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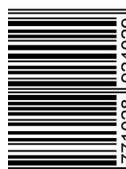


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BE A SMART ART

It's never too early or too late to start your art collection. DECO asked Monique du Preez, owner of SALON 91 to tell us who we should be buying and why

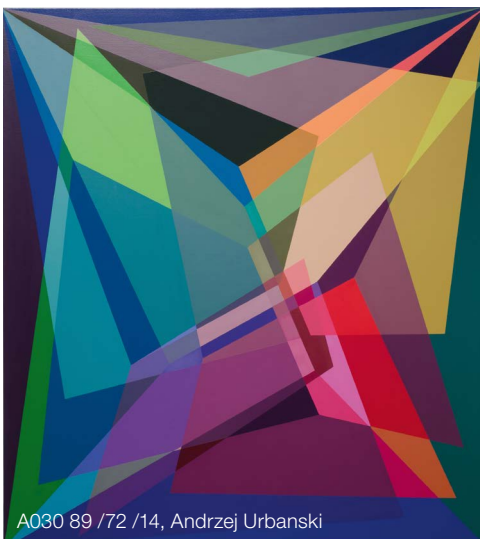
'BUY WHAT YOU LOVE. PURCHASE THE MOST SIGNIFICANT WORK YOU CAN AFFORD RIGHT NOW'



First Blush, Paul Senyol

R10 000 - R20 000

Focus on established artists, such as an ink piece by Gabrielle Raaf or a mixed media piece by Paul Senyol. Their works continue to appreciate in value over the years, making them a wonderful investment opportunity.



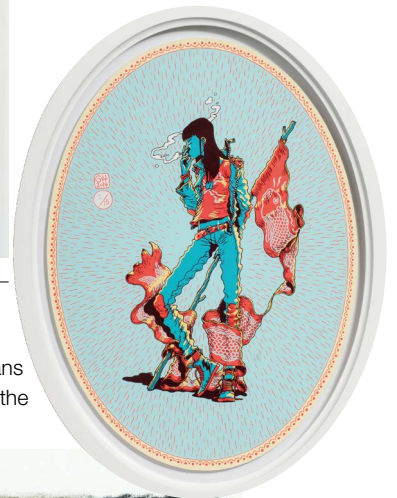
A030 89 /72 /14, Andrzej Urbanski



Wander no 2, Rikus Ferreira

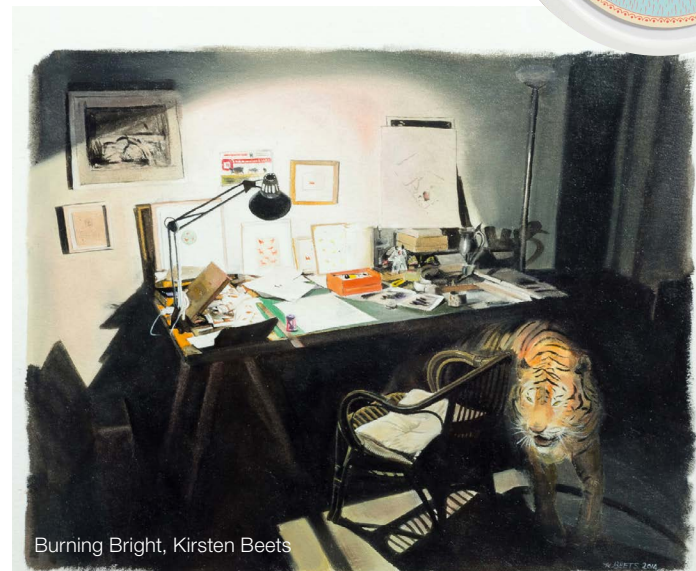
R2 000 - R5 000

Graphic and comic art has become increasingly sought after. Anton Kannemeyer and Conrad Botes are great examples of this genre. 'New' kids on the block to look out for are Rikus Ferreira, and Gerhard Human, whose work *Outstanding Citizen 5* is featured below. For a different genre, invest in a more sophisticated piece by recent graduates Amber Moir or Jordan Sweke.



R5 000 - R10 000

Purchase an intricate oil painting by young South African artist Kirsten Beets. Often depicting humans interacting with nature, her works are captivating the public and increasing steadily in value.



Burning Bright, Kirsten Beets

R20 000 +

A large abstract painting by Polish-German artist Andrzej Urbanski, is a good option with this budget. Unusual materials, strong geometric shapes and colours remind you of artists such as Mark Rothko and Willem de Kooning.