

Pro Helvetia New Delhi's projects and residencies are founded on meaningful partnerships. This month we join hands with two valuable partners, Experimenter Kolkata and 1 Shanthiroad, Bangalore, to support Indian and Swiss artists and curators to seek dialogue with each others' cultures.

Currently two Indian artists are in Switzerland on a residency facilitated by Pro Helvetia - Swiss Arts Council. Akshay Raj Singh Rathore, a visual artist and graphic designer based in New Delhi is at iaab, Basel on a studio residency until 28 September 2012. Akshay works with a variety of media: sculptural installations, photography, animation, video, site-specific works and performance.

Award-winning poet, novelist and translator, Sampurna Chattarji is in Villa Sträuli, Winterthur on a research residency. Sampurna's poems have been translated into German, Swiss-German, Scots, Welsh, Gaelic, French, Tamil, Manipuri and Bambaia; and her prose for children into Icelandic and Welsh. She was the Charles Wallace Writer-in-Residence at the University of Kent, Canterbury, from Feb-May 2012.

Pro Helvetia wishes both Akshay and Sampurna a productive and successful residency.

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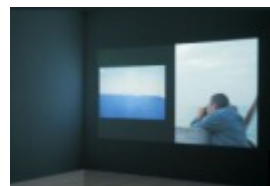
Patrick Gosatti at Experimenter Curators' Hub

Swiss curator Patrick Gosatti will participate at the Experimenter Curators' Hub 2012 in Kolkata this July. Patrick teaches Aesthetics and Art Theory at the University of Art & Design, Geneva and has been co-curator of the Festival Les Urbaines, Lausanne. He also writes for the Art Collector magazine, Basel and the Kunst-Bulletin magazine, Zürich. [More](#)



Curatorial practice as a production's process

Pro Helvetia New Delhi, in collaboration with 1 Shanthiroad, Bangalore presents a presentation and discussion by Swiss curator and academician Patrick Gosatti in Bangalore on Wednesday 25 July 2012. [More](#)



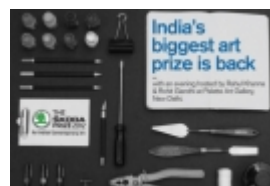
Swiss film at European Film Festival in Ahmedabad

The Embassy of Switzerland in India presents Stationspiraten, a Swiss film by Michael Schaerer on the occasion of 'Europe in Amdavad' - the European Film Festival 2012 in Ahmedabad, Gujarat. [More](#)



The Skoda Prize 2012

Pro Helvetia New Delhi is delighted to be associated with The Skoda Prize for Indian Contemporary Art for the third consecutive year and has announced a one-month residency for each of the two runners-up. [More](#)



Gaming in Olympic London

On 20 July 2012 the House of Switzerland opened its gates at the London Olympics. Its Swiss Game Lounge enables visitors to compete in the virtual

By participating in the Swiss Cheese Exchange artists are competing in the art world. For 24 days this summer the House of Switzerland will be at Glaziers Hall near London Bridge. [More](#)



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