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## HANDBAGS x HYPE: THE LUXURY REMIX

### PREVIEW AT CHRISTIE'S NEW YORK | 3-7 DECEMBER 2021 ONLINE AUCTION | 24 NOVEMBER – 9 DECEMBER 2021



**New York** – Christie's New York presents <u>Handbags x HYPE: The Luxury Remix</u>, a curated auction that reformulates our understanding of luxury today. The confluence of heritage fashion houses and streetwear has reinvented the luxury space. From inspiration to collaboration, this dramatic shift has remixed luxury and redefined what is collectible. The sale will be open for bidding online from November 24-December 9, and the full selection will be open for preview by appointment at Christie's New York from December 3-7.

Leading the sale, we are proud to offer one of the most collectible pair of sneakers to ever come to market : a pair of game-worn and dual signed Air Jordan XIIIs (\$300,000-500,000), from Michael Jordan's last regular season game of the Chicago Bull's championship season. Also on offer are two covetable collections of iconic contemporary sneakers: the most impressive groupings of contemporary sneakers ever released, a complete set of Kanye West Adidas Yeezy 350s (\$30,000-50,000), released between 2015 and 2020, to a complete set of Virgil Abloh Nike Off-Whites, 2017-2020 (\$60,000-90,000), comprising 57 and 50 pairs respectively.

From the most classic and collectible Hermès pieces, such as a rare Himalaya Birkin 35 (\$80,000-100,000) and a Rouge Vif Veau Doblis Kelly 25 with diamond and 18k gold hardware (\$20,000-30,000), to limited edition bags making their auction debut, such as the Menthe Fray Fray Birkin (\$15,000-20,000) and Cosmos HAC Birkin (\$20,000-25,000), as well as Kelly 20 IIs in a rainbow of colorways, handbag connoisseurs will be delighted with this holiday's edit of brands, styles and sizes.

The auction will also include a comprehensive selection of Supreme artist collaboration skateboards and lifestyle accessories, from the highly coveted Supreme Pinball Machine (\$20,000-30,000) and Honda Motorcycle (\$15,000-20,000), to the Fender Guitar (\$3,000-5,000) and Pearl Drum Set (\$4,000-6,000). Also featured is a MBD: A Donda Bullet Proof Signed Vest by Kanye West (\$20,000-30,000). Worn during the August 5<sup>th</sup> 2021 Donda Album release listening party by Kanye West, the bullet proof vest is offered complete with ballistics panels and hand-painted DONDA. The vest is also signed by Kanye to read "MBD" (my body different).

**Caitlin Donovan, Head of Department, Handbags and Accessories, Christie's New York,** commented: "The definition of luxury has shifted, and mimicking the market I am excited to introduce our second iteration of Handbags X HYPE: The Luxury Remix. With streetwear and sneaker culture reinventing how we define high end luxury, we introduce a new version of a luxury sale at Christie's, appealing to today's younger and more diverse audience of collectors, as well offering the staple luxury icons which shaped our category since the inception in 2014."

For more information and to browse the sale click <u>HERE</u> and follow @christieshandbags.

#### **SALE INFORMATION:**

PRESS IMAGES <u>AVAILABLE HERE</u> PREVIEW: 3-7 December 2021, Christie's, 20 Rockefeller Center, New York ONLINE AUCTION: 24 November to 9 December 2021

#### **CHRISTIE'S HANDBAG ARTICLES:**

- Hermes collector guide
- 10 Handbags that shaped the market
- 10 Hermes bags for every budget
- Hermes Birkin bags: a guide to the most covetable limited-edition styles
- Deconstructed: The Hermes Himalaya
- Five reasons why Michael Jordan's last dance sneakers are a 'moment in time'



HERMÈS, 2019 A RARE, BLEU MARINE, WHITE & ORANGE H MADAME CALFSKIN LEATHER, SWIFT LEATHER, SOMBRERO LEATHER, EPSOM LEATHER & MATTE ALLIGATOR FAUBOURG SELLIER BIRKIN 20 WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$80,000-100,000



HERMÈS, 2016 A RARE, MATTE WHITE HIMALAYA NILOTICUS CROCODILE BIRKIN 35 WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$80,000-100,000



HERMÈS, 2018 A BRAISE POROSUS CROCODILE BIRKIN 25 WITH GOLD HARDWARE \$30,000-40,000



HERMÈS, 2000 A RARE, ROUGE VIF VEAU DOBLIS SELLIER KELLY 25 WITH 18K GOLD & DIAMOND HARDWARE \$20,000-30,000



HERMÈS, 2020 A LIMITED EDITION BLEUNUIT TOGO LEATHER COSMOS HAC BIRKIN 40 WITH BRUSHED PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$20,000-25,000



HERMÈS, 2021 A DESERT OMBRÉ SALVATOR LIZARD MINI CONSTANCE 18 WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$20,000-26,000







HERMÈS, 2018 A SHINY BLACK ALLIGATOR MINI KELLY 20 II WITH GOLD HARDWARE \$20,000-30,000

HERMÈS, 2021 A LIMITED EDITION MENTHE SWIFT LEATHER & TWILL H CANVAS FRAY FRAY BIRKIN 35 WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$15,000-20,000 HERMÈS, 2021 A LIMITED EDITION SESAME CANVAS & SWIFT LEATHER CARGO BIRKIN 35 WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$15,000-20,000



HERMÈS, 2021 A LIMITED EDITION ROSE EXTRÊME, ROUGE DE COEUR & BLEU ZANZIBAR EPSOM LEATHER MINI KELLY 20 II WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE \$9,000-12,000



HERMÈS, 2021 A LIMITED EDITION CAPUCINE, JAUNE DE NAPLES, VERT VERTIGO & BLEU ZANZIBAR TADELAKT LEATHER KELLYDOLE BAG CHARM WITH GOLD HARDWARE \$2,000-3,000



HERMÈS, 2021 A BLEUET OSTRICH SELLIER KELLY 28 WITH GOLD HARDWARE \$20,000-24,000



NIKE A PAIR OF MICHAEL JORDAN GAME-WORN & SIGNED AIR JORDAN XIII "HE'S GOT GAME" SNFAKERS Game-Worn on April 18, 1998 \$300,000-500,000



NIKE X OFF-WHITE, 2017-2020 A COMPLETE COLLECTION OF VIRGIL ABLOH OFF-WHITE X NIKE SNEAKERS \$60,000-90,000



MBD: A DONDA BULLET PROOF VEST SIGNED BY KANYE WEST 2021 \$20,000-30,000



PEARL X SUPREME, 2019 A STUDIO SELECT FIVE-DRUM SET \$4,000-6,000



SUPREME, 2000 A SET OF FIVE RYAN MCGINNESS 'PANTONE' SKATEBOARD DECKS \$6,000-8,000



**STERN X SUPREME, 2018** A PINBALL MACHINE \$20,000-30,000

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