhibition and publication *Chronicles of Form and Place: Works on Paper by Takao Tanabe*. Held at the Burnaby Art Gallery in winter 2012, this exhibition is a retrospective of the artist's works on paper – many never before seen by the public. The exhibition continues as it tours to the McMaster Museum of Art in Hamilton, Ontario, The Nanaimo Art Gallery in Nanaimo, BC and The Reach in Abbotsford, BC.



Rocky Mountains Winter 2
2009
Watercolour on paper
75.3 x 57.5 cm
Collection of the Artist
© Takao Tanabe, 2012

Incorporated in this website is a full image gallery of Tanabe's works on paper, a selection of texts, programs and activities for educators as well as exclusive footage of the artist's studio. It is with great pleasure that we present this website as a resource and an opportunity to examine Takao Tanabe's rich history of art-making. For inquiries regarding the full-colour hardcover publication, please contact gallery@burnaby.ca

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The Burnaby Art Gallery is dedicated to collecting, preserving and presenting a contemporary and historical visual art program by local, national and internationally recognized artists. As the stewards of the third largest public art museum collection within the Province of British Columbia, the Burnaby Art Gallery cares for and manages over 4,000 works of art. The Burnaby Art Gallery is a nationally recognized leader in print culture dedicated to showcasing original hand pulled prints and ephemera related to printmaking in Canada.

For more information about the gallery's exhibitions, programs, tours, call 604-297-4422 or visit www.burnabyartgallery.ca. Located in beautiful surroundings of Deer Lake Park, the Burnaby Art Gallery is open Tuesday to Friday, 10:00 am-4:30 pm and Saturday and Sunday, 12:00-5:00 pm. Admission is by donation; parking is free.

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