

## The Exhibition “David Cronenberg: Evolution” Launches Its Website

*Preparations are in full swing*

Prague, 20 January 2016 – The unique film exhibition of the Canadian filmmaker and screenwriter, David Cronenberg, boasts its own website – [www.cronenberg.cz](http://www.cronenberg.cz) – which provides all information on the event and will publish the most up to date news on the exhibition’s preparation and progress. The exhibition will run from 19 February to 17 July 2016 in The Stone Bell House in Prague. The exhibition organizers are the civic association Art Movement, Prague City Gallery and Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF). This exhibition is circulated by TIFF and curated by Piers Handling and Noah Cowan.

The website [www.cronenberg.cz](http://www.cronenberg.cz) presents important information in Czech and English, and provides exemplary images of the works on display. Production of the exhibition “**David Cronenberg: Evolution**” is now underway. It will include more than 300 original artefacts and a team of architects and designers will complement the sculptural installations, photographs, drawings, props, special effects, working documents and rare, unseen film clips with a unique exhibition design, including a special cinema for screening Cronenberg’s films.

### Adults only

The basic admission will be 245 CZK, reduced admission (for students, seniors and the disabled) will be 190 CZK. Basic weekend admission will be 265 CZK, reduced 210 CZK. Group admission will be available for 220 CZK per person. *“The visitors moreover have the possibility to purchase their tickets comfortably on-line, via the TicketPro portal, and thus avoid queuing on the busiest days and times. Similar to the previous exhibition – Tim Burton and His World –, there will be an array of contests for the entrance tickets for David Cronenberg’s fans, which will take place on the Facebook profile of the exhibition,”* says Markéta Janoušková, Art Movement, on behalf of the organizers. With regard to the controversial issues discussed by Cronenberg throughout his oeuvre, as well as the nature of some displayed artefacts and screenings, the exhibition is not suitable for children under the age of 16, and they will be permitted in the accompaniment of parents only.

David Cronenberg is a Canadian filmmaker and screenwriter. His most iconic films are *The Fly*, *Crash*, *A History of Violence*, *Cosmopolis*, *eXistenZ*, *Naked Lunch* and *Scanners*. The exhibition will be

accompanied by Cronenberg's film retrospective with screenings held in a specially built cinema with the capacity of 30 seats. All information about the exhibition is available on the website [www.cronenberg.cz](http://www.cronenberg.cz). More details and singularities can also be found on Facebook and Instagram.

**David Cronenberg: Evolution**

When: 19 February – 17 July 2016

Where: The Stone Bell House, Old Town Square 13

Web: [www.cronenberg.cz](http://www.cronenberg.cz)

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**About the organizers**

**Art Movement** is a non-governmental and non-profit organization (civic association), which invites artists, curators, lecturers and culture managers to cooperate on short- and long-term projects in the fields of culture and education and on production activities in the Czech Republic, as well as on an international scale. It cooperates with both young and established artists and with experienced lecturers and educators from the Czech Republic and the European Union. Its projects mainly aim at connecting visual arts and film (e.g., exhibitions of Czech Surrealists, "Tim Burton and His World"), the civic and the interactive (the project Civic Minds) and the civic and the educational (Parallel Worlds).

**Prague City Gallery** is one of the most significant galleries in the Czech Republic. Its exhibition activities mainly focus on modern and contemporary art. It collects, protects and professionally elaborates art collections of the City of Prague. It presently exhibits in eight buildings: The Stone Bell House, The Golden Ring House, Municipal Library of Prague – 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Colloredo-Mansfeld Palace, House of Photography, Villa Bílek, Troja Château and František Bílek's House in Chýnov.

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