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MEDIA ALERT:

Museum of Glass Hosts Makers Market — MOG & Grog

Tacoma, Wash. — On Sunday, December 2, Museum of Glass will turn its Grand Hall into a market for local artisans. Much like its summertime counterpart *Glass Fest Northwest*, MOG & Grog puts the artists center stage and provides an opportunity for the public to view and purchase their work.

“MOG & Grog is one of the ways we fulfill our mission of igniting creativity, fueling discovery, and enriching lives through glass and glassmaking,” states event organizer, Ayla Janukajtis, MOG’s Marketing & Engagement Manager. “The event offers visitors a unique holiday shopping experience and a chance to warm up in the Hot Shop while watching live glassmaking. At the same time, it gives local artists a platform to introduce their work to a new audience and build their brand within the Tacoma community.”

True to its name, Grog will be served, along with wine, cider, and tasty bites from catering company, X Group. At 2pm local glass artist, Megan Stelljes will wrap up her five-day residency in the Hot Shop by hosting *Shop Talk*, where she will discuss and answer questions about her creative process.

The event runs from 12-5pm on Sunday, December 2. Admission is \$5 for the Museum all day.

About Museum of Glass

Located in Tacoma, Washington, Museum of Glass is a premier contemporary art museum dedicated to glass and glassmaking in the West Coast’s largest and most active museum glass studio. Opened in 2002, the Museum has established a reputation for hosting impactful and engaging artist residencies, organizing nationally traveling exhibitions, and creating unique programs for visitors while building a growing permanent collection chronicling the development of modern and contemporary glass. Museum of Glass provides an environment for artists and the public to ignite creativity, fuel discovery, and enrich their lives through glass and glassmaking. Museum of Glass is a non-profit organization sponsored in part

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