

# Become a Patron

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## Presidential Patron

**\$25,000 and above**

(\$850 of which is not tax-deductible)

Exclusive to Royal Academy America, the Presidential Patron level provides donors with insight into the artistic vision of Christopher Le Brun, President of the Royal Academy, and other senior members of the Royal Academy.

Presidential Patrons receive a wide range of benefits, including:

- An invitation to the President's Dinner at the Royal Academy of Arts
- Private events with the President of the Royal Academy in the US
- Unlimited access to the Academicians' Room at Burlington House for up to four guests
- Invitations to Royal Academicians ceremonies internationally
- Complimentary catalogues for major Royal Academy exhibitions

*As well as all the benefits of Platinum Patrons*

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## Platinum Patron

**\$15,000 - \$24,999**

(\$250 of which is not tax-deductible)

The Platinum Patrons level is for those looking for bespoke, behind-the-scenes opportunities both in London and around the US. Platinum level benefits include:

- Exclusive Platinum Patron events around the US, including artists' studio tours, privileged access to Royal Academicians, and an insiders look at Academicians' current work
- Invitations to attend Honorary Royal Academician ceremonies in the US
- Private tours of the Royal Academy and its Schools Studios upon request

*Platinum Patrons also receive select benefits enjoyed by UK Platinum Patrons including:*

- The opportunity to host private events at the Royal Academy at reduced rates\*

*As well as all the benefits of Gold Patrons*

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## Gold Patron

**\$7,500 - \$14,999**

(\$200 of which is not tax-deductible)

Gold Patrons can take advantage of high-end events, privileged access, and international travel designed exclusively for Royal Academy supporters. Gold level benefits include:

- Gold Patron events around the US, including curatorial tours and private collection visits
- VIP passes to major international art fairs
- Invitations to an exclusive programme of events in London each June including Royal receptions, curator-led exhibition tours, and out-of-town excursions
- Invitations to the Opening Receptions for all Royal Academy exhibitions in London
- Access to the star-studded Summer Exhibition Preview Party held at the Royal Academy\*

*Gold Patrons also receive select benefits enjoyed by UK Gold Patrons including:*

- Priority booking on premium Patrons events and national and international travel, including an art and architecture tour of China, November 2015\*

*As well as all the benefits of Silver Patrons*

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## Silver Patron

**\$2,500 - \$7,499**

(\$140 of which is not tax-deductible)

Silver Patrons can sample all sides of the Royal Academy, as well as enjoying engaging events that highlight the many facets of the Royal Academy. Silver level benefits include:

- A series of events around the US including invitations to gallery receptions, exclusive art events, and Royal Academician lectures
- VIP Morning Access for two during weekly Patron-only opening hours to all Royal Academy exhibitions
- Tickets to selected art fairs around the US

*Silver Patrons also receive select benefits enjoyed by UK Silver Patrons including:*

- Priority booking to Friends events
- The ability to join the Academicians' Room, the invitation-only private members room at Burlington House in London with no joining fee\*

*As well as all benefits given to donors of more than \$1,000*

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## Donor

**\$1,000 - \$2,499**

(\$100 of which is not tax deductible)

Donors of \$1,000 or more receive the following benefits:

- Free entry to the Royal Academy and the Keepers' House
- Complimentary subscription to the award-winning quarterly RA Magazine
- A regular e-newsletter with information about Royal Academician exhibitions in the US
- Crediting in the Royal Academy Annual Report and catalogues

*\*Additional costs may apply*

**Royal  
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America**

# Patron Joining Form

I am pleased to support  
Royal Academy America with a donation  
in the amount of

\$

I would like to be a:

- ☐ **Presidential Patron** (\$25,000+)
- ☐ **Platinum Patron** (\$15,000 - \$24,999)
- ☐ **Gold Patron** (\$7,500 - \$14,999)
- ☐ **Silver Patron** (\$2,500 - \$7,499)
- ☐ **Donor** (\$1,000 - \$2,499)

- ☐ Tick here to decline all benefits and make your gift tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.
- ☐ Tick here if you would like to include us in your estate plans.
- ☐ I would like to become a member of the Academicians' Room and include another \$450 (not tax-deductible) with my donation. (Membership is automatically included for Presidential Patrons.)

## Your details

Name(s)

Please print your name in BLOCK CAPITALS as you wish it to appear in our list of supporters. If you wish to remain Anonymous, tick here ☐

Address

City

State

ZIP

Country

Email

Home Phone

Mobile

*Please note:* Most of our information is sent via email, as the most environmentally-friendly and timely means of communication. If at all possible, please provide an email address. Your privacy is important to us; we will not share your details and will only contact you with relevant news regarding the Royal Academy.

## Method of payment

☐ **Cheque** payable in USD to American Associates of the Royal Academy Trust enclosed

☐ **Stock Gift** (please call 212.980.8404 for bank details)

☐ **Charge** \$ to my:

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ AMEX

Card Number

Expiry Date

Name as it appears on card

Signature

Please fully complete this form and return in the enclosed envelope or send to:

**Royal Academy America, 767 Third Avenue, 4th Floor,  
New York, NY 10017, US**

Thank you for your support! If you have any questions regarding your gift or benefits, please feel free to contact Tiffany Nesbit, Director, at 212.980.8404 or [tnesbit@aarat.org](mailto:tnesbit@aarat.org)

**Royal  
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# Royal Academy of Arts

The Royal Academy of Arts is one of the world's leading centers for the teaching and advocacy of art and architecture. Established in London in 1768, it has always been an artist-led organisation, run by a group of 80 Royal Academicians who are elected by their peers, as well as Honorary Royal Academicians who are significant figures on the international artistic stage. In addition, for nearly 250 years it has provided arts education at no cost to the most promising talent, while also staging world-class exhibitions showcasing both historic and contemporary art and architecture.

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## Patron Event Highlights

By joining as a Patron of Royal Academy America, you are supporting the work of the Royal Academy, and can also enjoy benefits in the United States, London and beyond. Highlights of the Autumn 2015 programme include:

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### September

- An Artist's Preview Reception of the exhibition *Richard Long RA: Crescent to Cross*, with insights from the artist, held at the stunning Norman Foster RA-designed Sperone Westwater Gallery in downtown Manhattan
- A salon-style evening with Sean Scully RA, held at the home of collector Dr Bruce Horton
- An invitation to the opening of and exclusive morning access to the much-anticipated Royal Academy exhibition *Ai Weiwei*, the artist's first major institutional survey in the UK

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### October

- Access to exhibition openings by leading contemporary artists, including Wolfgang Tillmans RA at David Zwirner Gallery and William Kentridge Hon RA at Marian Goodman Gallery
- VIP Passes to Frieze Art Fair in London
- An invitation to the Royal Academy exhibition of Jean-Etienne Liotard, one of the 18th century's leading portraitists

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### November

- Advance access to our 'RAted' Evening, a major fundraiser celebrating the achievements of Royal Academicians

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### December

- An exclusive visit to the new Whitney Museum of American Art, designed by Renzo Piano Hon RA

*Further events are being planned, and Patrons receive regular communications with additional invitations and opportunities, as well as information about Royal Academician exhibitions around the US, throughout the year.*