

Press release

# Photography auction at Grisebach: Good results and a sensation for Umbo

The Autumn auction of Modern and Contemporary Photography on 26th October achieved a total result of EUR 741,000\* against an estimate of EUR 760,000. The highest bid went to Thomas Struth's "Paradise 24, Sao Francisco de Xavier" Brazil. 2001" from a Belgian private collection, which was sold to a private collection in Switzerland for EUR 95,000\*.

For EUR 71,250\*, the German trade secured a true rarity in the form of a unique photogram by László Moholy-Nagy. A rare vintage print by Umbo finally went to a German art dealer for EUR 10,000\* (estimate EUR 1,500–2,000) after a bidding war.

In amongst the wide selection of Russian avantgarde works were two impressive sales: the "Pionier mit Trompete" by Alexander Rodchenko achieved EUR 9,375\* and went to a German museum while "Die Dusche" by Boris Ignatovich is now in private hands for EUR 8,125\*.

Michael Wesely's unique work "Point Lobos", with an estimate of EUR 7,000–9,000, broke a record at EUR 25,000\*. Dr Neuhauss' documentation of Otto Lilienthal's glider flight from 1895 achieved a well-deserved EUR 12,500\*. Martin Munkacsí's "Um-Sprung" is now in the appreciative hands of a Danish private collector for EUR 40,000\*.

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\* all results include buyer's premium

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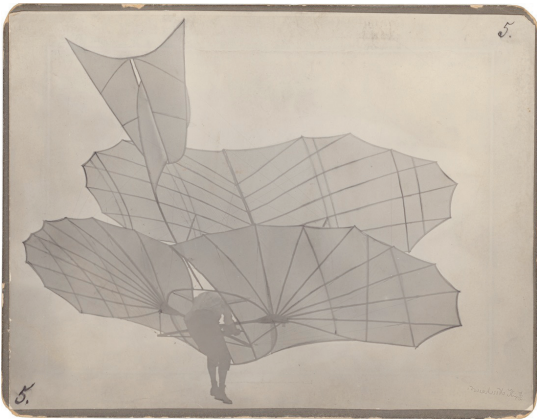
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Thomas Struth. "Paradise 24, Sao Francisco de Xavier" Brazil. 2001. C-Print, Diasec. Result: EUR 95,000\*



László Moholy-Nagy. Untitled. 1939. Vintage. Photogram. Unique work. Result: EUR 71,250\*



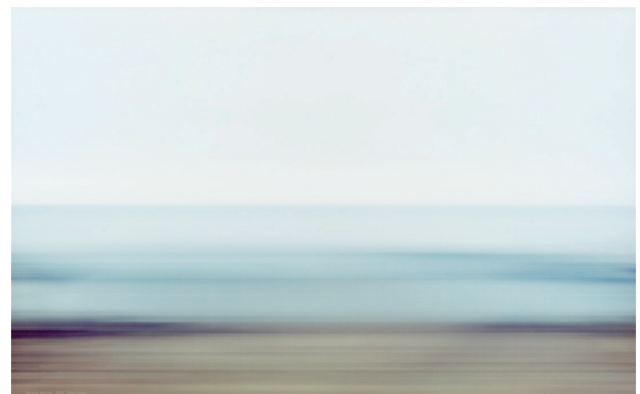
Dr. Richard Gustav Neuhaus. Otto Lilienthal. Gliding flight with the big double-decker from the Fliegeberg, 19.10.1895. 1895. Vintage. Gelatin silver print. Result: EUR 12,500\*



Martin Munkácsi. Ski Jump. Arlberg Ski School. 1930. Vintage. Gelatin silver print. Result: EUR 40,000\*



Umbo. The „3 Codonas“ at work. Circa 1932. Vintage. Gelatin silver print. Result: EUR 10,000\*



Michael Wesely. „Point Lobos“. 2000. C-Print, Diasec. Unique work. Result: EUR 25,000\*