

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3932]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "Anthony van Dyck: 'Ecce Homo' and 'The Mocking of Christ'"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999, and Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999, as amended, I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition "Anthony van Dyck: 'Ecce Homo' and 'The Mocking of Christ'", imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to a loan agreement with the foreign owner. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at The Art Museum, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ from on or about March 9, 2002 to on or about June 9, 2002, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these Determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of the exhibit objects, contact Carol B. Epstein, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State, (telephone: 202/619-6981). The address is U.S. Department of State, SA-44, 301 4th Street, SW., Room 700, Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: February 22, 2002.

Patricia S. Harrison,

Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3929]

Culturally Significant Object Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "Caspar David Friedrich's Giant Mountain (View of the Small Sturmhaube From Warmbrunn) c. 1810"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999, and Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999, as amended, I hereby determine that the object to be included in the exhibition "Caspar David Friedrich's Giant Mountain (View of the Small Sturmhaube from Warmbrunn) c. 1810," imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, is of cultural significance. The object is imported pursuant to a loan agreement with the foreign owner. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit object at the Russian Ambassador's residence, Washington, DC on or about March 14, 2002, and the Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX from on or about March 15, 2002 to on or about September 30, 2002, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these Determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, contact Carol B. Epstein, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State, (telephone: 202/619-6981). The address is U.S. Department of State, SA-44, 301 4th Street, SW., Room 700, Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: February 22, 2002.

Patricia S. Harrison,

Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3930]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "Oskar Kokoschka: Early Portraits, Vienna-Berlin, 1909-1914"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et*

seq.), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999, and Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999, as amended, I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition "Oskar Kokoschka: Early Portraits, Vienna-Berlin, 1909-1914," imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to loan agreements with the foreign owners. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at the Neue Galerie, New York, NY, from on or about March 15, 2002, to on or about June 10, 2002, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these Determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of the exhibit objects, contact Julianne Simpson, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State, (telephone: 202/619-6529). The address is U.S. Department of State, SA-44, 301 4th Street, S.W., Room 700, Washington, D.C. 20547-0001.

Dated: February 22, 2002.

Patricia S. Harrison,

Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3931]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "Rubens, Jordaens, Van Dyck and Their Circle: Flemish Master Drawings From the Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 [79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459], Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 [112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*], Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999 [64 FR 56014], and Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999 [64 FR 57920], as amended, I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition, "Rubens, Jordaens, Van Dyck and their Circle: Flemish Master Drawings from the Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen,"

imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. These objects are imported pursuant to loan agreements with the foreign lenders. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at The Frick Art Museum, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, from on or about April 5, 2002, to on or about June 2, 2002, the Appleton Museum of Art, Ocala, Florida, from on or about September 13, 2002, to on or about November 10, 2002, the Frist Center for the Visual Arts, Nashville, Tennessee, from on or about November 26, 2002, to on or about January 26, 2003, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of exhibit objects, contact Paul W. Manning, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, 202/619-5997, and the address is United States Department of State, SA-44, Room 700, 301 4th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: February 19, 2002.

Patricia S. Harrison,

Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 3927]

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs Request for Grant Proposals: Balkan Educational Partnerships Program

SUMMARY: The Office of Global Educational Programs of the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs announces an open competition for the Balkan Educational Partnerships Program. Public and private non-profit organizations and educational institutions meeting the provisions described in Internal Revenue Code 26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3) may submit proposals to cooperate with the Bureau in the administration of a three-year program to support the development of instruction in civic education, public administration, business administration, and the social, economic, and political sciences at eligible Balkan university faculties or departments and educational institutions. The means for achieving these objectives may include the exchange of teachers, administrators, and advanced students

from the Balkan region with appropriate U.S. counterpart colleges and universities.

Program Information

Overview

The Balkan Educational Partnerships Program will fund three-year projects to permit U.S. institutions to work with counterpart university departments and educational institutions in Balkan countries and locations as specified in the RFGP. Applicants may either identify a U.S. college or university with which each Balkan educational partner would cooperate, or propose other models for exchange that will lead to the achievement of program objectives through increased cooperation by the Balkan partner institutions, their teachers and students with U.S. scholars, educators, and other professional experts. Pending availability of funds, approximately \$2,010,000 is expected to be available in support of the Balkan Educational Partnerships Program in FY 2002.

Objectives

Program objectives are to assist participating Balkan institutions and individuals to: (1) Develop courses and curricula in eligible fields; (2) Improve teaching methods; (3) Develop educational materials which support new courses and curricula; (4) Train teachers or other practitioners in the effective use of these materials; and (5) Foster enduring relationships with U.S. academic institutions and educators. The program should equip participating Balkan institutions and educators to assist with the transitions to more market-oriented economies, to democratic political life, to strengthened civil societies, and to responsible administrative practices in the public sector. At the conclusion of the program, teachers at the participating Balkan institutions should be capable of teaching the newly introduced or revised courses and should be able to participate more fully in international dialogue with U.S. and other educators. Students graduating from the participating Balkan institutions should be better prepared to assume responsibilities in public service, education, and the private sector, and to exercise the duties of citizens in a democratic society.

Pending availability of funds, grants should begin on or about September 1, 2002.

Applicants should propose a plan that includes all of the projects listed below. If a specific partner is not identified, the applicant may identify any appropriate

partner from the country or entity specified.

Albania: Political science at Tirana University. Funding for this project should not exceed \$225,000.

Kosovo: Civic education. This project should be designed to support curriculum development at the primary or secondary level rather than at the university level and may include participants at the university level in Kosovo as well as the elementary and secondary levels. Educational administrators are also eligible to participate. Funding for this project should not exceed \$185,000.

Kosovo: Law, education, or the social sciences. This project may include one or more faculties or departments of the University of Pristina. Funding for this project should not exceed \$670,000.

Montenegro: Public administration and business administration. This project may include one or more faculties or departments. Funding for this project should not exceed \$550,000.

Serbia (except Kosovo): Economics/business at the University of Novi Sad. Funding for this project should not exceed \$180,000.

Serbia (except Kosovo): Law, business, public administration, journalism, education or the social sciences. This project may include one or more faculties or departments at one or more Serbian universities. Funding for this project(s) should not exceed \$200,000.

The Bureau anticipates that funding may become available for additional sites in the future. Applicants are encouraged to contact the program office to discuss options and priorities for the various locations listed above.

Participant Eligibility

All participants traveling to the Balkans funded under the grant should represent U.S. educational institutions and must be U.S. citizens. Foreign participants must be both qualified to receive U.S. J-1 visas and willing to travel to the U.S. under the provisions of a J-1 visa during the exchange visits funded by this Program.

Programs must comply with J-1 visa regulations. Please refer to Solicitation Package for further information.

Budget Guidelines

The Bureau anticipates awarding one grant not to exceed \$2,010,000. Applicants may submit a budget not to exceed this amount. Organizations with less than four years experience in conducting international exchanges are limited to \$60,000, and are not encouraged to apply. The Bureau encourages applicants to provide