

Sale Name: Canadian & Abroad Fine Art Auction Nov. 22nd - Dec. 11th 2024

LOT 34 - Song Jiang - Near High Park



Artist Description Xiao Song Jiang (1955 – CHI / CAD) With no formal art education, since Mao Tse-tung's communist government closed schools before Jiang reached high school, and he—along with millions of other students—had been forced to leave the cities and work on farms. As a teenager with an artistic sensibility, Jiang sought out books of Western poetry and novels by Victor Hugo and Alexander Dumas. Libraries had been shut down, and all aspects of Western culture were banned, so he borrowed books in secret from friends. Jiang's mastery of the landscape, city-scape, and especially scenes containing boats and water has been recognized internationally over the years. His award-winning work has been exhibited in North America, Japan, Hong Kong, Turkey, Singapore, and elsewhere, and is in the collection of the National Art Museum of China. Earlier this year his painting TIDE won the Gold Medal in the Oil Painters of America National Juried Exhibition, in Evergreen, CO.

Description

Oil On Board

Signed Lower Left, Titled au Verso

Sight - 5.5 ins x 7 ins (13.97 cm x 17.78 cm)

Provenance:

Private Collection

Quantity: 1



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