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DAWN OF SPRING – CHINESE PAINTINGS ONLINE SALE
IN CELEBRATION OF THE LUNAR NEW YEAR
22 JANUARY – 5 FEBRUARY

### Dawn of Spring: Chinese Paintings Online (22 January – 5 February)

As the Lunar New Year approaches, Christie's Hong Kong is proud to present Dawn of Spring – Chinese Paintings Online from 22 January to 5 February 2021, offering a selection of paintings and calligraphy with auspicious and festive meaning to celebrate the upcoming Year of the Ox. Collectors will be captivated by the offering of these exquisite works, presented at a range of attractive estimates, appealing to buyers who are either looking to enrich their existing collections, or to start building one."

Meticulously put together for art collectors and enthusiasts, the online auction will feature global collections including the Wang Hsin-heng Family Collection, and the Family Collection of Ma Shun Ying, a student of Ding Yanyong. In addition, the sale also brings together fine works by renowned artists such as Feng Zikai, Zhao Shao'ang, Yang Shanshen, Tai Jingnong; and contemporary artists such as Tung Chiao, Tang Wai Hung, Chua Lam, Wilson Shieh and Koon Wai Bong, to name a few. With exquisite works of wide-ranging themes and remarkable appeal, the Dawn of Spring – Chinese Paintings Online is not to be missed.

Christie's Hong Kong wishes everyone a marvelous Spring Festival!



HUANG YONGYU (B. 1924) Lotus

Scroll, mounted for framing, ink and colour on paper 68.8 x 46.7 cm. (27 1/8 x 18 3/8 in.) **Dated 1979** Estimate: HK\$120,000 - 180,000 / US\$15,000 - 23,000



#### FENG ZIKAI (1898-1975) Giant Pumpkin

Scroll, mounted and framed, ink and colour on paper 37 x 27 cm. (14 % x 10 % in.) **Dated 1961** 

Estimate: HK\$120,000 - 220,000 / US\$15,000 - 28,000

### **HIGHLIGHTS**



### CHEN QIKUAN (CHEN CHI-KWAN, 1921-2007) The Family

Hanging scroll, ink on paper 22.4 x 29 cm. (8 % x 11 % in.)

Estimate: HK\$50,000 - 70,000 / US\$6,400 - 9,000



#### ZHAO SHAO'ANG (1905-1998) Lion Rock

Scroll, mounted for framing, ink and colour on paper 30 x 30.2 cm. (11  $^3$ 4 x 11  $^7$ 6 in.) Dated 1949 Estimate: HK\$20,000 – 30,000 / US\$2,600 – 3,800



### WILSON KA HO SHIEH (b. 1970) Catching Fragrance

Chinese ink and gouache on golden cardboard 41 x 32 cm. (16 % x 12 % in.) Dated 2020 Estimate: HK\$26,000 - 30,000 / US\$3,300 - 3,800



## The Family Collection of Ma Shun Ying, A Student of Ding Yanyong DING YANYONG (1902-1978)

Golden Bull Welcoming Spring

Scroll, mounted for framing, ink and colour on paper 69 x 45.6 cm. (27  $\frac{1}{2}$  x 18 in.)

Dated 1976

Estimate: HK\$28,000 - 38,000 / US\$3,600 - 4,900



ZHAO ZHIMIN (B. 1946)
Welcoming Spring (COVER)
Scroll, mounted and framed, ink and colour on silk
26 x 23 cm. (10 ¼ x 9 in.)
Dated 1996
Estimate: HK\$6,000 – 8,000 / US\$770 – 1,000





### HUANG JUNBI (1898-1991) Reclusive Life in the Mountains / Calligraphy in Running Script

A pair of scrolls, mounted for framing, ink and colour on paper / ink on paper Reclusive Life in the Mountains measures 31.8 x 32.6 cm. (12 ½ x 12 ½ in.)

Dated 1988

Calligraphy in Running Script measures 30 x 27.7 cm. (11 % x 10 % in.) Estimate: HK\$18,000 – 28,000 / US\$2,300 – 3,600

### **Notes To Editor**



#### TANG WAI HUNG (B. 1946) Calligraphy

Scroll, mounted for framing, ink on coloured patterned paper 30.2 x 133 cm. (11 ½ x 52 ½ in.)

Dated 2020

Estimate: HK\$8,000 – 10,000 / US\$1,000 – 1,300

### **Dawn of Spring: Chinese Paintings Online**

### **Preview: (By Appointment ONLY)**

Location: Christie's Gallery, 22/F. Alexandra House, 18 Chater Street, Central, Hong Kong

Date : 22 January – 5 February (CLOSED on Sunday)

Time : 10:00am to 5:30pm

### **Auction:**

Date: 22 January - 5 February 2021

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