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Netherlands: 18 works of Rembrandt's art in the museum in Amsterdam coming soon!

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The H'ART Museum in Amsterdam will organize an exhibition in April that will feature 17 paintings and one drawing by Rembrandt. The works come from the Leiden collection, one of the largest private collections of Dutch art of the 17th century. Never before has so many Rembrandt works from this collection been shown in one place.

The most important work in the collection is "Self-Portrait with Shadowed Eyes", a portrait of a young Rembrandt from 1634. This exhibition is organized to celebrate the 750th anniversary of Amsterdam and is called "From Rembrandt to Vermeer, Masterpieces from The Leiden Collection". In total, there will be 75 works of art by 27 different artists, including Johannes Vermeer, Frans Hals, Jan Steen and Ferdinand Bol.

The museum wants to use the exhibition to show different aspects of everyday urban life in 17th-century Amsterdam. Rembrandt not only portrayed wealthy people at the time, but he also painted ordinary Amsterdam residents. "Young and old, pretty and ugly. He often found his models on the street," the museum informs.

Maria Schalcken's work will also be on display. Schalcken was a leading artist of the 17th century. "She excelled in capturing subtle, intimate scenes that are imbued with sophisticated elegance. Her work was long attributed to her brother Godfried Schalcken, but research shows otherwise," according to H'ART Museum.

The exhibition will be on display from April 9 to August 24.