WE DREAM UNDER THE SAME SKY

The arts for the refugees

Presentation of the 5 beneficiary NGOs
Exhibition of 25 works donated by contemporary artists
Panels, screenings, performances...

To benefit Migreurop, Anafé, La Cimade, Centre Primo Levi and Thot.
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Free entrance

16 – 21 September

Palais de Tokyo
Coming September 2017, WE DREAM UNDER THE SAME SKY organises a week of cultural and civic programming at Palais de Tokyo: daily presentations of the 5 beneficiary NGOs, panels, screenings, performances, and an exhibition of the donated works by more than 25 international contemporary artists.

WE DREAM UNDER THE SAME SKY is also a Benefit Auction consisting of the donated works, organised with the expertise of Christie’s and the complicity of the Azzedine Alaïa Gallery in Paris. All the funds will be given to the 5 NGOs that welcome, care for and integrate refugees arrived in France after their migration.

WE DREAM UNDER THE SAME SKY has a dual purpose: raising awareness among the general public about the refugee crisis and raising funds in order to finance 5 recognised and complementary NGOs that are involved in day-to-day work on the terrain.

The title WE DREAM UNDER THE SAME SKY is a reference to the eponymous work by Rirkrit Tiravanija created for this occasion.

Palais de Tokyo
13, avenue du Président Wilson, 75116 Paris, France
Access via the Parvis

Opening on Saturday, September 16, 2017 from 2pm to 10pm
Cocktail and performances from 6pm

From Saturday, September 16 to Thursday, September 21, 2017 from 2pm to 10pm
Free access:
Daily presentations of the 5 beneficiary NGOs by their teams and volunteers
From Sunday, September 17 to Thursday, September 21 - every day at 7pm: a panel is organised in collaboration with the beneficiary NGOs
An exhibition of the donated works by more than 25 contemporary international artists

Azzedine Alaïa Gallery
18, rue de la Verrerie, 75004 Paris, France

Wednesday, September 27, 2017 at 7pm
Cocktail in collaboration with the Refugee Food Festival
Benefit Auction at 8pm by Christie’s and its President François de Ricqlès
Access upon invitation
The artists

The works presented in the exhibition at Palais de Tokyo and auctioned by Christie’s for the Benefit Event organised at the Azzedine Alaïa Gallery were partly created for the event. They are offered by the following artists and their galleries.

ADEL ABDESSEMED
Courtesy of the artist, Dvir Gallery, Tel Aviv, Brussels and Blum & Poe, Los Angeles/New York/Tokyo

JOHN ARMLEDER
Courtesy of the artist and Almine Rech Gallery

NAIRY BAGHRAMIAN
Courtesy of the artist and Marian Goodman Gallery

NEIL BELOUFA
Courtesy of the artist and Balice Hertling, Paris

ABRAHAM CRUZVILLEGAS
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

JIMMIE DURHAM
Courtesy of the artist and Michel Rein, Paris/Brussels

LATIFA ECHAKHCH
Courtesy of the artist and kamel mennour, Paris

MATIAS FALDBAKKEN
Courtesy of the artist

ISA GENZKEN
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Buchholz, Cologne/Berlin

WADE GUYTON
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

MONA HATOUM
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

GLENN LIGON
Courtesy of the artist, Luhring Augustine, New York, Regen Projects, Los Angeles, and Thomas Dane Gallery, London
ANNETTE MESSAGER
Courtesy of the artist and Marian Goodman Gallery

GABRIEL OROZCO
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

LAURA OWENS
Courtesy of the artist and Gavin Brown’s enterprise, New York, Rome, Sadie Coles HQ, London, and Galerie Gisela Capitain, Cologne

LAURE PROUVOST
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Nathalie Obadia, Paris/Bruxelles

UGO RONDINONE
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Eva Presenhuber

ANRI SALA
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

CINDY SHERMAN
Courtesy of the artist and Metro Pictures, New York

RUDOLF STINGEL
Courtesy of the artist

STURTEVANT
Courtesy Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, London · Paris · Salzburg

MARTIN SZEKELY
Courtesy of the artist

WOLFGANG TILLMANS
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

RIRKRT TIRAVANIJA
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

OSCAR TUAZON
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris

DANH VO
Courtesy of the artist and Galerie Chantal Crousel, Paris
To benefit 5 NGOs

The NGOs intervene at different stages of the refugees’ journey and their actions are complementary. They are all engaged in the defense of human rights and share the idea that humanity only grows by sharing values of respect, hospitality and alterity.

Created in 2005, Migreurop is an international network of activists and researchers who make public and denounce the logic of the exclusion of foreigners induced by the European Union’s migration policies: camps, deportation and closure of borders.

La Cimade is a historical association created in 1939 that helps refugees and migrants gain access to rights (asylum, health, accommodation, integration) and informs the state of the stakes and difficulties of the migratory flows.

Founded in 1989, Anafé is a unique association that promotes the respect of the rights of foreigners at the borders or in the waiting zones and denounces the violations of human rights in these places of deprivation of liberty.

Centre Primo Levi is one of the rare structures in France to deal comprehensively with direct and indirect, visible and invisible trauma related to the effects of torture and political violence.

Created in 2016, THOT is a new school of French language for refugees and asylum seekers with little or no education in their country, which responds to the need for social and economic integration of exiles.
Honor Committee

Azzedine Alaïa
Fashion Designer

Abd al Malik
Musician, Composer, Writer and Film Director

Rémi Babinet
Co-President et Co-Founder of BETC

Patrick Boucheron
Historian, Professor at Collège de France

Catherine Deneuve
Actress

Laurent Gaudé
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