

Manifesta, conceived as a nomadic, European biennial of contemporary art, takes place in Zurich this June. This year's edition is the eleventh since 1996 and is supported by Pro Helvetia - Swiss Arts Council. The eleventh edition is hosted by the city of Zurich and runs from 11 June until 18 September 2016 and carries the title 'What People Do for Money.'

Manifesta has earlier taken place in Rotterdam, Luxembourg, Ljubljana, Frankfurt, Donostia/San Sebastián, Trentino-South Tyrol, Murcia, Genk and most recently St. Petersburg. As in previous years, Manifesta 11 will present artists, curators and young professionals from different countries, and will continue to innovate and reimagine contemporary art practices.

Shailesh BR, Emerging Artist for 2016, awarded by the Foundation for Indian Contemporary Art (FICA) in partnership with Pro Helvetia - Swiss Arts Council, is currently in Basel for a three-month residency. We wish him a productive and inspiring stay in Switzerland.

Should you wish to know more about the residency programme that Pro Helvetia offers click [here](#).

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Workshop by light designer Jonathan O'Hear in Bangalore

Attakalari Centre for Movement Arts has invited Jonathan O'Hear to conduct diploma, repertory and community workshops in Bangalore in June 2016. [More](#)



Open Studio Day | Shailesh BR at Atelier Mondial Basel

An invitation by Indian artist Shailesh B.R. from Baroda, who is currently on a three-month residency at Atelier Mondial, Basel/ Münchenstein, Switzerland. [More](#)



खुल्ली चिट्ठी | Letter opening | DRAFT Project

An exhibition as part of the DRAFT Project, 'Open letters' will be on view until 2 July 2016 at R and R Mumbai. 'Open letters' is a feature of our current political turmoil. [More](#)



Opening of the Swiss Pavilion

Federal Councillor Alain Berset officially opened the Swiss Pavilion at the 15th Architecture Biennial of Venice. The pavilion hosts the exhibition "Incidental Space" by the architect Christian Kerez. [More](#)



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Art Basel brings the international artworld together this June with artworks from 4,000 artists, ranging from Modern great masters to current emerging stars. [More](#)



Switzerland celebrates Gotthard, the world's longest railway tunnel

Gotthard, a railway tunnel through the Alps in Switzerland officially opens on 1 June 2016. With a route length of 57.09 km it is the world's longest and deepest traffic tunnel. [More](#)



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