

JACQUELINE SILVERMAN & ASSOCIATES

appraisers of modern and contemporary art

LESLIE BERGMANN

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jacqueline Silverman & Associates

Assistant Appraiser, January 2019 - Present

Appraisal Assistant, October 2017-January 2019

- Assist with appraisals and research for all media of Impressionist, Modern, Post-War, Contemporary, and Emerging fine art for a wide variety of client needs including insurance inventory, non-cash charitable contribution, art financing, estate tax/stepped-up basis, gift tax, equitable distribution, and sale advisory
- Conduct and assist with inspection, cataloguing and condition assessment of large volumes of artworks
- Assist with client relations and liaise with contacts at galleries, artist studios, museums, and other art institutions

Los Angeles Modern Auctions (LAMA), Van Nuys, CA

Intern, September 2016 – August 2017

- Executed bids received through online bidding platform during auctions
- Researched and prepared reports of analytics pertaining to other auction houses and auction sales at large
- Processed purchases, coordinated auction day amenities, addressed general client inquiries as well as other miscellaneous duties

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Appraisers Association of America, Candidate for Accredited Membership

EDUCATION

Sotheby's Institute of Art, Los Angeles, Master of Arts, Art Business, December 2017

Georgetown University, Bachelor of Arts, French, May 2016

APPRAISAL COURSEWORK

Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice (USPAP) course