

### Rafael Mason Elected to Frick Board of Trustees



(New York, November 03, 2022) – Elizabeth Eveillard, Chair of The Frick Collection’s Board of Trustees, announced the election of Rafael Mason to the Board, following its fall meeting.

Comments Eveillard, “We heartily welcome Rafael Mason to the Board at a remarkable time in the life of this institution. Settled into our temporary home, Frick Madison, we are enjoying undertaking projects that amplify new perspectives on the Old Masters as well as robust collaborations that enrich our outreach to the public and peer institutions.” She continues, “Rafael’s career has been grounded in connecting audiences with access to cultural experiences, both in the United States and Europe. We look forward

to the vital perspective he will bring to ongoing conversations about the reopening of our renovated buildings, with their revitalized and expanded program spaces.”

Adds Ian Wardropper, Anna-Maria and Stephen Kellen Director, “Rafael has both a finance and legal background that will serve us well, and his cultural interests are appealingly multifaceted. He has actively fostered projects that expand the reach of the fine and contemporary arts, connecting audiences, artists, and institutions. I look forward to his involvement, particularly at a moment when our Board is strategically expanding as we strive to share the collection in fresh ways and with an ever-broadening public.”

**Rafael Mason** is currently an Operating Partner at Bain Capital, having previously served as Senior Vice President for Global Premium Products at American Express in New York. In 2021, Mason participated in an AMEX collaboration involving artists Kehinde Wiley and Julie Mehretu, launched in partnership with The Studio Museum in Harlem and its Artists-in-Residence Program. Based with AMEX in Europe for nearly a decade—working in London and Amsterdam—he served as Head of International Premium Products, focusing on marketing and brand development. In this capacity he was instrumental in fostering classical music concerts, a keen interest of his, in Amsterdam and other European capitals. Prior to this, Mason was Vice President for Investment Banking at Goldman Sachs. He earned his bachelor’s at Harvard University, where he was a

Mellon/Mentored Scholar, and received a law degree from Yale University, where he was awarded a Fulbright scholarship to study in France.

## INTERACT

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## BASIC INFORMATION

**Website:** [frick.org](http://frick.org)

**Building project:** [frickfuture.org](http://frickfuture.org)

**Bloomberg Connects app:** [frick.org/app](http://frick.org/app)

**Frick Madison visitor address:** 945 Madison Avenue at 75th Street, New York, NY 10021

**Museum hours:** Thursday through Sunday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.; closed Monday through Wednesday. See website for holiday schedule.

**Admission:** Timed tickets are strongly recommended and may be purchased online. \$22 general public; \$17 seniors and visitors with disabilities; \$12 students. Admission is always free for members. Pay-what-you-wish admission is offered Thursdays from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

**Please note:** Children under ten are not admitted to the museum.

**COVID-19/health and safety policies:** [frick.org/visit/guidelines](http://frick.org/visit/guidelines)

**Ticket purchases:** [frick.org/tickets](http://frick.org/tickets). For questions: [admissions@frick.org](mailto:admissions@frick.org)

**Group museum visits:** Available for groups of ten or more. Virtual private tours and online school visits are also offered. See [frick.org/visit](http://frick.org/visit) for more details.

**Public programs:** A calendar of online and in-person events is available on our website.

**Shop:** Open during museum hours as well as online daily at [shop.frick.org](http://shop.frick.org).

**Coat check:** Available in the Frick Madison Lobby. Visitors are not permitted to carry oversized items into the galleries.

**Refreshments:** A light menu is available during museum hours.

**Subway:** #6 local to 77th Street station; #Q to 72nd Street station. **Bus:** M1, M2, M3, and M4 southbound on Fifth Avenue to 75th Street and northbound on Madison Avenue to 74th Street.

**Museum mailing address:** 1 East 70th Street at Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10021

**Photography:** Allowed only in the Frick Madison Lobby.

**Reading room:** Access is offered by appointment Tuesday through Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. For further information, visit [frick.org/visit/library](http://frick.org/visit/library).

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