

# KUNSTENFESTIVALDESARTS

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Dear Mandeep,

We are very glad to invite you to Brussels, to participate at the project "Residence and Reflection" during the 23<sup>rd</sup> edition of the Kunstenfestivaldesarts in May 2018.

The annual international festival for contemporary arts Kunstenfestivaldesarts will take place between May 4th and May 26th 2018 in Brussels, Belgium. The festival comprises a selection of artistic work created by Belgian and international artists; it presents artistic creations that tackle issues head on, remarkable new works which translate a personal vision of the world today that the artists would like to share with audiences who are prepared to challenge and broaden their perspectives.

Each year, the Kunstenfestivaldesarts invites a small group of international artists to follow the festival closely during a ten-day residency. The participants are young artists from around the globe identified during one of the Kunstenfestivaldesarts' prospection trips. They engage with one another and with the festival performances. Not only do the participants meet ten or more colleagues, but they mostly end up confronting themselves as world citizens and as artists.

As said, I'm very glad to be able to invite you to participate in this project. It will take place from the 14<sup>th</sup> till the 23<sup>th</sup> of May 2018 at La Bellone, rue de Flandre 46, 1000 Brussels, located in the heart of the city.

Meanwhile, if you have any question, please, do not hesitate to contact us. For more information about our festival and former editions, feel free to visit our website [www.kunstenfestivaldesarts.be](http://www.kunstenfestivaldesarts.be).

Looking forward to welcoming you here in Brussels.

Sincerely yours,



Christophe Slagmuylder  
Artistic Director