



Dylan Lewis Apex 2021

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London: info@everardlondon.com | +44 20 7590 9991 Everard Read takes pleasure in presenting this exhibition of recent cat and miniature sculptures by Dylan Lewis.

After a period focusing his attention on the human condition, Lewis has with this collection circled back to the subject that has long entranced collectors of figurative bronzes. Lewis' felids, from the first bronzes in the early 1990's, have interrogated the essence of perhaps the most beautiful and graceful of all terrestrial creatures. His sculptures of leopards, tigers, cheetahs, lions and domestic cats are informed by an ancient lineage honed through millions of years of inexorable environmental change. Structure and an economy of lithe movement camouflage an ability to focus awesome explosive energy. Such is the nature of the animal that has obsessed this very rare sculptor from his formative years.

This exhibition of bronzes, from miniatures to monumental, will remind collectors internationally that Dylan Lewis is the most profound animalier of his time.

Mark Read

COVER DETAIL IMAGE OF SCULPTURES IN CLAY - STILL TO BE CAST FIGHTING LEOPARD PAIR III LIFESIZE (S390) WORK ON PAGE 14 & FIGHTING LEOPARD PAIR III MAQUETTE (S382) WORK ON PAGE 10

> RIGHT DETAIL AND NEXT PAGE RUNNING CHEETAH TRIO II (S386) BRONZE, EDITION OF 12 180 x 110 x 360 cm









LEFT DETAIL AND RIGHT LION HEAD III MAQUETTE (S384) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 44 x 15,5 x 20 cm





LEFT DETAIL AND RIGHT LIONESS BUST III MAQUETTE (S385) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 42 x 14 x 22,5 cm

LEFT DETAIL AND BELOW LION AND LIONESS PAIR MAQUETTE I (S381) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 55 x 48 x 91cm



BELOW LEFT TO RIGHT S401, S391, S389, S410, S407, S408





STRIDING FRAGMENT I MINIATURE (S377) BRONZE, EDITION Of 100 14 x 5 x 23.5 cm *WALKING CHEETAH III MINIATURE (S380)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 13,5 x 4,5 x 20,5 cm





BUFFALO BULL PAIR MINIATURE (S398) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 15,5 x 14 x 24 cm CHARGING BUFFALO MINIATURE (S405) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 11 x 6 x 17 cm

LEFT DETAIL AND BELOW FIGHTING LEOPARD PAIR III MAQUETTE (S382) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 60 x 52 x 60,5 cm







CHEETAH CHASING BUCK MINIATURE (S378) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 21 x 15,5 x 17 cm



RUNNING CHEETAH III MINIATURE (S409) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 13 x 7 x 23,5 cm





PREVIOUS PAGE DETAIL AND LEFT IMAGE OF SCULPTURE IN CLAY - STILL TO BE CAST FIGHTING LEOPARD PAIR III (S390) BRONZE, EDITION OF 12 208 x 120 x 176 cm







WALKING LEOPARD MINIATURE (S391) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 9,5 x 6 x 19 cm

ELEVATED LEOPARD II MINIATURE (S389) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 17 x 6 x 14 cm



SITTING LEOPARD MINIATURE (S412) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 12 x 10 x 13 cm *SURVEYING LEOPARD II MINIATURE (S408)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 10 x 6 x 20 cm





LEFT DETAIL AND BELOW FIGHTING LEOPARD BUST I (S387) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 47 x 26 x 21 cm



ELEVATED LEOPARD I MINIATURE (S401) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 10 x 7 x 15 cm *LEOPARD BUST MINIATURE (S403)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 16 x 7 x 9 cm





PREVIOUS PAGE DETAIL AND LEFT IMAGE OF SCULPTURE IN CLAY - STILL TO BE CAST *LEOPARD PAIR III (S388)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 12 215 x 200 x 140 cm

LEFT DETAIL AND BELOW LEOPARD CHASING BUSHBUCK MAQUETTE I (S379) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 114 x 70 x 100 cm











SLEEPING LEOPARD MINIATURE (S410) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 9,5 x 8 x 22 cm *VERREAUX'S EAGLE OWL MINIATURE (S407)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 15 x 8 x 8 cm

LEFT DETAIL AND RIGHT FIGHTING LEOPARD BUST II (S411) BRONZE, EDITION OF 15 39 x 16 x 19 cm







CHEETAH HEAD II MINIATURE (S402) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 13 x 5 x 4,5 cm *SITTING LEOPARD BUST MINIATURE (S406)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 16 x 6 x 7 cm *CHEETAH BUST MINIATURE (S404)* BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 15 x 6 x 4,5cm



CHARGING BLACK RHINO MINIATURE (S400) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 13 x 10 x 23 cm



SURVEYING CHEETAH II MINIATURE (S399) BRONZE, EDITION OF 100 20 x 11 x 24 cm





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