

BUNDESKUNSTHALLE

Invitation to a Media Conference
Wednesday, 7 October 2015, 11 a.m.

JAPAN'S LOVE FOR IMPRESSIONISM

From Monet to Renoir

8 October 2015 – 21 February 2016

At the heart of the exhibition are some 90 masterpieces by French Impressionist and Post-Impressionist artists, among them Monet, Manet, Cézanne, Gauguin, Bonnard, Pissarro, Renoir, Signac, Sisley and van Gogh. The exhibition sets out to present these works in Europe, where they have not been seen since they went to Japan. The paintings are complemented by a selection of works by Japanese artists from the period before 1920 that laid the foundation for modern, Western-inspired Japanese art. Together, they tell the story of the interaction and two-way artistic influence between Europe and Japan from a new perspective.

At the end of the nineteenth century Japanese collectors began to put together Impressionist collections of outstanding quality. This development began with the industrialist Kōjirō Matsukata, who was a close friend of Claude Monet. Today there are several distinguished collections that are shown in renowned public and private museums. A selection of exquisite works from these Japanese museums now returns exclusively to Europe.

We cordially invite you to a media conference on Wednesday, 7 October 2015 at 11 a.m. The exhibition opens at 10 a.m.

Participants:

- Rein Wolfs, Director of the Bundeskunsthalle
- Atsushi Miura, Chief Curator of the exhibition
- Beate Marks-Hanßen, Curator of the exhibition
- Sven Bergmann, Press Officer of the Bundeskunsthalle

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We look forward to seeing you.

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She, fully turning around, became terrestrial

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