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Enjoy the Peggy Guggenheim Shop

...and treat yourself to the splendid colour catalogue, especially designed, written and produced for this exhibition with fascinating content about Peggy and the artists and more stunning images – only \$34.95, and while you're at it...pick up some lovely presents for yourself and friends from the great array of Peggy inspired merchandise!

Audio tour

- Enjoy the exhibition at your own pace.
- Take an exciting journey that brings these paintings to life.
- Immerse yourself in the atmosphere of modern art in 20th century Europe.
- Discover fascinating facts and personal quotes from Peggy Guggenheim.
- Hear captivating stories about the artists who changed the landscape of modern art.
- Venice-born Dr Stefano Carboni, Art Gallery of WA Director, talks about his vision to bring *Great Collections of the World* like this one exclusively to Perth.
- Hear the Director of the Peggy Guggenheim Collection in Venice Dr Philip Rylands' personal memories of Peggy and his vast experience with her Collection.

Masterclass Lecture Series

Avoid the crowds and enjoy exclusive after-hours access with fascinating insights from leading art academics. Details: greatcollections.com.au

BOOKINGS for the following Masterclasses: 9492 6644 or public.programs@artgallery.wa.gov.au

October

Peggy and her sculptures

Dr Stefano Carboni, Director
Monday 25 October – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

November

Abstraction and Surrealism

Melissa Harpley, Curator
Monday 8 November – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

Duchamp

Donal Fitzpatrick, Associate Professor
Curtin University of Technology
Monday 15 November – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

December

Mondrian, Pollock and Peggy

Leigh Robb, PICA Curator
Monday 6 December – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

Windows to Illuminate the Unconscious

Paul Uhlmann, Lecturer in Visual Art
Edith Cowan University
Monday 13 December – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

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de Chirico and the Surrealists

Darren Jorgensen, Art History lecturer
(UWA Summer School) Monday 17 January – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

Collectors: Guggenheims / Steins / Cones

Professor Ted Snell, Director Cultural Precinct
(UWA Summer School) Wednesday 19 January – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

January

Peggy Guggenheim: A journey of discovery

Chief Curator Gary Dufour (UWA Summer School)
Monday 24 January – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

Mondrian: Nature and Abstraction

Professor Richard Read (UWA Summer School)
Tuesday 25 January – 5.30pm
\$33 includes exhibition entry

Youth Art

Youth Photography Awards 2010

Age categories: 13 – 17yrs and 18 – 25yrs
Themes: Landscape / Surrealist Portrait / Environmental Portrait
Prizes: Win a Gallery Shop gift voucher for \$150 or spend a day with the Gallery Photographer learning the techniques of artwork photography! Entry form and details available on our website greatcollections.com.au. Follow the links to Events for Teens and Young Adults.

Youth Arts Workshops

Become a street artist & Screen-print your subconscious
Throughout November and December. See website for details greatcollections.com.au and follow the links to Events for Teens and Young Adults.

ART GALLERY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA PRESENTS
GREAT COLLECTIONS OF THE WORLD

Peggy Guggenheim
A COLLECTION IN VENICE

Public Programs

9 October – 31 January

Come to the Art Gallery of Western Australia and enjoy a range of activities...

Special Events

Workshops

Masterclasses

Competitions

This exhibition has been organised by the Solomon R. Guggenheim Foundation, New York, and the Art Gallery of Western Australia.



Peggy Guggenheim COLLECTION



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Welcome to Peggy Guggenheim: *A Collection in Venice*

See this wonderful exhibition, experience the best of international culture in your home town AND enjoy a range of fun and interesting activities...

Special Events Workshops Masterclasses Competitions

Peggy Guggenheim was one of the most colourful and influential characters the 20th Century art world had ever seen. Her life reads like a movie script, full of excitement, love and drama.

So come enjoy the excitement and make the most of this exclusive opportunity right here in Perth! There is heaps to do – and see – and learn more about.

Get to know Peggy and her artist friends...

Born into a wealthy industrialist family in New York in 1898, Peggy grew up with an extravagant lifestyle. Sadly she was just 14 when her father died heroically during the sinking of the Titanic. But Peggy went on to become her own woman, a strong character, making friends with many of the contemporary artists and writers of her time, even launching and fostering many of their careers.

Peggy moved to Venice in 1949, purchasing the Palazzo dei Leoni on the Grand Canal as her home; later opening it to tourists. Today her collection of more than 260 pieces remains one of Venice's busiest and best loved tourist attractions.

Special Events

Italian Festival Day

Sunday 7 November 10am-3pm

A major event day filled with vibrant activities for all ages!

- Food and wine / cooking / tasting / demonstrating, with some of Perth's best known celebrity chefs.
- Glass working demonstrations.
- Art activities for kids, face painting and story telling.
- Boccé on the lawn.
- Commedia Dell'Arte performances & Live Music.
- Youth focus art activity – Jackson Pollock style performance!

- Art of espresso making.

Free for Children from 10am – 3pm

Find out more on our website: greatcollections.com.au

Peggy Guggenheim Party Night

Friday 14 January 7.30 – 11.30pm

Aimed at you young, fun singles with a bit of culture and class! Visit the Gallery in a unique environment, take a chance to appreciate the artworks with an exclusive viewing of the Guggenheim exhibition in a social setting, with lovely food and wine. Cash bar only. This is an 18+ event, photo ID required. \$33 per person. Booking required: 9492 6644 or public.programs@artgallery.wa.gov.au

Grandparent's Day

Friday 14 January 10am – 1pm

A fun day for grandparents to spend quality time with their grandchildren in this stimulating environment of art activities, the Peggy Guggenheim children's trail and *wonderland*, our interactive family activity space. Art Activity \$3 per child, includes all materials. No bookings required. Free for Children from 10am – 1pm.

Lego Art Event

Thursday 20 January – Sunday 23 January 2011,
10am – 2pm

Create your own fantastic Guggenheim inspired sculpture using our 60,000 pieces of white Lego! Suitable for ages 4 – 16. Cost: \$3 entry per child, time limits may apply. No booking required.

Public Programs Calendar

October

Youth Arts Photography Competition

Age categories: 13 – 17yrs and 18 – 25yrs and prizes

Teacher's Previews

Monday 11 & Thursday 14 | 4.45 – 7pm

November

Italian Festival Day – Gala Event

Sunday 7 November | 10am – 3pm

A major event day filled with vibrant activities for all ages, including fine Venetian cuisine and Italian wines.

Youth Arts Workshops

Wednesday 17 & Sunday 21 | 10am – 1pm

Become a street artist

December

Youth Arts Workshop

Wednesday 1, Sunday 12 | 10am – 1pm

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Youth Arts Workshop

Wed 15, Fri 17, Sat 18 & Sun 19 | 1 – 4pm

Screenprint your subconscious

January 2011

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