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AGH *film* series screens the dark comedy

## Odd Obsession

The Summer 2008 **AGH *film* series** continues with a screening of the dark comedy ***Odd Obsession*** on **Wednesday, June 25 at 7:00 pm** at the Art Gallery of Hamilton, 123 King Street West, downtown Hamilton.

Tickets are \$5.00 for AGH Members, \$6.00 for students and seniors and \$7.00 for general admission. Tickets may be purchased online in advance at [www.artgalleryofhamilton.com](http://www.artgalleryofhamilton.com), in person at the AGH's Front Desk during Gallery hours or at the venue door the evening of the screening beginning at 6:30 pm.

***Odd Obsession*** is a dark comedy based on Junichiro Tanizaki's novel about an art dealer fixated on maintaining his virility. The film's rich irony illuminates the ongoing battle between personal desire and societal convention. **1960 Grand Jury Prize Cannes; 1960 Golden Globe for Best Foreign Film.**

***Rated R.***

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This AGH *film* screening is part of the AGH's *Inspiration East*, a celebration of Asian arts and culture, presented by TD Bank Financial Group.

For complete AGH *film* information, please visit the AGH's website at [www.artgalleryofhamilton.com](http://www.artgalleryofhamilton.com).

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