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SUPERMARKET 2015 – Stockholm Independent Art Fair



## Representation is the theme of Supermarket 2015

For the tenth year the art fair for artist-run galleries takes place in Stockholm. This year Supermarket - Stockholm Independent Art Fair, is moving to Svarta Huset in Telefonplan. With 64 exhibitors from 29 different countries Supermarket will be diverse and treat-filled, with an exciting, packed programme for both artists and visitors!

Galleries from several new countries are exhibiting at Supermarket for the first time. Among them we will meet Parkingallery from Tehran, presenting 'the white cube' as a shelter from the stressed city outside. Al-Mahatta Gallery from Palestine is struggling to create an artistic refuge between conflict and culture and one of few artist-run spaces in Tanzania, Nafasi Art Space, exhibits the newest art from the contemporary art scene in Dar es Salaam. Gallery Urgente from Buenos Aires will bring some of their art in regular suitcases, a commentary on the difficulties in exporting art from Argentina. AllArtNow from Damascus is returning with yet another important exhibition showing the realities of life as a Syrian artist.

The theme for this year's seminar programme TALKS is "Invisibility - who represents who?" and presents lectures and talks about representation in the art world from perspectives such as equality, culture and economical power. Curator and art critic Bassam El Baroni from Egypt will hold a lecture on how the concepts of "Fine Art" and "Contemporary Art" differ between the west and the rest of the world. Artists Rehema Chachage and Diana Kamara from Nafasi Art Space will discuss representation and power relations in the Dar es Salaam art scene with historian of ideas Mikela Lundahl. Seminars in Swedish will include a panel discussion on art criticism and power, a debate on Creative Commons or copyright compensation and talks on the lack of diversity in higher education.

The Red Spot performance stage shows experimental and innovative performance acts by Swedish and international artists, this year from Indonesia, Estonia, Spain, Ireland and Finland.

The complete programme for TALKS and Red Spot will be published on Supermarket's website by the end of March.

**When?** 16–19 April 2015

**Where?** Svarta Huset, Telefonplan

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Supermarket is an art fair run by artists. Artist-run galleries and similar initiatives from around the world show the work of hundreds of artists at the fair. With its clear mission and its programme for networking meetings, Supermarket has become a unique platform for Swedish and international artists.

## EXHIBITION STANDS:

1646, THE HAGUE  
GALLERI 54, GOTHENBURG  
AL-MAHATTA GALLERY, RAMALLAH  
ALLARTNOW, DAMASCUS  
ALPINEUM PRODUZENTENGALERIE, LUCERNE  
A.M.180 COLLECTIVE, PRAGUE  
ANTENA ESTUDIO, MEXICO CITY  
ART ON ARMITAGE, CHICAGO  
ARTELLEWA ART SPACE, CAIRO  
AXEL OBIGER, BERLIN  
AXENÉ07, GATINEAU  
BANG ART NOW CENTRE, SAGUENAY  
GALLERI BOX, GOTHENBURG  
CANDYLAND, STOCKHOLM  
CIRKULATIONSCENTRALEN, MALMÖ  
CLUB SOLO, BREDA  
DETROIT STOCKHOLM, STOCKHOLM  
DIENSTGEBÄUDE, ZÜRICH  
DUPLEX100M2, SARAJEVO  
EULENGASSE, FRANKFURT  
FILMVERKSTADEN, VAASA  
GOCART GALLERY, VISBY  
GRAFISKA SÄLLSKAPET, STOCKHOLM  
HANGMEN PROJECTS, STOCKHOLM  
ID:I GALLERI, STOCKHOLM  
INTERVIEWROOM11, EDINBURGH  
GALLERI KONSTEPIDEMIN, GOTHENBURG  
KUNSTHUIS SYB, BEETSTERZWAAG  
KÖTTINSPEKTIONEN, UPPSALA  
LATERAL ARTSPACE, CLUJ-NAPOCA  
MIZA GALERI, TIRANA  
MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY CUTS, ISTANBUL  
MUU GALLERIA, HELSINKI

NAFASI ART SPACE, DAR ES SALAAM  
OPEN PLACE, KYIV  
ORMSTON HOUSE, LIMERICK  
PARAZIT, SAINT PETERSBURG  
PARKINGALLERY, TEHRAN  
PASAJ, ISTANBUL  
PHOTOGRAPHIC CENTRE PERI, TURKU  
PINK CUBE, OSLO  
PLAN B, AMSTERDAM  
SANT MARC, SINEU  
GALLERIA SCULPTOR, HELSINKI  
SEVER-7, SAINT PETERSBURG  
SILVERADO, POZNAN  
STUDIO44, STOCKHOLM  
TEGEN2, STOCKHOLM  
THE ROOM BELOW, KANAZAWA  
TITANIK GALLERY, TURKU  
UDSTILLINGSSTEDET TYS, COPENHAGEN  
URGENTE, BUENOS AIRES  
VARIOUS ARTISTS, BRUSSELS  
GALLERI VERKLIGHETEN, UMEÅ  
VERKSTAD: RUM FÖR KONST, NORRKÖPING  
Ÿ GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY ART, MINSK

## PRESENTATION STANDS:

BILAGA – LIMITED EDITIONS, GOTHENBURG  
KONSTKONSULENTERNA I SVERIGE  
KONSTNÄRERNAS KOLLEKTIVVERKSTAD, NACKA  
KONSTPERSPEKTIV, MALMÖ/STOCKHOLM  
KONSTPOOL, STOCKHOLM  
NKF NORDIC ART ASSOCIATION FINLAND  
PLATTFORM, MALMÖ  
TIDSKRIFTEN HJÄRNSTORM, STOCKHOLM

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