



Russian Icons from Hillwood

This program focuses on icons and other objects from Hillwood Museum and Gardens in Washington, D.C., housing the most important collection of Russian art outside the nation of Russia.

The slide lecture covers the importance of icons in the Russian Orthodox tradition and some of the processes used in their production. Examples of traditional approaches will be compared with approaches influenced by the Western tradition. Romanov period works will also be compared to Medieval icons. Finally, this presentation includes a brief history of Hillwood's collection of Russian art.

Dr. Michelle Paluch-Mishur presents this program. As owner of Art Excursions, Inc., a company that provides private guiding in Chicago; lectures; and boutique art and culture tours in the United States. Paluch-Mishur holds a Ph.D. in art history and is the recipient of numerous awards, grants and fellowships.

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