



Disney's Beauty and the Beast

February 8 to 12

The beloved Broadway musical rolls into town this winter, filling the Queen Elizabeth Theatre with tunes such as the toe-tapping "Be Our Guest," the heart-wrenching "If I Can't Love Her" and **the unforgettable title song**. Catch Mrs. Potts, Chip, Lumiere, Cogsworth and all your other favourite characters in this **tale as old as time** (page 31).—*Sheri Radford*



Location, Location

To January 22

What do Vancouver, Los Angeles and Guadalajara have in common? Just ask Isabelle Pauwels, Kerry Tribe and Gonzalo Lebrija, a trio of photo and video artists who share similar ideas about **physical and psychological location and dislocation** despite living in different cities. See their work in *The Distance Between You and Me* at Vancouver Art Gallery (page 51).—*Kristina Urquhart*

PHOTOS: (TOP) BY JOAN MARCUS. (BOTTOM) "THE DISTANCE BETWEEN YOU AND ME" BY GONZALO LEBRIJA. COURTESY THE ARTIST AND GALERIE LAURENT GODIN, PARIS



VALENTINE'S DAY

February 14

Cupid takes flight—heart-shaped bow and arrow in tow—to celebrate all things lovey-dovey this February. Woo your sweetie with chocolate treats (page 18) and fragrant blooms (page 20), or head to the **newly renovated OMEGA boutique** (page 22) and give the gift of time. For her: the Planet Ocean **steel watch encrusted with diamonds** (pictured, above right); for him: the Planet Ocean Chrono (pictured, above left) with a clear sapphire back case. Both of these timepieces are water-resistant to 600 m (2,000 ft) and come from **the new Seamaster range**, a classic line dedicated to producing watches for divers.

—*Jennifer Patterson*

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Dine Out Vancouver 2012

January 20 to February 5

Foodies, this one is for you. The **largest restaurant festival in Canada** celebrates its 10th year with culinary tours, cooking lessons, dinner-theatre evenings, contests and—the pièce de résistance—prix fixe menus with optional wine or beer pairings at 225 eateries, from humble bistros to casual favourites to Vancouver's most elegant dining establishments. Choose your price category (\$18, \$28 or \$38) then make a reservation, because tables always fill up quickly. This year's **line-up of tasty choices** includes Hawksworth Restaurant (page 75), The Boathouse Restaurant (page 72), Yew Restaurant + Bar (page 73), Banana Leaf Malaysian Cuisine (page 71), Diva at the Met (page 71) and Market by Jean-Georges (page 72). See page 58 for details, and get ready to make your taste buds very happy.—*Sheri Radford*



Seared weathervane scallops at Hawksworth Restaurant