

Press Release

Staff Announcement

Bill Arning Steps Down as Director



Former CAMH Director Bill Arning.
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HOUSTON, TX (October 26, 2018)—The Contemporary Arts Museum Houston (CAMH) today announce that Director, Bill Arning, has resigned effective immediately.

Arning began his tenure at CAMH in 2009, shortly after the organization's 60th anniversary. Museum Trustee Chair, Jereann Chaney said, "Bill has been a force since he joined the Museum nine years ago. He brought vibrancy, energy and extraordinary vision to CAMH and in turn to Houston." Chaney added, "As he stated when he arrived here, 'keeping the CAMH "wild" was a task I cherish,' and he did just that. His leadership has been greatly appreciated and he will be missed."

The Museum—now in its 70th year—continues to be dedicated to presenting the Houston region with cutting-edge, world-class art through exhibitions, lectures, youth outreach, and other activities.

Museum Trustee leadership along with community representatives have already begun assembling a committee that will choose an executive search firm to seek a new CAMH Director. The Museum has not set a timetable for the process.

Deputy Director Christina Brungardt will serve as the Museum's Interim Director until the search is completed.

CAMH Mission

The Contemporary Arts Museum Houston presents extraordinary, thought-provoking arts programming and exhibitions to educate and inspire audiences nationally and internationally.

General Information

The Contemporary Arts Museum Houston is located at 5216 Montrose Boulevard, at the corner of Montrose and Bissonnet, in the heart of Houston's Museum District. Hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 10AM–7PM, Thursday 10AM–9PM, Saturday 10AM–6PM, and Sunday 12PM–6PM. Admission is always free. For more information, visit camh.org or call 713.284.8250.
