

MEDIA ADVISORY

DENVER ART MUSEUM EXTENDS CLOSING DATE FOR *DIOR: FROM PARIS TO THE WORLD*

DENVER – Jan. 24, 2019 – The Denver Art Museum (DAM), home to the U.S. presentation of *Dior: From Paris to the World* that surveys more than 70 years of the house of Dior's enduring legacy and its global influence, has just announced March 17, 2019 as its new exhibition closing date. The 2-week extension will give exhibition visitors extended access to a selection of more than 200 haute couture dresses, as well as accessories, photographs, original sketches, runway videos and other archival material. *Dior: From Paris to the World* also profiles pivotal moments in the house's history, along with sections focused on its founder, Christian Dior, and subsequent artistic directors, including Yves Saint Laurent (1958–1960), Marc Bohan (1961–1989), Gianfranco Ferré (1989–1996), John Galliano (1997–2011), Raf Simons (2012–2015) and Maria Grazia Chiuri (2016–present). The exhibition will travel to the Dallas Museum of Art after its debut at the DAM.

While the museum encourages everyone to plan ahead and purchase tickets in advance, exclusive VIP hotel packages also are available for those traveling to Denver and feature skip-the-line tickets. The DAM and VISIT DENVER, the city of Denver's convention and visitors bureau, have created www.DiorinDenver.com to offer the 12 following exclusive hotel packages*:

- Grand Hyatt Denver
- Halcyon – a Hotel in Cherry Creek
- Hotel Teatro
- Hyatt Regency Denver at Colorado Convention Center
- Kimpton Hotel Born Denver
- Le Méridien Denver Downtown



- Sheraton Denver Downtown Hotel
- the ART, a hotel
- The Jacquard Hotel & Rooftop
- The Ramble Hotel
- The Ritz-Carlton, Denver
- The Westin Denver Downtown

* Check with individual hotels for dates and availability.

EXHIBITION SPONSORS

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