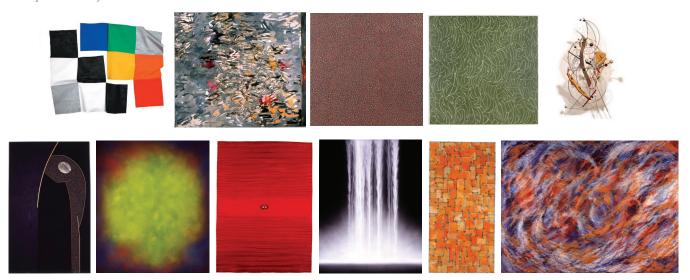
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SUNDARAM TAGORE GALLERY ANNOUNCES THE GRAND OPENING OF ITS SECOND GALLERY IN BEVERLY HILLS: The Opening Exhibition Features Artists from Asia and the West in an Intercultural Exchange

April 5 - May 18, 2008



Beverly Hills, CA (March 15, 2008) – SUNDARAM TAGORE GALLERY is pleased to announce the grand opening of its second location in the heart of Beverly Hills. Representing artists who explore international and intercultural dialogue, New York-based Sundaram Tagore Gallery is delighted to have the support of Beverly Hills and the Los Angeles art community in its expansion.

The grand opening exhibition will feature a group show titled *Lights and Shadows: Art from Asia and the West.* The exhibition opens with a cocktail reception on Saturday, April 5, from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. and runs through May 18. The show will feature six artists from the East and five artists from the West.

Gallerist Sundaram Tagore said, "All these artists have spent their lives working in and exploring different eastern and western cultures – including India, China, Nepal, Japan, Italy, Holland, and America. Together, they create an incredible mosaic and foster an intercultural dialogue that reflects a diversity of thought and artistic style."

He added, "What is most exciting is that these artists are part of our grand opening in this city which has an exceptional international and culturally sophisticated audience. LA has an enormous Asian influence. We are excited to share our artists' work in this setting and we are thankful for the overwhelming support of the city's arts community."

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ABOUT OWNER AND GALLERIST SUNDARAM TAGORE

The great grandson of Nobel laureate Rabindranath Tagore, Sundaram Tagore comes from 14 generations of artists, writers and poets. Earlier this year, Sundaram was profiled by Forbes as "India's Art Ambassador" and as the featured guest on CNN International's 30-minute show "Talk Asia." Having completed his Ph.D. coursework in art history at Oxford University, Tagore began his career as the Director of the Asian division of New York contemporary art gallery Pace Wildenstein. He advises major art institutions including the Museum of Modern Art, the Guggenheim, the Metropolitan Museum, Tibet House, and The National Gallery of Modern Art in New Delhi. In addition, Tagore was the curator for the UN's 50th anniversary exhibition and was named one of the 100 Most Influential Asian-Americans in the U.S. by Avenue Magazine.

GALLERY MISSION

Sundaram Tagore Gallery is devoted to the examination of intercultural dialogue and the confluence between the East, West and other parts of the world. Our global community of artists originates from India, Japan, Korea, Nepal, Uzbekistan, Turkey, Europe and America. We communicate not only through aesthetics, but rather with a unique approach that encompasses all forms of art, including film, poetry, dance, and literature. Our publications department has produced more than 20 catalogues on our artists, and we are currently developing a department dedicated to film production. In New York, our non-profit division has hosted hundreds of charity events, dance performances, book launches, poetry readings, and fundraisers for the artistic, international and NYC community. We look forward to continuing this tradition of comprehensive and holistic artistic support in Los Angeles.

Following is a complete list of the artists: Natvar Bhavsar, Nathan Slate Joseph, Ho Sook Kang, Sohan Qadri, Anil Revri, Susan Weil, Hiroshi Senju, Judith Murray, Lee Waisler, Fré Ilgen, and Stan Gregory.

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