

# SPONSOR'S FOREWORD

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Continuing our long tradition of support for the arts, Bank of America is pleased to present *Gauguin: Maker of Myth* in both London and Washington, DC. We look forward to creating common cultural experiences among museum-goers in different parts of the world; to working once again with two leading arts institutions, Tate Modern in London and the National Gallery of Art in Washington, DC; and to being part of one of the most comprehensive views of Gauguin's work in recent years.

More than 150 works ranging from sculptures to paintings to ceramics from arts institutions and private collectors around the world comprise this important exhibition, showing how the arts can bring people together around a shared interest. As our company becomes ever more global, with associates representing Bank of America, Bank of America Merrill Lynch, Merrill Lynch Wealth Management, MBNA and US Trust doing business in more than 100 countries, we know that greater cultural understanding leads to greater economic opportunity.

We hope you enjoy *Gauguin: Maker of Myth* and are able to share this special experience with family and friends. We also hope that you, like us, will value the opportunity to share a rich cultural experience with hundreds of thousands of people from around the globe.