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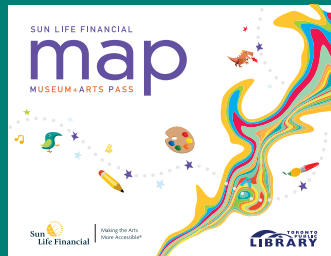


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# EXPLORE

AGA KHAN MUSEUM PROGRAM GUIDE





## 168:01

### A LIBRARY RISING FROM THE ASHES, WAFAA BILAL

Participate in social change and  
rebuild this lost library

Opening July 14, 2018

Contemporary artist Wafaa Bilal's installation transforms grief over cultural destruction into action for social change. Help to rebuild the library of the College of Fine Arts at the University of Baghdad, lost during the invasion of Iraq. Visit 168:01 to find out how!

## THE WORLD OF THE FATIMIDS

Discover one of the world's great civilizations, exclusively at the  
Aga Khan Museum

Closing July 2, 2018

"A poignant mix of beauty and mystery."  
— *The Wall Street Journal*

Luminous ceramics, intricate rock crystal carvings, and monumental marble wall panels, all crafted with great skill and sophisticated artistry in a cosmopolitan land of many faiths: the luxury objects in *The World of the Fatimids* bear witness to a modern society in the medieval age.

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## SPLENDOUR AND MAGNIFICENCE

### JEWELLED ADORNMENTS OF THE INDIAN COURTS FROM THE AL-SABAH COLLECTION, KUWAIT

Experience the passion of Mughal princes for  
opulence and splendour

Opening August 18, 2018

This exhibition demonstrates the enduring fascination with men's jewellery and accessories. Magnificent objects decorated with gems and carved from semi-precious stone, together with exquisite paintings from the Aga Khan Museum Collection showing hunts and battles, receptions and gardens, reveal how Mughal princes adorned themselves to feast and to fight.



# SPEND THE DAY AT THE AGA KHAN MUSEUM



**EXPERIENCE THE BEST OF TORONTO AT THE AGA KHAN MUSEUM**  
Discover unexpected connections between diverse cultures at North America's first museum dedicated to the arts of Muslim civilizations. Travel the Silk Routes with family and friends, explore year-round contemporary and historical exhibitions, and engage in a range of events and activities



**MARVEL AT PRIZE-WINNING ARCHITECTURE**  
or share an afternoon coffee with friends in our open-air central courtyard



**CALLING ALL TEACHERS!**  
Bring your students for an Ontario-curriculum driven session of exploring and creating



**DISCOVER THE ARTS**  
of many cultures and encounter centuries of creativity, all in our galleries



**BOOK YOUR NEXT EVENT**  
at the Museum! To learn more, contact [private.events@agakhanmuseum.org](mailto:private.events@agakhanmuseum.org)



**TAKE A MUSICAL JOURNEY**  
in our gem of an auditorium as local and international artists present music, dance, film, and spoken word



**ENJOY A CULINARY ADVENTURE**  
in Diwan's Damascus-style dining room, or sample summer drinks on our licensed patio



**TREAT YOURSELF TO LUXURY ITEMS**  
inspired by trade across the Silk Routes. Browse in-store or shop online at [shop.agakhanmuseum.org](http://shop.agakhanmuseum.org)



**UNWIND IN AN URBAN OASIS**  
with morning yoga, afternoon picnics, and night-time screenings



**EXPERIENCE ART IN THE PARK**  
during this Scotiabank CONTACT Photography Festival exhibition featuring the work of Aida Muluneh, on now through June 29

## PLAN YOUR VISIT

### HOURS AND TICKETS

**Monday:** Closed (except holiday Mondays)  
**Tuesday:** 10 am–6 pm  
**Wednesday:** 10 am–8 pm  
**Thursday–Sunday:** 10 am–6 pm  
Museum admission is free every Wednesday from 4–8 pm. Join us!

### General Admission

**Friends:** Free  
**Adults:** \$20  
**Seniors (65+):** \$15  
**Students\*:** \$12  
**Children & Youth (6–13):** \$10  
**Family Package\*:** \$50

\*For more information, please visit [agakhanmuseum.org](http://agakhanmuseum.org)

### TOURS

Enrich your experience at the Museum by taking a tour with a knowledgeable Museum guide: \$10 adults, \$5 students and seniors, plus admission (no admission required for Park tours). Book these tours at the Tickets Desk when you arrive.

### GROUP SALES

Do you have a group of 10 or more? Are you a hotel professional, meeting planner, or tour operator? To discuss special rates and options, call Group Reservations at 416.646.4678 or email [groupreservations@agakhanmuseum.org](mailto:groupreservations@agakhanmuseum.org).

### SCHOOL VISITS

Educators can either choose from a roster of Aga Khan Museum school programs or customize their school visit. For curriculum links and booking details, visit [agakhanmuseum.org/learn](http://agakhanmuseum.org/learn) or email [learn@agakhanmuseum.org](mailto:learn@agakhanmuseum.org).

### ACCESSIBILITY

The Aga Khan Museum is wheelchair accessible. Drop-offs at the street-level entrance can be made prior to parking.

A limited number of wheelchairs are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. For more information about accessibility, please call 416.646.4677 ext. 7700.

### HOW TO GET HERE

The Aga Khan Museum is located at 77 Wynford Drive, Toronto. For directions, parking information, and TTC routes, visit [agakhanmuseum.org](http://agakhanmuseum.org).

### CONTACT US

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“A CIVILIZATION OF WONDER”  
– THE GLOBE AND MAIL

EXHIBITION  
THE WORLD OF THE FATIMIDS  
CLOSING JULY 2

EXHIBITION  
168:01  
A Library Rising from the Ashes, Wafaa Bilal  
Encounter an artwork aimed at restoring a lost archive, with your help!  
JULY 14 TO AUGUST 19, 2018

EXHIBITION  
SPLENDOUR AND  
MAGNIFICENCE  
Jewelled Adornments of the Indian Courts  
from The Al-Sabah Collection, Kuwait  
Immerse yourself in the splendour and opulence of  
Mughal court life.  
OPENING AUGUST 18, 2018



01

**Aga Khan Park Tours**  
Tuesday to Sunday, 4:15 pm  
\$10 adults, \$5 students and seniors  
Museum admission not required  
Continues through Labour Day,  
weather permitting

06

**FILM**  
**Hot Docs Film Festival**  
Join us this spring as our auditorium transforms  
into a venue for North America’s largest  
documentary festival.  
An associate partnership presented by **hotdocs**

03

**COURSE**  
**Exploring Fatimid Motifs:  
Drawing, Painting, and Mixed Media**  
Sundays, 1–4 pm  
\$140, \$120 Friends, \$100 students and seniors  
(+ materials fee \$25)  
Continues through June 24

**PERFORMANCE**

**Dhrupad**  
by Uday Bhawalkar  
5 pm  
Starting at \$30, 10% off for Friends  
An associate partnership with Raag-Mala Toronto



**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**PERFORMANCES AND FILM**  
**Dancing in the Park**  
On Stage: July 1, 14, and 21  
On Screen: July 7  
Free  
Join us in the Park for performances and films that  
will get you moving

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**SPECIAL EVENT**  
**Museum Open Canada Day Monday**  
10 am–6 pm  
The Aga Khan Museum is yours to explore during  
special hours on this Monday

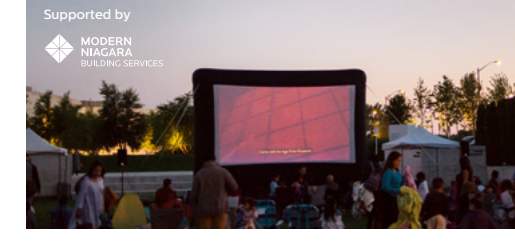
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**COURSE**  
**Gentle Yoga in the Park**  
Wednesdays, 8 am  
\$12, \$10 Friends (per session)  
Enjoy all 9 classes for \$90, \$81 Friends

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**PERFORMANCE AND FILMS**  
**Dancing in the Park**  
On Screen: August 4 and September 1  
On Stage: August 18  
Free  
Join us in the Park for performances and films that  
will get you moving

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**SPECIAL EVENT**  
**Museum Open Simcoe Day**  
10 am–6 pm  
The Aga Khan Museum is yours to explore during  
special hours on this Monday!

09

**LECTURE**  
**The Evolving Role of Museums**  
with Michael Peter Edson, Co-founder,  
Museum for the United Nations – UN Live  
6:30–8 pm  
Free



10

**LECTURE**  
**The Fatimids and Nile Ceremonies**  
with Heba Mostafa  
1–2 pm  
Free with Museum admission



11

**PERFORMANCE**  
**Inner Journey IV:**  
Amir Koushki and Friends  
8:30 pm  
Starting at \$35, 10% off for Friends  
An associate partnership presented by  
RUMI CANADA



05

**CURATOR’S TOUR**  
**The World of the Fatimids**  
with Dr. Ulrike Al-Khamis  
6:30–7:30 pm  
\$20, \$18 Friends,  
\$12 students and seniors



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**LECTURE**  
**Ibn al Tahhan’s “A Compendium  
of a Fatimid Court Musician”**  
with George Sawa  
1–2 pm  
Free with Museum admission



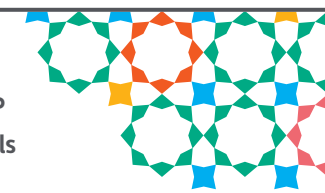
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**PERFORMANCE**  
**Vidushi Kankana Banerjee**  
5 pm  
Starting at \$25, 10% off for Friends  
An associate partnership presented by Raag-Mala Toronto



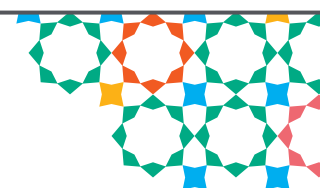
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**SUMMER CAMP**  
**Museum Marvels**  
Daily, 9 am–4 pm  
\$300, \$270 Friends  
10% discount for siblings  
Continues through July 13



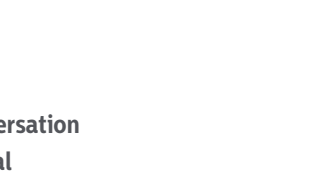
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**SUMMER CAMP**  
**Art for Action**  
Daily, 9 am–4 pm  
\$300, \$270 Friends,  
10% discount for siblings  
Continues through July 20



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**ARTIST’S TOUR**  
**168:01: In Conversation  
with Wafaa Bilal**  
6:30–7:30 pm  
\$20, \$18 Friends, \$12 students and seniors



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**LECTURE**  
**Performing Change  
with Wafaa Bilal**  
1–2 pm  
Free with Museum admission



30

**SUMMER CAMP**  
**Scribe On**  
Daily, 9 am–4 pm  
\$300, \$270 Friends, 10% discount for siblings  
Continues through August 3



21

**CULINARY EVENT**  
**Diwan Dining on the Patio**  
11:30 am–2:30 pm  
Our outdoor terrace re-opens for the season with sizzling dishes and signature drinks.  
Walk-ups welcome. Continues through Labour Day, weather permitting

26–27

**SPECIAL EVENT**  
**Doors Open Toronto**  
10 am–5 pm  
Family activities, architecture-inspired tours,  
reduced admission price, and more!



**PERFORMANCE**  
**A Hidden Order:**  
Solos, Duos, Trios  
2 pm, 4 pm

17

**PERFORMANCE**  
**Home**  
with AraBest, Moskitto Bar, and Frazer Sundown  
and The Ukwehuwe Connection  
3 pm  
\$25, \$22.50 Friends, \$20 students and seniors  
Presented in partnership with Native Women in the Arts



22

**WORKSHOP**  
**Writing at the Aga Khan Museum**  
11 am–4 pm  
\$50, \$45 Friends, \$40 students and seniors



COMING THIS FALL

OPENING SEPTEMBER 22, 2018

A society caught between the desire to  
maintain time-honoured local traditions and  
the need to engage with pervasive outside  
influences – that was Iran during the Qajar  
dynasty, 1785 to 1925. *Between Tradition and  
Modernity: The Arts of 19th-Century Iran* will  
reveal stories of a culture in flux.



Programming subject to change. Visit [agakanmuseum.org](http://agakanmuseum.org) for details.

**FAMILY PROGRAMMING**

**Family Sundays**  
Sundays, 12–4 pm  
Free with Museum admission

**Family Exploration Kits**

Pick up a complimentary activity kit on your  
next visit! Visit our Tickets Desk for details.



**SPECIAL EVENT**

**Pop-up Performances**  
Wednesdays: 5 pm, 6 pm, and 7 pm  
Weekends: 12 pm, 1 pm, and 3 pm  
Free with Museum admission

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**TOURS**

**Gallery, Special Exhibitions, and  
Architecture Tours**  
Daily, various times  
\$10 adults, \$5 students and seniors  
plus Museum admission



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admission for an entire year.  
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