



... news flashes from the Ethnic Arts Council

September 2012

## **SPECIAL SILENT AUCTION EDITION!**

**EAC Annual Dinner and Silent Auction  
October 7, 2012, 6pm  
Fowler Museum at UCLA**

This year's event promises to be worth the wait! Surrounded by tribal and contemporary art, rich history, and the elegant ambiance of the Fowler Museum at UCLA, EAC members and their guests will enjoy a fabulous evening dining under the stars with wonderful friends, old and new and opportunities to bid on an array of art treasures and unique cultural experiences.

Dinner and auction proceeds will benefit the **EAC Grants Program** to fund museum ethnic arts acquisitions, exhibitions and research. Donations will be acknowledged in the dinner program and on the EAC website through September 2013.

We thank you for your continued support, friendship, and participation in the Ethnic Arts Council. We look forward to seeing you on **Sunday, October 7, 6pm** at the Fowler Museum at UCLA.

**Please make an Auction Donation today!**

Your tax-deductible donations of art, treasures, tickets and gift certificates are greatly appreciated and will be recognized in the program and on the EAC website.

Please contact Mark Johnson: [gallery@markajohnson.com](mailto:gallery@markajohnson.com) or (888) 980-2662 or Georgia Case: [casegeorgia@yahoo.com](mailto:casegeorgia@yahoo.com) or (562) 276-3126 to make a contribution.

**PLEASE CHECK OUT THE ITEMS AVAILABLE AT THIS YEAR'S SILENT AUCTION (note: this is a partial list - more to come):**



**TRIBAL ART:**



**Shrine Door. Toraja, Indonesia. Value: \$5,000**



**Shrine Door. Toraja, Indonesia. Value: \$1,000**



**Panel figure from village ritual center. Naga, Nagaland. Value: \$1,000**



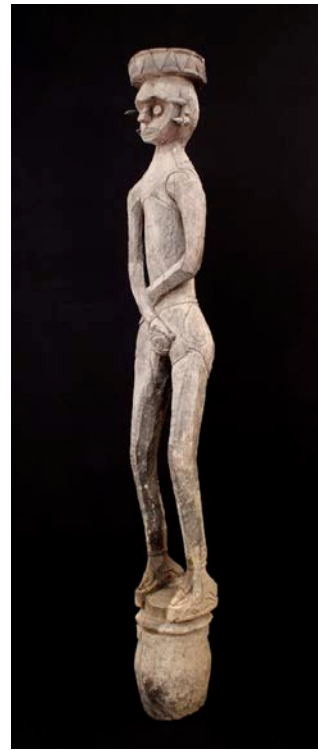
**Ceramic figure. Veracruz, 500 a.d.  
Value: \$2,800. From Ron Dammann.**



**Wood mask. Idoma, Nigeria.  
Value: \$2,500. From Jose Terz.**



**Wood statue. Banaa,  
Vietnam. Value: \$600.**



**Guardian Sculpture. Ironwood. Modang Dayak,  
Borneo Island, Indonesia. Value: \$3,500. At eight feet  
tall, this figure will not be on display. Delivery included.**



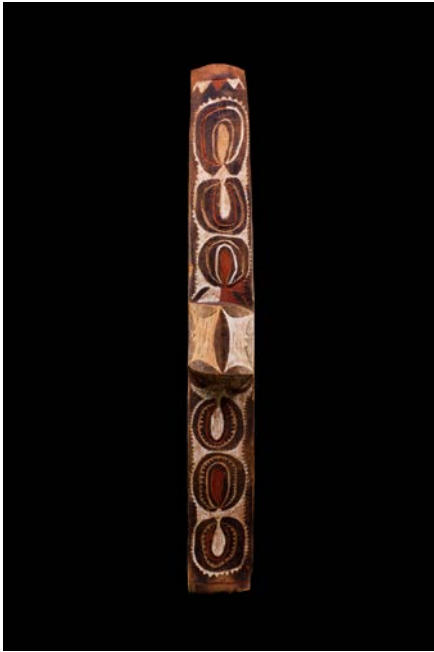
**Tribal art from Oceanic Art dealer Michael Hamson available only on eBay to benefit the EAC Silent Auction. The full amount of the final bid will be donated to the EAC Grants Fund. Auction starts this Wednesday September 24<sup>th</sup> and lasts one week. Michael Hamson's eBay name is: [artofthesouthseas](https://www.ebay.com/str/artofthesouthseas). Please bid on these six items before the end of his special eBay auction, on Wednesday, Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup>.**



**Food pounder. Circa: 1930s. Kairiru Island, Sepik coastal area, Papua New Guinea.**



**Wood mask. Circa: 1920-1940. Keram River area. Papua New Guinea.**



Shield. Early-mid 20th century.  
Kakanai, New Britain, PNG.

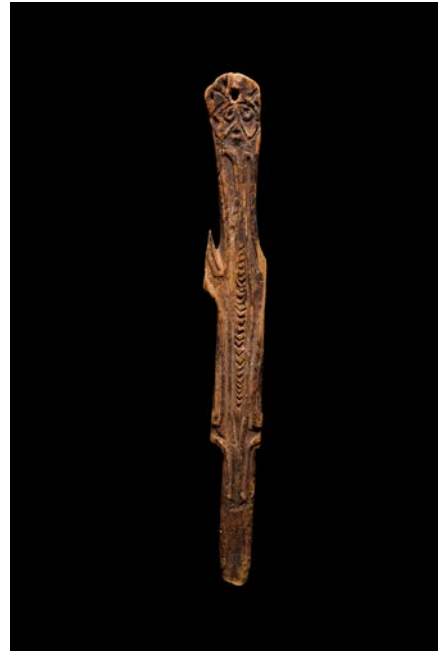


Figure fragment. Pre-20th century.  
Bioma, Papuan Gulf, PNG.



Rare double figure with human &  
wallaby. Pre 1940. Massim, PNG.



“Mei” Mask. Circa: 1940s. Iatmul,  
Middle Sepik River, PNG.



**PUBLICATIONS:**

“Batak Sculpture”, by Achim Sibeth and Bruce Carpenter. Value: \$75.

“Pancha Terra”, by Walton Ford with “Africa” by Leni Reifenstahl. Total Value: \$230.

“Latin American Drawings Today”, SD Museum of Art. Value: \$40.

“The Familiars Trilogy” set, signed by author. Value: ?

Two copies of “Exhibitionist: Earl Stendahl, Art Dealer as Impresario”, by April Dammann. April will personally sign the copy. Value: \$50 each.

**TICKETS, DINNERS, & GIFT CERTIFICATES:**

LACMA VIP Tickets: VIP entry into all LACMA galleries and exhibitions include free admission and ticketed exhibitions including Stanley Kubrick (Nov. 1, 2012 – June 30, 2013) and Caravaggio and His Legacy (Nov. 11, 2012 – Feb.10, 2013). From Nancy Thomas.

Dinner for four with Jonathan Gold, Pulitzer prize-winning LA Times restaurant critic. Join Jonathan as he picks a restaurant to review, dine with and watch him evaluate all of the edibles for taste, texture, structure, and history of such foods. Value: priceless. Starting bid: \$100 each.

Dinner for two with Josiah Citrin, chef-owner of the 2-star Michelin-rated restaurant *MELISSE* in Santa Monica. Value: \$250.

Two orchestra seating tickets to the Los Angeles Opera production of Puccini’s *Tosca*. May 26, 2013 at 2pm. Value: \$298.

Southwest Museum behind the scenes tour with American Indian expert Philip Garaway.

Aquarium of the Pacific exclusive tour for 6.



**OTHER TREASURES:**

Art Appraisals by leading art experts: Jerry Solomon, Ron Dammann, Philip Garaway, and Mark Johnson.

Framed poster of African Tribal Masks exhibition at Leslie Sacks Fine Arts Gallery. From Leslie Sacks Fine Arts. Value: \$250.

Haas Avocado trees, ready for planting. Three one-year old trees: two Haas and one pollinator. 2 to 3 years before bear fruit. From Bryce Bannatyne's Oxnard ranch. Value: \$150.

Beautiful Lavender Jade Carving of Buddha Hand. From Elizabeth Mitamura. Value: \$500+

**\*You can still sign up for the Dinner: Deadline has been extended to Noon, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2012. Guests welcome.**

**\$125 per person.**

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