

ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONALE DES CRITIQUES D'ART  
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ART CRITICS

4th General Assembly

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Zurich - Basle - Bern - Lausanne  
July 7th to 12th 1952

PROGRAM

Sunday, July 6th

Arrive in Zurich and take up hotel accommodation. Information Bureau at the Central Station in the Zurich Tourist Office. The Bureau will remain open until 10 p.m.

Monday, July 7th - Zurich

- 9 a.m. Preliminary meeting of the Presidents of the National Sections at the hotel of the President, M. Paul Fierens
- 10.30 a.m. Opening meeting at the Townhall  
Welcome by the Authorities of the City of Zurich  
Speech by the President, M. Paul Fierens  
" " Dr. E. Landolt, Mayor of the City of Zurich  
" " M. Pierre Courthion, President of the Swiss Section of the IAAC  
" " Prof. Gotthard Jedlicka "Zurich and Winterthur, Cities of Art"
- 12 a.m. Lunch at the Kongresshaus (meal at reduced prices)
- 1.30 p.m. Visit to the Rietberg Museum (Baron von der Heidt collection)
- 4 p.m. Visit to the Kunsthaus (Gallery of Modern Art and Edvard Munch Exhibition)  
or  
Visit to the Swiss National Museum
- 6 p.m. General Assembly at the Kongresshaus (Door U, Gotthardstr.5)  
President's Address, Agenda of the General Assembly  
Appointment of General Recorder  
Secretary's Report by Mme. S. Gille-Delafon  
Treasurer's Report by Mr. Walter Kern  
Approval of Accounts  
Vote on Budget Proposals Determination of Subscription  
Reports of Regional Secretaries and the Presidents of the National Sections
- 8 p.m. Zurich at night. Tour of the town

Tuesday, July 8th - Basle

- 8.26 a.m. Depart to Basle (Collective ticket presented by the Swiss National Tourist Office)  
Central Station: Meet at Tourist Office
- 10 a.m. Visit to the Basle Museum of Fine Arts (Holbein, Witz and modern painters) under the guidance of the Curator, Mr. George Schmidt  
Talk on "Swiss Art" by M. Pierre Courthion
- 12.30 p.m. Lunch at the Casino (Price Frs. 5.-- Service included)
- 2 p.m. Visit to the Kunsthalle (Gallery of Modern Art)  
Welcome by the Curator, Dr. Stoll.
- 4 p.m. Walk through the old town. Visit to the Cathedral or the historical Museum "Kirschgarten".
- 17.40 p.m. Depart from the Central Station  
Return to Zurich
- 20.30 p.m. Meeting with artists and critics at the Kongresshaus

Wednesday July 9th - Zurich

- 9 a.m. Committee Meeting at the Kongresshaus  
Election of new Members to the Association  
Admission of new National Sections
- 10 a.m. General Assembly at the Kongresshaus  
Appointment of new Committee  
Proclamation of members on a national basis  
Election of new members on an international basis  
Appointment of members to vacancies left by retiring 1/3  
Appointment of new Executive
- 12.30 p.m. Lunch at the Kongresshaus
- 1.38 p.m. Depart to Winterthur (this journey is included in the Swiss ticket) Visit to the Reinhart and Hahnloser Collections and to the Reinhart Museum.
- 5.30 p.m. Cocktail party given by the Municipal Council of Winterthur at the "Klubhaus zur Geduld"
- 6.35 p.m. Depart from Winterthur (arrive in Zurich at 7.26)
8. p.m. Banquet given by the City of Zurich at the "Muraltengut"

Thursday, July 10th Berne

- 8.08 a.m. Depart to Berne. Central Station: Meet at the Tourist Office
- 10 a.m. Visit to the Berne Museum of Fine Arts and the Kunsthalle  
Paul Klee Exhibition. Presentation by Mme. C. Giedion-Welcker

- 11.30 a.m. Cocktail party given by the Authorities of the Canton and City of Bern (Great Chamber of the Town Hall)  
Address of welcome by a Member of the Government
- 12.30 p.m. Lunch at the Kornhauskeller. Price Frs. 7.-- (Service included)  
Address of welcome by Mr. Philip Etter, Federal Councillor.
- 2 p.m. Visit to the Rupf Collection (Modern painters)  
Tour of the town
- 5.53 p.m. Depart to Lausanne (Meet at 5.30 at the main entrance to the station)
- 7.16 p.m. Arrive at Lausanne and take up hotel accommodation  
Free evening

Friday, July 11th - Lausanne

- 9 a.m. General Assembly at the Townhall  
Relations with Unesco  
Other business on the Agenda:  
Artists' copyright  
Relations between publishers and art critics  
Translation Bureau  
Purchase of books abroad (Unesco Book Token)  
Participation in the First International Conference of Artists in Venice  
Appointment of time and place for the next Congress  
Choice of Subjects  
Study of working methods
- 11.30 a.m. Cocktail party given by the Municipality of Lausanne
- 12.30 p.m. Lunch - Members make own arrangements
- 2 p.m. Visit to the Museum of Fine Arts (Exhibition "Rhythms and Colours")  
and to the Cathedral  
or  
Walk along the beach at Ouchy
- 5 p.m. Cocktail garden-party at the residence of M. Pierre Cailler, publisher and collector of modern pictures
- 8 p.m. Farewell dinner at the Château de Chillon given by the State of Vaud.