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## ***The Temptation of St. Anthony***

<b>Date:</b>	1946
<b>Technique:</b>	Oil on canvas
<b>Dimensions:</b>	89.5 x 119.5 cm
<b>Signature:</b>	Signed and dated lower right: <i>Gala Salvador Dali 1946</i>
<b>Location:</b>	Musées Royaux des Beaux-Arts de Belgique, Brussels



## Provenance

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## Observations

Salvador Dalí was one of several internationally acclaimed artists to take part in the competition to design the poster for the film *Bel Ami*, an adaptation of the novel by Guy de Maupassant.

## Exhibitions

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- 1946, New York, Knoedler Gallery, *The Temptation of Saint Anthony: Bel Ami International Art Competition and Exhibition of Paintings, 16/09/1946 - 28/09/1946*
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- 1954, Roma, Sale dell'Aurora Pallavicini, *Mostra di quadri disegni ed oreficerie di Salvador Dalí, 13/03/1954 - 30/06/1954*, cat. no. 6
- 1958, Bruxelles, Palais International des Beaux-Arts, *50 ans d'art moderne, 17/04/1958 - 19/10/1958*, cat. no. 67
- 1959, Paris, Musée National d'Art Moderne, *L'École de Paris dans les collections belges, July 9th, 1959*, cat. no. 35
- 1968, Rotterdam, Museum Boymans-van Beuningen, *Hedendaagse Spaanse Kunst : van Picasso tot Genovés, 05/07/1968 - 25/08/1968*, cat. no. 30
- 1968, Charleroi, Palais des Beaux-Arts, *Salvador Dali : peintures, aquarelles, dessins, estampes, etc, 01/03/1968 - 31/03/1968*, cat. no. 17
- 1970, Rotterdam, Museum Boymans-van Beuningen, *Dalí, 21/11/1970 - 10/01/1971*, cat. no. 77
- 1971, Baden-Baden, Staatliche Kunsthalle, *Dalí: Gemälde, Zeichnungen, Objekte, Schmuck, 29/01/1971 - 28/03/1971*, cat. no. 63
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