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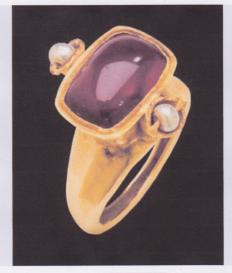
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AT the Mayfair Open Evening during Asian Art in London I visited Sam Fogg's Clifford Street gallery to see his exhibition 'A Library of Manuscripts from India'. I was delighted to find that alongside his own show Mr Fogg was also hosting a major exhibition 'Rings Around the World' mounted by Les Enluminures, the noted specialists in Medieval and Renaissance manuscripts.

Les Enluminures is owned by the redoubtable Dr. Sandra Hindman, who founded the business in Paris in 1991 and now has added galleries in Chicago and New York. In addition to running three galleries she also stands at the major fairs in Europe and America, mounts acclaimed gallery exhibitions and as an eminent academic and expert in her field Dr. Hindman has written and researched some ten books.

'Rings Around the World' explores the timeless forms, inspirations and aesthetics of finger rings from many cultures and periods with a compelling display of 45 rings from China, the Middle East, Europe and America. Covering four millennia dating back to the Bronze Age the show also features work by three celebrated contemporary jewellery artists. We illustrate an early 6th century Byzantine ring with a pink tourmaline.



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Dr. Hindman says "The idea for this project came to me about ten years ago when I was writing my first book on medieval rings. I was struck by the universality of rings, how certain ideas and forms occurred across cultures and through time. With that in mind I started buying rings for an exhibition on the subject."

The show closed in London on November 11 but has just opened in New York where it will run until December 3 at Les Enluminures, 23 East 73rd Street. The exhibition is accompanied by a scholarly catalogue by Drs. Sandra Hindman and Beatriz Chadour-Sampson.

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