Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: The Kaitaia carving

Date: c. 1300 - 1400

Medium: Wood (Totara)

Dimensions: Size without base: 60 x 232 x 6

cm approx

Weight: 7.9 kg Base: 3.5 cm

Inv. No: 6341

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MUSEUM

The Auckland Domain, Parnell, Auckland

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New Zealand



Provenance:

Discovered in former lake Tangonge in 1920; acquired by AWMM 1921.

Bibliography:

Brunt et al, Art in Oceania: A New History (2012), illus pp.72-3

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist: Attributed To Patoromu Tamatea

Title: Whakapakoko ('Madonna and Child')

Date:

Medium: Wood, shell

Dimensions: Size without base: 85 x 27 x 17

cm approx

Base: 2 x 26 x 17 cm approx

Inv. No: 13895,22,86

Lent by: AUCKLAND, AUCKLAND WAR

MEMORIAL MUSEUM

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Provenance:

Carved by a Maori convert for a Roman Catholic church, 1840. Accessioned to the museum 1890.

Catalogued online (http://www.aucklandmuseum.com/collection/object/am_humanhistory-object-67616) and on public display.

Exhibition history:

1979, Washington DC, National Gallery of Art, The Art of the Pacific Islands (cat. 4.4, illus p.142)

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Gable decoration with figure and fish

Date: Collected Paul Wirz 1926 **Medium:** Wood and pigment

Dimensions: Size: 312 x 50 x 60 cm

Inv. No: Vb 6669

Lent by: BASEL, MUSEUM DER KULTUREN

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Provenance:

Collected by Paul Wirz, 1926, purchased by museum from private collection, 1927.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Gable decoration with figure riding behind a 'bird' (part-cassowary/part heron)

Date: Collected by Paul Wirz 1926

Medium: Wood

Dimensions: Size: 197 x 9 x 28 cm

Inv. No: Vb 6665

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Provenance:

Collected by Paul Wirz, 1926/7, purchased by museum from private collection, 1927.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Female figure with child **Date:** Collected Paul Wirz 1926

Medium: Wood

Dimensions: Size: 91 x 19 x 30 cm

Inv. No: Vb 6659

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Provenance:

Collected by Paul Wirz in 1926, purchased by museum from private collection, 1927.

Exhibition history:

1979, Washington DC, National Gallery of Art, The Art of the Pacific Islands (cat. 20.13, illus p.285)

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Orator stool

Date: Collected by Alfred Bühler 1959

Medium: Wood, pigment

Dimensions: Size: 142 x 48 x 53 cm

Inv. No: Vb17563

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Provenance:

Collected by Alfred Bühler, Sepik-Expedition 1959 (on behalf of the Museum), purchased 1962 from private collection.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: *Nguzunguzu* (Canoe Prow Figure) **Date:** Collected by E. Paravicini, 1929

Medium: Wood, shell inlay

Dimensions: Size: 16.5 x 8.8 x 15.5 cm

Inv. No: Vb 7525

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Provenance:

Collected by E. Paravicini, 1929, purchased by museum from a private collection, 1929

Exhibition history:

1979, Washington DC, National Gallery of Art, The Art of the Pacific Islands (cat. 15.14, illus p.232)

Bibliography:

Brunt et al, Art in Oceania: A New History (2012), illus p.10

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Canoe shield with crocodile figure

Date: Collected by F. Speiser 1930

Medium: Wood, pigment, fibre

Dimensions: Size: 94 x 105 x 16 cm **Inv. No:** Vb 9367a, 9367b, 9398

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Photo: Peter Horner;

Provenance:

Collected by Felix Speiser, Expedition 1929-1930, purchased 1930/31 from private collection.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Female figure with child

Date: 19th/Early 20th cent., collected

pre1912

Medium: Wood, paint

Dimensions: Size: 74 x 15 x 13 cm

Inv. No: Vb11911

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Photo: Markus Gruber; 2007 © Vb 11911; Museum der Kulturen Basel.

Provenance:

Collected by Captain Carl Nauer around 1909, purchased 1912 by the Museum für Völkerkunde München; acquired in exchange in 1934.

Bibliography:

- Kaeppler et al, L'art océanien (1993), plate 186

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Kavat mask

Date: 1890-1913

Medium: Fibre, bamboo, barkcloth, paint

Dimensions: Size: 76 x 65 x 50 cm

Inv. No: Vb 5676

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Provenance:

Collected by Richard Parkinson between 1890 and 1913. Acquired in exchange from the Museum für Völkerkunde Leipzig in 1922.

Bibliography:

- Kaeppler et al, L'art océanien (1993), plate 158
- Thomas, Oceanic Art (1995), illus p.8
- Brunt et al, Art in Oceania: A New History (2012), illus p.186

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Figural flute stopper

Date: Early 20th century

Medium: Wood, cassowary feathers, shell,

fibre

Dimensions: Figure 52 x 17 x 15 cm

With feathers 74 x 30 x 53 cm

Base 11 cm

Inv. No: Vb 2906

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Provenance:

First known owner Arthur Speyer (family of well known dealers of ethnographica), he transferred (probably sold) the object to the family Eckert, Lorenz Eckert (sen.) gave it to the museum as a long term deposit in 1955, his son Lorenz Eckert (jr.) sold it to Mrs Withofs in London in 1975 and in exchange with another object Vb 2906 came to the museum again end of 1975.

Bibliography:

- Kaeppler et al, L'art océanien (1993), plate 222
- Brunt et al, Art in Oceania: A New History (2012), illus p.20

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Gwana mat, with vulé (moon) pattern,

worn by women

Date: Collected by Speiser between 1910 &

1912

Medium: Fibre, dye

Dimensions: Size: 155 x 53 cm

Inv. No: Vb 4472

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Provenance:

Collected by Felix Speiser before 1912, donated from private collection in 1912.

Publication history:

Joël Bonnemaison (ed.) The Arts of Vanuatu, University of Hawaii Press, 1996, illus p.113

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Shield

Date:

Medium: Wood, paint

Dimensions: Size: 160 x 71 x 10 cm

Inv. No: Vb 27276

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Provenance:

Collected by Christian and Annemarie Kaufmann-Heinimann between 1972-1973. Christian was curator at the Museum der Kulturen and collected on the museum's behalf.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Shield

Date:

Medium: Wood, paint

Dimensions: Size: 162 x 58 x 9 cm

Inv. No: Vb 21203

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Provenance:

Collected by Franz Panzenböck, date unknown; he sold it to the museum in 1964.

Bibliography:

- Thomas, Oceanic Art (1995), illus p.44 (fig. 42)

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Figure (mask attachment)

Date: before1914

Medium: Tree bark, wood, human hair

Dimensions: Size: 45 x 46 x 14 cm

Inv. No: Vb 28155

Lent by: BASEL, MUSEUM DER KULTUREN

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Provenance:

Purchased from Thomas Schultze-Westrum in 1976; formerly in the collection of the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in Oeventrop, collected before 1914.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist: Tene Waitere

Title: Ta Moko panel

Date: 1896-99

Medium: Carved panel. Wood, shell, paint

Dimensions: Size: 78 x 56 x 15 cm

Inv. No: ME004211

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courtesy of National Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa

Provenance:

The panel was commissioned in 1896 to illustrate tattoo patterns for August Hamilton's (director of the Colonial/Dominion Museum) book on Maori art. He deposited his own collection including this panel into the museum's collections during his time as director.

Bibliography:

- Brunt et al, Art in Oceania: A New History (2012), illus p.18

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: *Tivaevae, ta'orei* type (Patchwork quilt)

Date: 1898-1902
Medium: Cloth

Dimensions: Size: 223 x 289 cm

Inv. No: FE011982

Lent by: WELLINGTON, TE PAPA

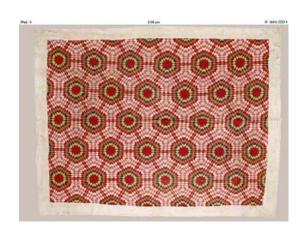
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Provenance:

'For many years, this *tivaevae* was in the family of Margot Stewart, who recieved it from her husband's uncle and aunt, Robert and Agnes Stewart, who were closely associated with the Melanesian Mission in the early 20th century. It is thought that this *tivaevae* was purchased by Agnes to benefit the Melanesian Mission. It was offered to Te Papa in 2006 by Mary Lee Boyd Bell on behalf of St Georges Church, Seatoun, Wellington New Zealand.' Purchased 2007

Exhibition history:

2011, Te Papa, *Oceania: Early Encounters* 2015, Te Papa, *Out of the glory box:* Tivaevae

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist: Michael Parekowhai

Title: He Korero Purakau mo Te Awanui o Te

Motu: The Story of a New Zealand River

Date: 2011

Medium: Piano, wood, ivory, brass, lacquer, steel, ebony, paua shell, mother of pearl,

upholstery

Dimensions:

Piano: 103 x 275 x 175 cm Chair: 85.5 x 46 x 41 cm

Inv. No: 2011-0046-1/A-N to N-N

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Provenance:

Purchased from artist 2011.

*Note that this object was made post-1945

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: Pennant

Date: 1800-1900

Medium: Cloth Tuhoe

Dimensions: Size: 572x105 cm

Inv. No: ME000796

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Provenance:

Previously owned by Sir George Grey (1812-1898). Deposited at the Colonial Museum by Sir George Grey before he returned to England in the 1870/80s. It was not registered into the collection until after 1904.

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist:

Title: ie toga (fine mat) known as Le ageagea

o Tumua

Date: 1800-1899

Medium: Pandanus leaf, feathers

Dimensions: Size: 228 x 226 cm

Inv. No: FE011716

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Provenance:

Acquired 2002 as a gift from Helen Clark, Prime Minister of New Zealand; gifted to Clark 2002 by Tui Atua Tupua Tamasese Efi who owned the cloak by descent.

'In 2002 Tui Atua Tupua Tamasese Efi, a former Samoan Prime Minister who would later become Head of State, gifted to Helen Clark, Prime Minister of New Zealand, the 'ie toga known as Le Ageagea o Tumua in acceptance of her formal apology for the injustices of the New Zealand administration in Samoa from 1914 to 1962.'

Oceania

25 September 2018 to 10 December 2018

Artist: Mata Aho Collective

Title: Kiko Moana

Date: 2017

Medium: Polyethene tarpaulin and cotton

thread

Dimensions: Size: 400 x 1100 cm

Weight: 50 kg

Inv. No: ME024286

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Provenance:

Acquired by Te Papa from the Mata Aho Collective, 19 February 2018.

*Note that this object was made post-1945