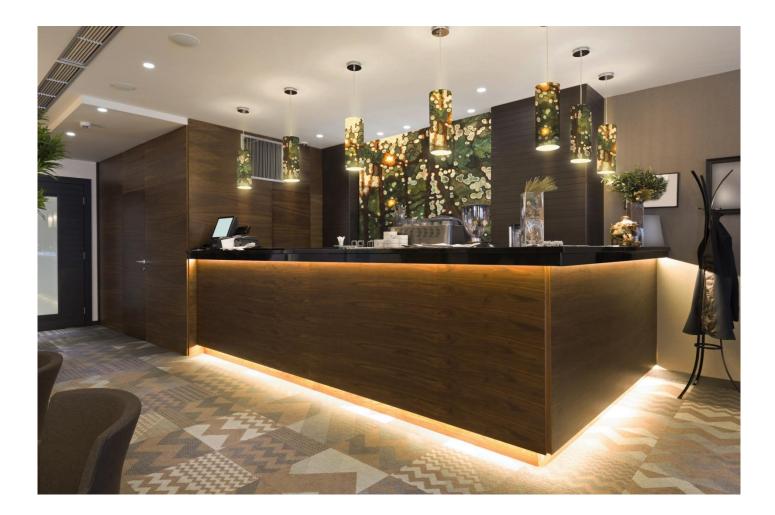


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## Barbican announces new partnership with Canadian Landscape Artist Lonny Doherty

CHICAGO, IL, - Barbican has established a partnership with landscape artist Lonny Doherty to deliver a distinctive lighting concept based on his original landscape paintings.



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*Lumiscapes by Barbican* is a unique offering of stunning landscape paintings available as a shade material finish on the complete line of Barbican lighting fixtures. The result is a striking work of art that brings the beauty of nature indoors. Customers can choose one of Lonny Doherty's original paintings and then select from a variety of fixtures and additional design options. Barbican also works with customers to create custom product designs which include lighting, room dividers and panels.

"As both an artist and interior designer, when conducting renovations, I noticed the absence in the lighting tmarket of pieces that were colourful, calming and unique," said Lonny Doherty. "Barbican understood this concept. As a North American owned and operated lighting manufacturer of more than 25 years, it made them the perfect partner for Lumiscapes."

"We're excited to be able to bring Lumiscapes by Barbican to the commercial design market," said Steven Geiger, Vice President Sales, Barbican. "Lonny Doherty is a talented Canadian artist and designer. We are thrilled to be partnering with him to bring his vision to light for the commercial design world."

*Lumiscapes by Barbican* will be unveiled on June 13 at NeoCon in Chicago, North America's showcase for the international commercial interiors industry. In addition to lighting, Barbican offers room dividers and ceiling panels based on the paintings of Lonny Doherty.

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## About Barbican

Barbican is a contract lighting manufacturer based in Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada, across the river from Buffalo, New York. Founded in 1990, Barbican has established a respected reputation for developing and manufacturing high design and high quality lighting solutions.

Barbican designs, manufactures and distributes commercial interior lighting, globally. Barbican's clients extend to a diverse range of markets. These include Commercial, Institutional, Health Care, Hospitality and Industrial segments.



## About Lonny Doherty

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Lonny Doherty is a Canadian painter hailing from Goderich, Ontario, now residing in Toronto. An elective Fine Art (Painting) course taken while at Wilfrid Laurier University sparked a lifelong passion for interpreting landscapes. Lonny is self-taught, drawing his inspiration from the settings of his natural surroundings. His works combine subtlety and exaggeration in a display of organic shapes, colours, patterns and atmospheric light effects often inspired by trees. A sense of familiarity provided by natural subject matter as well as a nod to Tom Thomson, Lawren Harris and the Art Nouveau movement, is complemented and modernized with a stylized edge. Doherty's 2001 piece Warm Cloud Tangle, was ranked in the top ten of International Artist Magazine competition. He was chosen among entrants from around the World. (June/July 2002 issue.)