

## EVERY OBJECT TELLS A STORY

The **Carré** Rive Gauche event is taking visitors on a discovery this year with galleries and venues presenting objects with a unique story behind them and sometimes even an episode in history. A host of art fields and mediums are represented including archaeology, primitive arts, ceramics, textiles, curiosities, and furnishings. Discover the Marquise de Pompadour's personal knife, a silver scale model of the English warship, the HMS Victory, a richly ornamented rare buffet from the Renaissance and a pair of 17th century Venetian caryatids that were once in the collection of Yves Saint Laurent and Pierre Bergé. Participating galleries will be hosting special exhibitions and showcasing exceptional objects and works throughout the month with some objects only on display from May 15th to May 18th. The Carré Rive Gauche is held in galleries in the 6th and 7th arrondissements on seven streets which form a square: quai Voltaire, rues des Saints-Pères, Université, Bac, Beaune, Verneuil and Lille. – P.V.

**Map and practical information at [www.carrerivegauche.com](http://www.carrerivegauche.com).**

