

# The Museum of Modern Art

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**SPECIAL LECTURES HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH  
*OBJECTS OF DESIRE: THE MODERN STILL LIFE*  
IN JUNE AT THE MUSEUM OF MODERN ART**

Four Brown Bag Lunch Lectures will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays in June at The Museum of Modern Art in conjunction with the exhibition *Objects of Desire: The Modern Still Life*.

Tuesday, June 3 and Thursday, June 5

***Surrealism and the Object***

Christina Houstian, Curatorial Assistant, Department of Drawings

Tuesday, June 10 and Thursday, June 12

***The Cubist Still Life: Braque, Gris, and Picasso***

Deborah Goldberg, Lecturer, Department of Education

Tuesday, June 17 and Thursday, June 19

***Abstracted Tabletops: Twentieth-Century American Still Lifes***

Patterson Sims, Deputy Director, Education and Research Support

Tuesday, June 24, and Thursday, June 26

***The Tacky and the Tasteful: Stuff for Still Lifes in Contemporary Art***

Elizabeth Hayt, Lecturer, Department of Education

These informal lectures take place in The Edward John Noble Education Center from 12:30 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. There is no advance registration and admission is \$5.00 at the door; enter the Museum at 18 West 54 Street. Attendees may bring lunch or use a 20% discount voucher (provided on admission to the lecture) to dine in either of the Museum's restaurants—the Garden Café or Sette MoMA.

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