

The call for applications for our residency programme has been made and the last date for receiving applications is 1 March 2013. We invite artists who see in themselves and in their art the potential to reach out to international audiences to apply.

Artist's residencies have been the keystone of Pro Helvetia's work worldwide. The follow-up projects that result from these residencies are a fair measure of the success of this exchange and collaboration. This month we have three stellar examples - Swiss musician Hans Koch returns to collaborate with Ish S to perform at Sound Reasons; Rikimi Madhukaillya and Avijna Bhattacharya curate a selection of contemporary Swiss and Indian videos at the Video Lounge as part of the India Art Fair 2013 under the mentorship of Swiss curator Mirjam Varadinis; Vidya Shah presents to Indian audiences her long standing collaboration with Swiss musician and composer, Don Li.

All the above Indian artists have been on residencies to Switzerland. Do consider applying for the residency if you want to embark on a journey of engaging with international artists and collaborating for future projects.

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### **Two Leads to Dialogue**

A selection of contemporary Swiss and Indian videos presented as part of the Video Lounge at the India Art Fair 2013 curated by Rikimi Madhukaillya and Avijna Bhattacharya under the mentorship of Swiss curator Mirjam Varadinis. [More](#)



### **Curated Walks at India Art Fair 2013**

India Art Fair 2013 has organised curated walks conducted by students of art history. Swiss Curator, Mirjam Varadinis will be mentoring the students, and leading the Curated Walks Programme. [More](#)



### **The SKODA PRIZE 2013**

Pro Helvetia is delighted to be associated with the award once again and offers the two runners-up a three-month residency in Switzerland. Mirjam Varadinis, curator at Kunsthaus Zürich has been invited to be part of the jury. [More](#)



### **Hans Koch at Sound Reasons Festival**

An evening of live electronic music by Swiss musician Hans Koch and Ish S. The evening will feature collaborations and solo performances (edGeCut | diFfuSed beats). [More](#)



### **Don Li to perform in New Delhi**

Swiss composer and musician Don Li is going to be in India for 'Sound Art and Technology : An International Festival on Music, Art and Technology' which is scheduled to take place in Delhi this February. [More](#)



### **Gilles Aubry at Carnival of e-Creativity (CeC 2013)**

Swiss artist-in-residence Gilles Aubry will participate at the 8th annual Carnival of e-Creativity (CeC 2013) scheduled to take place in Bhimtal in the Himalayan Indian state of Uttarakhand. [More](#)



### **Swiss Film at Fanatika International Documentary Festival**

I love me - Actress with Down's Syndrom by Andrea Pfalzgraf will be screened in Ahmedabad and Vadodara as part of the Fanatika International Theatre Documentary Festival. [More](#)



### **Residencies 2013/ 2014 - call for applications**

Pro Helvetia's liaison office in India supports studio and research residencies. Artists and cultural practitioners in the areas of the visual arts, music, literature, theatre and dance are eligible to apply. Last date for submission of application is 1 March 2013. [More](#)



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