

The Museum of Modern Art

MoMA's 2019 PARTY IN THE GARDEN TO HONOR ALICE AND TOM TISCH, YVONNE RAINER, AND DILLER SCOFIDIO + RENFRO ON JUNE 4

After-Party Will Include a Special Performance by Maggie Rogers and DJ Sets by The Knocks and Nina Sky

NEW YORK, May 7, 2019—The Museum of Modern Art's Party in the Garden, a benefit event to be held on June 4, will honor Alice and Tom Tisch, Yvonne Rainer, and Diller Scofidio + Renfro. This year's honorees are being celebrated for their extraordinary artistry and philanthropy. The Tisches' prolonged commitment to culture, the arts, and MoMA are evidenced by Alice's seven-and-a-half-year tenure as a MoMA Trustee and her active participation on 11 Trustee Committees. Yvonne Rainer was highlighted in MoMA's recent exhibition *Judson Dance Theater: The Work Is Never Done*, and her work continues to challenge the movement conventions and narrative structures of modern dance, leaving a lasting influence that is felt across generations of artists. Diller Scofidio + Renfro is overseeing MoMA's renovation and expansion project, which will open on October 21, 2019. Their interdisciplinary practice and innovative designs merge art and architecture with issues of contemporary culture.

Co-chairs of the event are Alexandra and Steven Cohen, Jill and Peter Kraus, Jo Carole and Ronald S. Lauder, Ann Tenenbaum and Thomas H. Lee, and Sue and Edgar Wachenheim III. Honorary co-chairs are Leon D. Black and Ronnie F. Heyman.

The After-Party will be highlighted by a special musical performance by acclaimed producer/songwriter/performer Maggie Rogers, which will take place in MoMA's Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Sculpture Garden. In addition, the evening will feature DJ sets from [The Knocks](#), [Nina Sky](#), and Aku OT.

Maggie Rogers grew up in Easton, Maryland. After graduating from NYU's Tisch School of the Arts, she released her critically acclaimed debut EP, *Now That the Light Is Fading*, in 2017. The BBC, Tidal, Google Play, Vevo, Pandora, and numerous publications, including *Rolling Stone*, *NYLON*, *SPIN*, *Billboard*, and more, have tipped her as an artist to watch. NPR named her one of its Favorite Musicians and *The New Yorker* declared, "Maggie Rogers is an artist of her time." Rogers's Capitol Records debut album, *Heard It in a Past Life*, was released earlier this year and entered *Billboard*'s Top Album Sales chart at number one, earning four stars from *Rolling Stone* and praise from *The New York Times*, Pitchfork, and *USA Today*, among others. Rogers is currently touring in support of the album, selling out performances at iconic venues including The Wang Theatre in Boston, two nights at NYC's Radio City Music Hall, DC's The Anthem, and Nashville's Ryman Auditorium.

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Party in the Garden benefits MoMA's Annual Fund and the maintenance of The Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Sculpture Garden. The event also supports the Museum's general operating fund, helping to make possible the Museum's education programs and the care, study, and maintenance of its collection. Tables at the dinner range from \$25,000 to \$100,000, with individual tickets beginning at \$2,500. General admission tickets to the After-Party are \$250 in advance. VIP tickets for the After-Party are \$500, which grants the ticketholder access to The Modern restaurant from 9:00 p.m. to 12:30 a.m., featuring a DJ set by Aku OT.

Tables and tickets can be purchased by visiting moma.org/partyinthegarden2019, calling MoMA's Department of Special Programming and Events at (212) 708-9680, or e-mailing specialevents@moma.org.

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WHEN: June 4, 2019

7:00 p.m. Cocktail reception
8:00 p.m. Dinner
9:00 p.m. After-Party

After-Party Set Times:

9:00 p.m. Nina Sky DJ set
Aku Orraca-Tetteh VIP DJ set
10:30 p.m. Maggie Rogers
11:00 p.m. The Knocks DJ set

WHERE: The Museum of Modern Art
11 West 53 Street

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