22 HOT DATES



OCT 12 – JAN 20 CLAY PORTRAITS: GERTRAUD MÖHWALD (1929 – 2002)

Gertraud Möhwald was one of Germany's most significant modern-day artisans, well known for disregarding any puritanical rules in clay making. To add tone and rustic form to her ceramic heads and torso sculptures, she added ceramic fragments, found objects and coloured paper. Over 20 works are on display.

GARDINER MUSEUM, 111 QUEEN'S PARK, 416 586 8080

TORONTO INTERNATIONAL ART FAIR

There is always something for everyone's taste (and wallet) at TIAF. With over 95 participating Canadian and international galleries and a bigger show space, this year will likely top the past eight in terms of what there is to see, love, hate, critique and buy.

METRO TORONTO CONVENTION CENTRE, 255 FRONT ST W WWW.TIAFAIR.COM

NOV 4 - 11 CANSTRUCTION

If you're around the TD Centre and see a giant octopus made out of thousands of tuna cans, you're not crazy. This ingenious "canstruction" and others like it are on display in the lobbies of the King and Bay complex as part of an annual art contest–slash–canned food drive. Always impressive as well as fun.

WWW.SDACANADA.COM/CANSTRUCTION





FEB 21 – 24 INTERIOR DESIGN SHOW

This year, IDS poses the question, Where can the line be drawn between art and design? To explore the topic, überfashionable Belgian designer Arne Quinze is a guest speaker. In addition, seminal works by 10 of Canada's most innovative designers will be on display in an exhibit curated by *Azure* magazine and Rachel Gotlieb.

DIRECT ENERGY CENTRE, WWW.INTERIORDESIGNSHOW.COM

FEB 22 - 24 COME UP TO MY ROOM

Three days, 12 rooms and a 118-year-old hotel make for an edgy, alternative furniture and interior design show that's anything but predictable. Held the same weekend as IDS, the show invites local designers to create installations in the second-floor rooms of the Gladstone Hotel.

GLADSTONE HOTEL, 1214 QUEEN ST W. 416 531 4635