

Press Release

MAK DAY 2018

SAGMEISTER & WALSH: Beauty at the MAK plus Biedermeier Idyll and James Turrell at the Geymüllerschlössel

MAK DAY 2018 Friday, 26 October 2018

Venues MAK – Austrian Museum of Applied Arts /

Contemporary Art

Stubenring 5, 1010 Vienna

10 a.m.-6 p.m.

MAK Branch Geymüllerschlössel Pötzleinsdorferstraße 102, 1180 Vienna

11 a.m.-6 p.m.

Admission € 5 (valid for the MAK and for the MAK Branch

Geymüllerschlössel)

At a reduced entrance fee, the MAK DAY 2018 offers a full program centered on the exhibition *SAGMEISTER & WALSH: Beauty*. This includes hourly guided tours of the exhibition, an Artist's Talk with French artist Thierry Jeannot, a contributor to the *Beauty* exhibition, and a workshop for the whole family (ages 4+) with the theme *There's more beauty than you'd think!*. In addition, the MAK DAY 2018 offers comprehensive information on the MAK Permanent Collections via the MAK app for smartphone and tablet, plus a presentation of the EU project *ART NOUVEAU*, focusing on promoting and preserving the architectural Art Nouveau heritage of the Danube region.

The reduced entrance fee also includes admission to the MAK Branch Geymüllerschlössel. Short guided tours and walks through the Geymüllerschlössel and park complete the program, affording an insight into diverse aspects of Biedermeier life and contemporary art stances represented in the park, to include James Turrell's skyspace work *The other Horizon* (1998/2004).

PROGRAM ON MAK DAY 2018 AT THE MAK ON STUBENRING

Overview Tours

through the exhibition SAGMEISTER & WALSH: Beauty

11 a.m. / 12 noon / 2 p.m. / 3 p.m. / 4 p.m. / 5 p.m. Meeting point for all tours: MAK Columned Main Hall

Duration: approx. 50 min. each

No registration required: First come, first served!



3 p.m.

Artist's Talk/Video Projection/Panel Discussion with Thierry Jeannot, participating artist, SAGMEISTER & WALSH: Beauty

(in English)

The French artist Thierry Jeannot, who has been living and working in Mexico City since 2005, combines recycled materials and sophisticated manufacturing processes to create new, unique works of art. Cut to size and formed by fire and heat, the PET bottle replaces crystal glass. As with the chandelier he designed for the exhibition *SAGMEISTER & WALSH: Beauty*, Jeannot's work always reveals a social aspect. Kindly supported by the Mexican Cultural Institute Vienna

10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Project Presentation ART NOUVEAU. Sustainable protection and promotion of the Art Nouveau Heritage in the Danube Region

With its partner countries Austria, Hungary, Slovenia, Croatia, Serbia, Bulgaria, and Romania, the EU project *ART NOUVEAU* focuses on a region that has hitherto received little attention from international Art Nouveau reception. Joined together by a common history, the partnership's goal is to sustainably promote and preserve the architectural Art Nouveau heritage of the Danube region through research and targeted PR work.



MAK4FAMILY

There's more beauty than you'd think!

2-4 p.m.

Workshop for the whole family (ages 4+)

Sounds, scents, colors, clouds of mist—beauty is often hidden in the details, though not always. Come and gaze at a stunningly beautiful exhibition—and afterwards create something truly ugly.

Workshop free of charge. No registration necessary.

MAK App

Download now! For smartphone or tablet! (iOS and Android)

For the first overview at home, for a short visit, or for an intensive discussion: MAK Permanent Collection *VIENNA 1900: Design / Arts and Crafts 1890–1938* MAK Permanent Collection *ASIA: China—Japan—Korea* MAK Permanent Collection *CARPETS*



PROGRAM ON MAK DAY 2018 AT THE GEYMÜLLERSCHLÖSSEL

MAK Branch Geymüllerschlössel Pötzleinsdorferstraße 102, 1180 Vienna 11 a.m.–6 p.m.

Meeting point for all tours: foyer of the Geymüllerschlössel

Duration: approx. 60 min. each

No registration required: First come, first served!

11 a.m.-6 p.m.

Information service and short guided tours

11 a.m.

Tour through the Geymüllerschlössel & the Park

3 p.m.

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