



ข่าวหอศิลป์วัฒนธรรมแห่งกรุงเทพมหานคร
Press Release

- “Bangkok Art Biennale 2018”, the first world-class art festival in Thailand
- To invent Bangkok to be the city of contemporary art
- Ready to exhibit more than 200 artworks from 75 renown artists around the world
- Located in 20 landmarks of Bangkok during October 2018 to February 2019

The first art festival in Thailand that will invent Bangkok to be city of world-class contemporary art by arranging “Bangkok Art Biennale 2018” greatly collaborated by Thai Beverage PLC, public and private sectors. The festival is expected to hold every two years by gathering more than 200 contemporary artworks of 75 artist worldwide from 34 countries under the theme “Beyond Bliss” allocated into 20 landmarks including Wa Phra Chetuphon Vimolmanaklaram Rajwaramahaviharn (Temple of Reclining Buddha), Wat Arun Ratchawaram Ratchawaramahaviharn (Temple of Dawn), Wat Prayurawongsawas Woraviharn (Temple of Iron Fence), East Asiatic Building, Bank of Thailand Learning Center, Mandarin oriental, Bangkok, The Peninsula Bangkok Hotel, O.P.Place, - Bangkok Art and Culture Center, One Bangkok, Alliance Française de Bangkok, NaiLert Park Heritage Home, Central World, Central Embassy, Siam Discovery, Siam Paragon, The EmQuartier, Siam Center, Siam Square One and Theater of Indulgence.

Throughout the 4-month-duration of the biennale, it is expected to enhance Thailand as art tourist destination by attracting quality tourist like art lovers, collectors and curator around the world achieving the greater economic value and up-lifting the level of national art industry as well as the well-being of Thai artists.

To fulfill of Bangkok Art Biennale 2018, “DEK BAB” project has been set to open the opportunity for people including university students to work as volunteers in facilitating artists during installation period and art site-visit. Moreover, they will work as a guide to inform the detail about particular artworks to visitors at each venues. Recently, there are more than 700 people who registered on this projects. It could be assumed that “DEK BAB” is the essential element to enhance this biennale and allow visitors to fully understand the idea and inspiration of the artists in interpreting the meaning of “Beyond Bliss”.

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26 Artists presenting artworks at BACC:

MARINA ABRAMOVIC & MAI
CHUMPON APISUK
KRAY CHEN
CHOI JEONG HWA
HERI DONO
GAURI GILL
FIONA HALL
MARK JUSTINIANI
NGE LAY
FIROZ MAHMUD
MUSALIMAH
NUMEN FOR USE DESIGN COLLECTIVE
ANNEË OLOFSSON
SHERMAN ONG
SUNANTA PHASOMWONG
SORNCHAI PHONGSA
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MARC SCHMITZ
JAKKAI SIRIBUTR
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IMHATHAI SUWATTHANASILP
DUJDAO VADHANAPAKORN
DOW WASIKSIRI
YUAN GOANG MING
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For more information about Bangkok Art Biennale 2018, please visit www.bkkartbiennale.com or www.facebook.com/Bkkartbiennale

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