

DESIGN



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PHILIP JOHNSON

six outdoor lights from the Amon Carter Museum of American Art, Fort Worth

USA, 1961 | enameled bronze

31 h × 9 dia in (79 × 23 cm)

This set of outdoor lamps comes from the Amon Carter Museum of American Art in Fort Worth, Texas designed by Philip Johnson in 1961. The museum building underwent a series of additions and renovations over the years (all under Johnson's supervision), and was most recently vastly expanded in 2001, the 50,000 plus square-foot addition spearheaded by Johnson himself. Approximately twenty-five of these lamps were installed on the museum campus in 1961. They were removed from the exterior during the 1980s and recently deaccessioned by the museum in 2015.

Provenance: Amon Carter Museum of American Art, Fort Worth | Private Collection

Estimate: \$8,000–10,000

Result: \$16,250

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