

BURNABY ART GALLERY

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New Acquisitions July 12 – August 25, 2013*



BURNABY, BC – The Burnaby Art Gallery is pleased to announce its collection showcase, *New Acquisitions*. Every two years the Burnaby Art Gallery dedicates time and space to display a selection of its most recent acquisitions. This year, both historical and contemporary works will be displayed together throughout the gallery chronicling works acquired between the years 2010 and 2013 through both gifts and purchases (with the assistance of the Canada Council). Works by artists Henry Eric Bergman, Molly Lamb Bobak, Brendan Fernandes, L. LeMoine FitzGerald, Angela Gooliaff, Jude Griebel, Doug Guildford, Denise Hawrysis, J. C. Heywood, Davida Kidd, John Koerner, Michael Morris, Toni Onley, Gordon Smith, Sylvia Tait and Lionel Thomas will be on display.

To read the full artist biographies please visit our website [here](#).

**Please note the Lower Gallery will close August 18 for installation, the Upper Gallery will remain open until August 25*

Image Credit: **(Left)** Brendan Fernandes, *Untitled Corpus I*, 2011, lithograph on paper, 91.4 x 61.0 cm, Ed. 1/4, Collection of the Burnaby Art Gallery, Purchased with the support of the Canada Council for the Arts Acquisition Assistance program/Oeuvre achetée avec l'aide du programme d'aide aux acquisitions du Conseil des Arts du Canada, photograph: Scott Massey, SITE Photography. **(Middle)** Brendan Fernandes, *Untitled Corpus II*, 2011, lithograph on paper, 91.4 x 61.0 cm, Ed. 1/4, Collection of the Burnaby Art Gallery, Purchased with the support of the Canada Council for the Arts Acquisition Assistance program/Oeuvre achetée avec l'aide du programme d'aide aux acquisitions du Conseil des Arts du Canada, photograph: Scott Massey, SITE Photography. **(Right)** Brendan Fernandes, *Untitled Corpus III*, 2011, lithograph on paper, 91.4 x 61.0 cm, Ed. 1/4, Collection of the Burnaby Art Gallery, Purchased with the support of the Canada Council for the Arts Acquisition Assistance program/Oeuvre achetée avec l'aide du programme d'aide aux acquisitions du Conseil des Arts du Canada, photograph: Scott Massey, SITE Photography.



Lionel Thomas, *Vulpecula – “The Fox” + Telescopium – The Eye + Star Types*, 1981, Etching and collograph on paper, 59.8 x 58.0 cm, Ed. 4/88, Collection of the Burnaby Art Gallery, Gift of Maureen and Phaedon Arvanitidis, photograph: Scott Massey, SITE Photography.

GALLERY PROGRAMMING

Lunch B.A.G. Day

Friday, July 12, noon-1pm, all ages

\$12 includes lunch

Tour the current exhibits with the gallery's public programmer and enjoy lunch and sweets with tea and coffee. Register 24hrs in advance, 604-297-4422

In the B.A.G: Family Program

Saturday, August 24, 1-4pm, all ages, free

Join us for an interactive experience that combines the current gallery exhibitions with hands-on studio activity.

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

The Burnaby Art Gallery acknowledges the generous support provided by: the City of Burnaby; the British Columbia Arts Council; the Province of British Columbia, its patrons and visitors.

