

Your monthly update for January is here!  
Get the latest on upcoming activities, events and news.



**NACC-MA wishes you all a happy new year!**

IN THE NEWS

**Norwegian Christmas Special at NBC**

On Christmas Eve, NBC had its special “Christmas on Embassy Row” with Barbara Harrison this weekend on local NBC stations! The special included a snapshot of how Norwegians celebrate Christmas with a visit to the Ambassador’s residence, interviews with both the Ambassador and his Executive Chef, a sing-a-long with the embassy kids, and some footage from the 20th Annual Norwegian Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony at Union Station and Christmas reception at the residence.



[View the whole special here](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### **Nordic Young Associate Event at the Danish Embassy**



Together with the Danish-American Business Council and the Swedish-American Chamber of Commerce, NACC-MA will host a new exciting Nordic Young Associate Event at the Danish Embassy. During the event representatives from Swedish, Norwegian and Danish firms will speak about the topic: "Investing in the US- what's in it for Nordic firms and how can they contribute to the most competitive market in the world?"

This is a great opportunity for Young Associates to increase their network and learn about Scandinavian-American business ties.

When: January 25, 5pm

Where: Danish Embassy

Stay tuned for more information about registration!

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## **VMFA Lecture: The Haunted Picture: Edvard Munch across time**

The lecture examines Munch's presence in New York in the 1970s and '80s, while also considering the ways in which he continues to haunt canvases, prints, and screen culture.

**By Dr. Patricia G. Berman, Theodora L. and Stanley H. Feldberg Professor of Art, Wellesley College**

Edvard Munch had no direct students, but his work and legend gave rise to numerous artists who engage with his work across time and space. Jasper Johns is one of many artists for whom Munch's work is and was in some way generative, on the basis of motifs, technical procedures, biography, or all three dimensions.

**\$8 (VMFA members \$5)**

[Get tickets here](#)

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## **Norwegian Summer School 2017**



Norgeskolen is a three week summer school in Norwegian language and culture for children of Norwegian parents or for children who wish to maintain contact with Norway and Norwegian culture, and to learn about the Norwegian school system.

[Read more and sign up here](#)

## NACC-MA Christmas Event at the Royal Norwegian Embassy

NACC-MA is happy to have held its first Christmas party together with the Embassy, hosted by Ambassador Kåre Aas in his residence on December 8th. During the event, members and guests enjoyed live jazz music, typical Norwegian food and beverage as well as a beer tasting from NACC-MA member Nøgne Ø. Thank you to all sponsors and participants!



### MEMBERSHIP



We would like to welcome Gassnova as a new blue member! We are looking forward to future events and collaborations.

### OTHER EVENTS

**The annual Syttende Mai Celebration is coming up. This year it is going to be held on May 18th at a beautiful rooftop downtown, overlooking the Capitol and Union Station!**

So save the date, and stay tuned for more information and registration, registration opens soon online.



### Save the Date

*In Cooperation With the Nordic Chambers of Commerce,  
the Port of Virginia Presents:  
Building Resilient Port Cities*

Feb 27-28, 2017



### Save the Date

NADIC's 5th Annual  
**Norwegian-American Defense Conference**

Thursday April 6, 2017

*National Press Club, Washington D.C.*

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