



## Selected works from the Studio of Bernard Myers (30 NOV 2021 C)

Tue, 30th Nov 2021

### Viewing:

#### Viewings at our Chiswick Saleroom

Sat 27 Nov, 11am to 4pm

Sun 28 Nov, 11am to 4pm

Mon 29 Nov, 11am to 4.30pm

### Lot 737 §

**Estimate:** £250 - £350 + Fees

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*Forth Bridge from Dalmeny*

signed with initials *BM* (lower right); titled (on the reverse)

oil on paper, unframed

sheet: 55 x 75 cm (21 1/2 x 29 1/2 in)

### PROVENANCE:

Artist's Estate

The Forth Bridge, the railway bridge crossing the Firth of Forth to the west of Edinburgh, was designed by Sir John Fowler and Sir Benjamin Baker. Construction began in 1882, and the bridge was opened in 1890 by the Duke of Rothesay (the future King Edward VII). When built, it had the longest single cantilever bridge span in the world, and is still the second longest. In 2015 it was designated a World Heritage Site by UNESCO.

Myers' became the RCA's first Professor of Industrial Design, setting up the foundation course combining industrial design with engineering in conjunction with neighbouring Imperial College in 1961. Myers' keen interest in what he taught appears again and again in his paintings, notably in his fascination with bridges.

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