

La Biennale di Venezia
58th International Art Exhibition
May You Live In Interesting Times



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90 National Participations

Commissioners, Curators, Exhibitor, Venues

*** New participations: **Ghana, Madagascar, Malaysia and Pakistan**

* **Dominican Republic** participates for the first time with its own pavilion at the Biennale Arte and has already participated in previous editions as part of the IILA.

ALBANIA

Maybe the cosmos is not so extraordinary

Commissioner: Ministry of Culture Republic of Albania. *Curator:* Alicia Knock.

Exhibitor: Driant Zeneli.

Venue: Arsenale

ANDORRA

The Future is Now / El futur és ara

Commissioner: Eva Martínez, "Zoe". *Curators:* Ivan Sansa, Paolo De Grandis.

Exhibitor: Philippe Shangti.

Venue: Istituto Santa Maria della Pietà, Castello 3701

ANTIGUA & BARBUDA

Find Yourself: Carnival and Resistance

Commissioner: Daryll Matthew, Minister of Sports, Culture, National Festivals and the Arts.

Curator: Barbara Paca with Nina Khrushcheva. *Exhibitors:* Timothy Payne, Sir Gerald Price, Joseph Seton, and Frank Walter; Intangible Cultural, Heritage Artisans and Mas Troup.

Venue: Centro Culturale Don Orione Artigianelli, Dorsoduro 919

ARGENTINA

El nombre de un país/The name of a country

Commissioner: Sergio Alberto Baur Ambasciatore. *Curator:* Florencia Battiti. *Exhibitor:* Mariana Telleria.

Venue: Arsenale

ARMENIA (Republic of)

Revolutionary Sensorium

Commissioner: Nazenie Garibian, Deputy Minister. *Curator:* Susanna Gyulamiryan.

Exhibitors: "ArtlabYerevan" Artistic Group (Gagik Charchyan, Hovhannes Margaryan, Arthur Petrosyan, Vardan Jaloyan) and Narine Arakelian.

Venue: Palazzo Zenobio – Collegio Armeno Moorat-Raphael Dorsoduro 2596

AUSTRALIA

ASSEMBLY

Commissioner: Australia Council for the Arts. *Curator:* Juliana Engberg. *Exhibitor:* Angelica Mesiti.

Venue: Giardini

AUSTRIA

Discordo Ergo Sum

Commissioner: Arts and Culture Division of the Federal Chancellery of Austria.

Curator: Felicitas Thun-Hohenstein. *Exhibitor:* Renate Bertlmann.

Venue: Giardini

AZERBAIJAN (Republic of)

Virtual Reality

Commissioner: Mammad Ahmadzada, Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan.

Curators: Gianni Mercurio Mercurio, Emin Mammadov. *Exhibitors:* Zeigam Azizov, Orkhan Mammadov, Zarnishan Yusifova, Kanan Aliyev, Ulviyya Aliyeva.

Venue: Palazzo Lezze, Campo S. Stefano, San Marco 2949

BANGLADESH (People's Republic of)

Thirst

Commissioner: Liaquat Ali Lucky. *Curators:* Mokhlesur Rahman, Viviana Vannucci.

Exhibitors: Bishwajit Goswami, Dilara Begum Jolly, Heidi Fosli, Nafis Ahmed Gazi, Franco Marrocco, Domenico Pellegrino, Preema Nazia Andaleeb, Ra Kajol, Uttam Kumar karmaker.

Venue: Palazzo Zenobio – Collegio Armeno Moorat-Raphael Dorsoduro 2596

BELARUS (Republic of)

Exit/Uscita

Commissioner: Siarhey Kryshchapovich. *Curator:* Olga Rybchinskaya.

Exhibitor: Konstantin Selikhanov.

Venue: Spazio Liquido, Sestiere Castello 103, Salizada Streta

BELGIUM

Mondo Cane

Commissioner: Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles. *Curator:* Anne-Claire Schmitz.

Exhibitor: Jos de Gruyter & Harald Thys.

Venue: Giardini

BOSNIA and HERZEGOVINA

Zenica Trilogy

Commissioner: Senka Ibrišimbegović, Ars Aevi Museum for Contemporary Art Sarajevo.

Curators: Anja Bogojević, Amila Puzić, Claudia Zini. *Exhibitor:* Danica Dakić.

Venue: Palazzo Francesco Molon Ca' Bernardo, San Polo 2184/A

BRAZIL

Swinguerra

Commissioner: José Olympio da Veiga Pereira, Fundação Bienal de São Paulo.

Curator: Gabriel Pérez-Barreiro. *Exhibitor:* Bárbara Wagner & Benjamin de Burca.

Venue: Giardini

BULGARIA

How We Live

Commissioner: Iara Boubnova, National Gallery, Sofia, Bulgaria. *Curator:* Vera Mlechevska.

Exhibitors: Rada Boukova, Lazar Lyutakov.

Venue: Fondazione Ugo e Olga Levi Onlus, Palazzo Giustinian Lolin, San Marco 2893

CANADA

ISUMA

Commissioner: National Gallery of Canada. *Curators:* Asinnajaq, Catherine Crowston, Josée Drouin-Brisebois, Barbara Fischer, Candice Hopkins. *Exhibitors:* Isuma (Zacharias Kunuk, Norman Cohn, Paul Apak, Pauloosie Qulitalik). *Venue:* Giardini

CHILE

Altered Views

Commissioner: Varinia Brodsky, Ministry of Cultures, Arts and Heritage.

Curator: Agustín Pérez. Rubio. *Exhibitor:* Voluspa Jarpa.

Venue: Arsenale

CHINA (People's Republic of)

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Commissioner: China Arts and Entertainment Group Ltd. (CAEG).

Curator: Wu Hongliang. *Exhibitors:* Chen Qi, Fei Jun, He Xiangyu, Geng Xue.

Venue: Arsenale

CROATIA

Traces of Disappearing (In Three Acts)

Commissioner: Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Croatia. *Curator:* Katerina Gregos.

Exhibitor: Igor Grubić.

Venue: Calle Corner, S. Croce 2258

CUBA

Entorno aleccionador (A Cautionary Environment)

Commissioner: Norma Rodríguez Derivet, Consejo Nacional de Artes Plásticas.

Curator: Margarita Sanchez Prieto. *Exhibitors:* Alejandro Campins, Alex Hernández, Ariamna Contino e Eugenio Tibaldi.

Venue: Isola di San Servolo

CYPRUS (Republic of)

Christoforos Savva: Untimely, Again

Commissioner: Louli Michaelidou. *Curator:* Jacopo Crivelli Visconti. *Exhibitor:* Christoforos Savva.

Venue: Associazione Culturale Spiazzi, Castello 3865

CZECH (Republic) and SLOVAK (Republic)

Stanislav Kolíbal. Former Uncertain Indicated

Commissioner: Adam Budak, National Gallery Prague. *Curator:* Dieter Bogner.

Exhibitor: Stanislav Kolibal.

Venue: Giardini

DENMARK

Heirloom

Commissioner: The Danish Arts Foundation: Lisette Vind Ebbesen (Chair), Peter Land, Jane Jin Kaisen, Charlotte Fogh and Søren Assenholt. *Curator:* Nat Muller. *Exhibitor:* Larissa Sansour.

Venue: Giardini

DOMINICAN (Republic) *

Naturaleza y biodiversidad en la República Dominicana

Commissioner: Eduardo Selman, Minister of Culture. *Curators:* Marianne de Tolentino, Simone Pieralice, Giovanni Verza. *Exhibitors:* Dario Oleaga, Ezequiel Taveras, Hulda Guzmán, Julio Valdez, Miguel Ramirez, Rita Bertrecchi, Nicola Pica, Marraffa & Casciotti.

Venue: Palazzo Albrizzi Capello, Cannaregio 4118 – Sala della Pace

EGYPT

khnun across times witness

Commissioner: Ministry of Culture. *Curator:* Ahmed Chiha.

Exhibitors: Islam Abdullah, Ahmed Chiha, Ahmed Abdel Karim.

Venue: Giardini

ESTONIA

Birth V

Commissioner: Maria Arusoo, Centre of Contemporary Arts of Estonia. *Curators:* Andrew Berardini, Irene Campolmi, Sarah Lucas, Tamara Luuk. *Exhibitor:* Kris Lemsalu.

Venue: c/o Legno & Legno, Giudecca 211

FINLAND (Alvar Aalto Pavilion)

A Greater Miracle of Perception

Commissioner: Raija Koli, Director Frame Contemporary Art Finland.

Curators: Giovanna Esposito Yussif, Bonaventure Soh Bejeng Ndikung, Christopher Wessels.

Exhibitors: Miracle Workers Collective (Maryan Abdulkarim, Khadar Ahmed, Hassan Blasim, Giovanna Esposito Yussif, Sonya Lindfors, Bonaventure Soh Bejeng Ndikung, Outi Pieski, Leena Pukki, Lorenzo Sandoval, Martta Tuomaala, Christopher L. Thomas, Christopher Wessels, Suvi West).

Venue: Giardini

FRANCE

Deep see blue surrounding you / Vois ce bleu profond te fondre

Commissioner: Institut français with the Ministry for Europe and Foreign Affairs and the Ministry of Culture. *Curator:* Martha Kirszenbaum. *Exhibitor:* Laure Prouvost.

Venue: Giardini

GEORGIA

REARMIRRORVIEW, Simulation is Simulation, is Simulation, is Simulation

Commissioner: Ana Riaboshenko. *Curator:* Margot Norton. *Exhibitor:* Anna K.E.

Venue: Arsenale

GERMANY

Commissioner: ifa (Institut für Auslandsbeziehungen) on behalf of the Federal Foreign Office, Germany. *Curator:* Franciska Zólyom. *Exhibitor:* Natascha Süder Happelmann.

Venue: Giardini

GHANA***

Ghana Freedom

Commissioner: Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture. *Curator:* Nana Oforiatta Ayim.

Exhibitors: Felicia Abban, John Akomfrah, El Anatsui, Lynette Yiadom Boakye, Ibrahim Mahama, Selasi Awusi Sosu.

Venue: Arsenale

GREAT BRITAIN

Cathy Wilkes

Commissioner: Emma Dexter. *Curator:* Zoe Whitley. *Exhibitor:* Cathy Wilkes.

Venue: Giardini

GREECE

Mr Stigl

Commissioner: Syrago Tsiara (Deputy Director of the Contemporary Art Museum - Metropolitan Organization of Museums of Visual Arts of Thessaloniki - MOMus). *Curator:* Katerina Tselou.

Exhibitors: Panos Charalambous, Eva Stefani, Zafos Xagoraris.

Venue: Giardini

GRENADA

Epic Memory

Commissioner: Susan Mains. *Curator:* Daniele Radini Tedeschi.

Exhibitors: Amy Cannestra, Billy Gerard Frank, Dave Lewis, Shervone Neckles, Franco Rota Candiani, Roberto Miniati, CRS avant-garde.

Venue: Palazzo Albrizzi Capello, Cannaregio 4118 - Gallerie Espositive del primo piano

GUATEMALA

Interesting state

Commissioner: Elder de Jesús Súcrite Vargas, Ministro della Cultura e dello Sport del Guatemala.

Curator: Stefania Pieralice. *Exhibitors:* Elsie Wunderlich, Marco Manzo.

Venue: Palazzo Albrizzi Capello, Cannaregio 4118 - Salone dei Concerti

HAITI

THE SPECTACLE OF TRAGEDY

Commissioner: Ministero della Cultura e della Comunicazione.

Curator: Giscard Bouchotte. *Exhibitor:* Jean Ulrick Désert.

Venue: Circolo Ufficiali Marina, Calle Seconda de la Fava 2168

HUNGARY

Imaginary Cameras

Commissioner: Julia Fabényi, Museo Ludwig – Museo d'arte contemporanea, Budapest.

Curator: Zsuzsanna Szegedy-Maszák. *Exhibitor:* Tamás Waliczky.

Venue: Giardini

ICELAND

Chromo Sapiens – Hrafnhildur Arnardóttir / Shoplifter

Commissioner: Eiríkur Þorláksson, Icelandic Ministry of Education, Science and Culture.

Curator: Birta Guðjónsdóttir. *Exhibitor:* Hrafnhildur Arnardóttir / Shoplifter.

Venue: Spazio Punch, Giudecca 800

INDIA

Our time for a future caring

Commissioner: Adwaita Gadanayak National Gallery of Modern Art.

Curator: Roobina Karode, Director & Chief Curator, Kiran Nadar Museum of Art. *Exhibitors:* Atul Dodiya, Ashim Purkayastha, GR Iranna, Jitish Kallat, Nandalal Bose, Rummana Hussain, Shakuntala Kulkarni.

Venue: Arsenale

INDONESIA

Lost Verses

Commissioner: Ricky Pesik & Diana Nazir, Indonesian Agency for Creative Economy.

Curator: Asmudjo Jono Irianto. *Exhibitors:* Handiwirman Saputra and Syagini Ratna Wulan.

Venue: Arsenale

IRAN (Islamic Republic of)

of being and singing

Commissioner: Hadi Mozafari, General Manager of Visual Arts Administration of Islamic Republic of Iran. *Curator:* Ali Bakhtiari. *Exhibitors:* Reza Lavassani, Samira Alikhanzadeh, Ali Meer Azimi.

Venue: Fondaco Marcello San Marco 3415

IRAQ

Fatherland

Commissioner: Fondazione Ruya. *Curators:* Tamara Chalabi, Paolo Colombo.

Exhibitor: Serwan Baran. *Venue:* Ca' del Duca Corte del Duca Sforza San Marco 3052

IRELAND

The Shrinking Universe

Commissioner: Culture Ireland. *Curator:* Mary Cremin. *Exhibitor:* Eva Rothschild.

Venue: Arsenale

ISRAEL

Field Hospital X

Commissioner: Michael Gov, Arad Turgeman. *Curator:* Avi Lubin. *Exhibitor:* Aya Ben Ron.

Venue: Giardini

ITALY

Commissioner: Federica Galloni, Direttore Generale Arte e Architettura Contemporanee e Periferie Urbane, Ministero per i Beni e le Attività Culturali. *Curator:* Milovan Farronato. *Exhibitors:* Enrico David, Liliana Moro, Chiara Fumai.

Venue: Padiglione Italia, Tese delle Vergini, Arsenale

IVORY COAST

The Open Shadows of Memory

Commissioner: Henri Nkoumo. *Curator:* Massimo Scaringella. *Exhibitors:* Ernest Dükü, Ananias Leki Dago, Valérie Oka, Tong Yanrunan.

Venue: Castello Gallery, Castello 1636/A

JAPAN

Cosmo-Eggs

Commissioner: The Japan Foundation. *Curator:* Hiroyuki Hattori. *Exhibitors:* Motoyuki Shitamichi, Taro Yasuno, Toshiaki Ishikura, Fuminori Nousaku.

Venue: Giardini

KIRIBATI

Pacific Time - Time Flies

Commissioner: Pelea Tehumu, Ministry of Internal Affairs. *Curators:* Kautu Tabaka, Nina Tepes. *Exhibitors:* Kaeka Michael Betero, Daniela Danica Tepes, Kairaken Betio Group; Teroloang Borouea, Neneia Takoikoi, Tineta Timirau, Teeti Aaloo, Kenneth Ioane, Kaumai Kaoma, Runita Rabwaa, Obeta Taia, Tiribo Kobaua, Tamuera Tebebe, Rairaua Rue, Teuea Kabunare, Tokintekai Ekentetake, Katanuti Francis, Mikaere Tebwebwe, Terita Itinikarawa, Kaeua Kobaua, Raatu Tiuteke, Kaeriti Baanga, Ioanna Francis, Temarewe Banaan, Aanamaria Toom, Einako Temewi, Nimei Itinikarawa, Teniteiti Mikaere, Aanibo Bwatanita, Arin Tikiraua.

Venue: European Cultural Centre, Palazzo Mora, Strada Nuova 3659

KOREA (Republic of)

History Has Failed Us, but No Matter

Commissioner: Arts Council Korea. *Curator:* Hyunjin Kim. *Exhibitors:* Hwayeon Nam, siren eun young jung, Jane Jin Kaisen.

Venue: Giardini

KOSOVO (Republic of)

Family Album

Commissioner: Arta Agani. *Curator:* Vincent Honore. *Exhibitor:* Alban Muja. *Venue:* Arsenale

LATVIA

Saules Suns

Commissioner: Dace Vilsons. *Curators:* Valentinas Klimašauskas, Inga Lāce.

Exhibitor: Daiga Grantiņa.

Venue: Arsenale

LITHUANIA

Sun & Sea (Marina)

Commissioner: Rasa Antanavičiūtė. *Curator:* Lucia Pietroiusti.

Exhibitors: Lina Lapelyte, Vaiva Grainyte and Rugile Barzdziukaite.

Venue: Magazzino No. 42, Marina Militare, Arsenale di Venezia, Fondamenta Case Nuove 2738c

LUXEMBOURG (Grand Duchy of)

Written by Water

Commissioner: Ministry of Culture of Luxembourg.

Curator: Kevin Muhlen. *Exhibitor:* Marco Godinho.

Venue: Arsenale

NORTH MACEDONIA (Republic of)

Subversion to Red

Commissioner: Mira Gakina. *Curator:* Jovanka Popova. *Exhibitor:* Nada Prlja.

Venue: Palazzo Rota Ivancich, Castello 4421

MADAGASCAR***

I have forgotten the night

Commissioner: Ministry of Communication and Culture of the Republic of Madagascar.

Curators: Rina Ralay Ranaivo, Emmanuel Daydé. *Exhibitor:* Joël Andrianomearisoa.

Venue: Arsenale

MALAYSIA***

Holding Up a Mirror

Commissioner: Professor Dato' Dr. Mohamed Najib Dawa, Director General of Balai Seni Negara (National Art Gallery of Malaysia), Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture of Malaysia.

Curator: Lim Wei-Ling. *Exhibitors:* Anurendra Jegadeva, H.H.Lim, Ivan Lam, Zulkifli Yusoff.

Sede: Palazzo Malipiero, San Marco 3198

MALTA

Maleth / Haven / Port - Heterotopias of Evocation

Commissioner: Arts Council Malta. *Curator:* Hesperia Iliadou Suppiej. *Exhibitors:* Vince Briffa, Klitsa Antoniou, Trevor Borg. *Venue:* Arsenale

MEXICO

Actos de Dios / Acts of God

Commissioner: Gabriela Gil Verenzuela. *Curator:* Magalí Arriola. *Exhibitor:* Pablo Vargas Lugo.

Venue: Arsenale

MONGOLIA

A Temporality

Commissioner: The Ministry of Education, Culture, Science and Sports of Mongolia.

Curator: Gantuya Badamgarav. *Exhibitor:* Jantsankhorol Erdenebayar with the participation of traditional Mongolian throat singers and Carsten Nicolai (Alva Noto).

Venue: Bruchium Fermentum, Calle del Forno, Castello 2093-2090

MONTENEGRO

Odiseja/An Odyssey/Un`Odissea,

Commissioner: Nenad Šoškić. *Curator:* Petrica Duletić. *Exhibitor:* Vesko Gagović.

Venue: Palazzo Malipiero (piano terra), San Marco 3078-3079/A, Ramo Malipiero

MOZAMBIQUE (Republic of)

The Past, the Present and The in Between

Commissioner: Domingos do Rosário Artur. *Curator:* Lidija K. Khachatourian.

Exhibitors: Gonçalo Mabunda, Mauro Pinto, Filipe Branquinho.

Venue: Palazzo Mora, Strada Nova, 3659

NETHERLANDS (The)

The Measurement of Presence

Commissioner: Mondriaan Fund. *Curator:* Benno Tempel. *Exhibitors:* Iris Kensmil, Remy Jungerman.

Venue: Giardino

NEW ZEALAND

Post hoc

Commissioner: Dame Jenny Gibbs. *Curators:* Zara Stanhope and Chris Sharp.

Exhibitor: Dane Mitchell.

Venue: Palazzina Canonica, Riva Sette Martiri

NORDIC COUNTRIES (FINLAND-NORWAY-SWEDEN)

Weather Report : Forecasting Future

Commissioner: Leevi Haapala / Museum of Contemporary Art Kiasma / Finnish National Gallery, Katya García-Antón / Office for Contemporary Art Norway (OCA), Ann-Sofi Noring / Moderna Museet. *Curators:* Leevi Haapala, Piia Oksanen. *Exhibitors:* Ane Graff, Ingela Ihrman, nabbteeri.

Venue: Giardini

PAKISTAN ***

Manora Field Notes

Commissioner: Syed Jamal Shah, Pakistan National Council of the Arts, PNCA.

Curator: Zahra Khan. *Exhibitor:* Naiza Khan.

Venue: Tanarte, Castello 2109/A and Spazio Tana, Castello 2110-2111

PERU

"Indios Antropófagos". A butterfly Garden in the (Urban) Jungle

Commissioner: Armando Andrade de Lucio. *Curator:* Gustavo Buntinx. *Exhibitors:* Christian Bendayán, Otto Michael (1859 – 1934), Manuel Rodríguez Lira (1874 – 1933), Segundo Candiño Rodríguez, Anonymous popular artificer.

Venue: Arsenale

PHILIPPINES

Island Weather

Commissioner: National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA)/Virgilio S. Almario.

Curator: Tessa Maria T. Guazon. *Exhibitor:* Mark O. Justiniani.

Venue: Arsenale

POLAND

Flight

Commissioner: Hanna Wroblewska. *Curators:* Łukasz Mojsak, Łukasz Ronduda.

Exhibitor: Roman Stańczak.

Venue: Giardini

PORTUGAL

a seam, a surface, a hinge or a knot

Commissioner: Directorate-General for the Arts. *Curator:* João Ribas. *Exhibitor:* Leonor Antunes.

Venue: Fondazione Ugo e Olga Levi Onlus, Palazzo Giustinian Lolin

ROMANIA

Unfinished Conversations on the Weight of Absence

Commissioner: Attila Kim. *Curator:* Cristian Nae. *Exhibitor:* Belu-Simion Făinaru, Dan Mihălțianu, Miklós Onucsán.

Venue: Giardini e New Gallery of the Romanian Institute for Culture and Humanistic Research (Campo Santa Fosca, Palazzo Correr, Cannaregio 2214)

RUSSIA

Lc 15:11-32

Commissioner: Semyon Mikhailovsky. *Curator:* Mikhail Piotrovsky. *Exhibitors:* Alexander Sokurov, Alexander Shishkin-Hokusai

Sede: Giardini

SAN MARINO (Republic of)

Friendship Project International

Commissioner: Vito Giuseppe Testaj. *Curator:* Vincenzo Sanfo. *Exhibitors:* Gisella Battistini, Martina Conti, Gabriele Gambuti, Giovanna Fra, Thea Tini, Chen Chengwei, Li Geng, Dario Ortiz, Tang Shuangning, Jens W. Beyrich, Xing Junqin, Xu de Qi, Sebastián.

Venue: Palazzo Bollani Castello 3647, Complesso dell'Ospedaletto Barbaria de le Tole Castello 6691

SAUDI ARABIA

After Illusion **آء وءم بء**

Commissioner: Misk Art Insitute. *Curator:* Eiman Elgibreen. *Exhibitor:* Zahrah Al Ghamdi.

Venue: Arsenale

SERBIA

Regaining Memory Loss

Commissioner: Vladislav Scepanovic. *Curator:* Nicoletta Lambertucci. *Exhibitor:* Djordje Ozbolt.

Venue: Giardini

SEYCHELLES (Republic of)

Drift

Commissioner: Galen Bresson. *Curator:* Martin Kennedy.

Exhibitors: George Camille and Daniel Dodin.

Venue: Palazzo Mora, Strada Nova, 3659

SINGAPORE

Music For Everyone: Variations on a Theme

Commissioner: Rosa Daniel, Chief Executive Officer, National Arts Council (NAC).

Curator: Michelle Ho. *Exhibitor:* Song-Ming Ang.

Venue: Arsenale

SLOVENIA (Republic of)

Here we go again...SYSTEM 317

Commissioner: Zdenka Badovinac, Director Moderna galerija / Museum of Modern Art, Ljubljana.

Curator: Igor Španjol. *Exhibitor:* Marko Peljhan.

Venue: Arsenale

SOUTH AFRICA (Republic of)

The stronger we become

Commissioner: Titi Nxumalo, Console Generale. *Curators:* Nkule Mabaso, Nomusa Makhubu.

Exhibitors: Dineo Seshee Bopape, Tracey Rose, Mawande Ka Zenzile.

Venue: Arsenale

SPAIN

Perforated by Itziar Okariz and Sergio Prego

Commissioner: AECID Agencia Espanola de Cooperacion Internacional Para El Desarrollo. Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores, Union Europea y Cooperacion. *Curator:* Peio Aguirre.

Exhibitors: Itziar Okariz, Sergio Prego.

Venue: Giardini

SWITZERLAND

Moving Backwards

Commissioner: Swiss Arts Council Pro-Helvetia: Marianne Burki, Sandi Paucic, Rachele Giudici Legittimo. *Curator:* Charlotte Laubard. *Exhibitors:* Pauline Boudry/Renate Lorenz.

Venue: Giardini

SYRIAN ARAB (Republic)

Syrian Civilization is still alive

Commissioner/Curator: Emad Kashout. *Exhibitors:* Abdalah Abouassali, Giacomo Braglia, Ibrahim Al Hamid, Chen Huasha, Saed Salloum, Xie Tian, Saad Yagan, Primo Vanadia, Giuseppe Biasio.

Venue: Isola di San Servolo, Chiesetta della Misericordia, Campo dell'Abbazia, Cannaregio

THAILAND

The Revolving World

Commissioner: Vimolluck Chuchat, Office of Contemporary Art and Culture, Ministry of Culture, Thailand. *Curator:* Tawatchai Somkong. *Exhibitors:* Somsak Chowtadapong, Panya Vijinthanasarn, Krit Ngamsom.

Venue: In Paradiso 1260, Castello

TURKEY

We, Elsewhere

Commissioner: IKSU. *Curator:* Zeynep Öz. *Exhibitor:* İnci Eviner.

Venue: Arsenale

UKRAINE

The Shadow of Dream cast upon Giardini della Biennale

Commissioner: Svitlana Fomenko, First Deputy Minister of Culture. *Curators:* Open group (Yurii Biley, Pavlo Kovach, Stanislav Turina, Anton Varga). *Exhibitors:* all artists of Ukraine.

Venue: Arsenale

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

Nujoom Alghanem: Passage

Commissioner: Salama bint Hamdan Al Nahyan Foundation.

Curators: Sam Bardaouil and Till Fellrath. *Exhibitor:* Nujoom Alghanem.

Venue: Arsenale

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Martin Puryear: Liberty / Libertà

Commissioner/Curator: Brooke Kamin Rapaport. *Exhibitor:* Martin Puryear.

Venue: Giardini

URUGUAY

"La casa empática"

Commissioner: Alejandro Denes. *Curators:* David Armengol, Patricia Bentancur.

Exhibitor: Yamandú Canosa.

Venue: Giardini

VENEZUELA (Bolivarian Republic of)

Metaphore of three windows

Venezuela: identity in time and space

Commissioner/Curator: Oscar Sottillo Meneses. *Exhibitors:* Natalie Rocha Capiello, Ricardo García, Gabriel López, Nelson Rangelosky.

Venue: Giardini

ZIMBABWE (Republic of)

Soko Risina Musoro (The Tale without a Head)

Commissioner: Doreen Sibanda, National Gallery of Zimbabwe. *Curator:* Raphael Chikukwa.

Exhibitors: Georgina Maxim, Neville Starling, Cosmas Shiridzinomwa, Kudzanai Violet Hwami.

Venue: Istituto Provinciale per L'infanzia "Santa Maria Della Pietà". Calle della Pietà Castello n. 3701 (piano terra)