



Una Boccata d'Arte
20 artisti 20 borghi 20 regioni

Milano, 22 June 2021

THE SECOND EDITION OF UNA BOCCATA D'ARTE IS OPENING THIS WEEKEND

We're approaching the opening of the second edition of **Una Boccata d'Arte**, a contemporary art project **spread all over Italy**, in all of its regions that, from 26 June to 26 September 2021, promotes the meeting of **contemporary art** with the historical and artistic beauty of the **the most evocative villages in Italy**.

Una Boccata d'Arte is a project by **Fondazione Elpis**, in collaboration with **Galleria Continua**, and the participation of **Threes Productions**, that gives full creative freedom to the artist and allows the use of any artistic media, exploring various themes that dialogue in a convincing way with the villages.

The twenty villages, selected each year on the basis of: less than 5000 inhabitants; the presence of an active cultural scene; and a capacity for family- run artisanal, commercial and hospitality industries, welcome **twenty site specific artworks** created by emerging and established artists, all of whom have been invited by the Fondazione Elpis and Galleria Continua.

From June 26 to September 26, 2021, a new cultural journey that includes twenty new villages, one for each Italian region, and twenty selected artists, who will realize twenty site-specific works. From Valle d'Aosta to Sardinia, it aims to involve not only art buffs and insiders, but also a **wider and more transversal audience**.

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Giuseppina Giordano, *KONFETTI (rägnò morceaux di primavera)*,
11am-8pm, Obre Platz, 11025 **Gressoney-Saint-Jean** (AO), **Valle d'Aosta**.

Binta Diaw, *It Is Not Wrong To Go Back and Take Something You
Forgot*, 6pm, Medieval Castle di **Monastero Bormida** 14058 (AT),
Piedmont.

Alice Cattaneo, *AFFIORAMENTI*, 10.30am-6pm, Piazza Castello, 19028,
Varese Ligure (SP), **Liguria**.

CAMPOSTABILE, *Mercatorum*, 3pm, Ruderer della casa Tasso, Località
Cornello dei Tasso, 24010 Camerata Cornello (BG), **Lombardy**.

Camille Norment, *Pulse - Single Formation 2021*, 17.30pm, Chiesa
Parrocchiale S. Geltrude, 51, 39016, **Santa Gertrude**, Ultimo (BZ),
Trentino-Alto Adige.

Jem Perucchini, *AB-ERRANTI*, 6pm, Parco «Pietro D'Abano» (Parco
INPS), Viale dei Colli Euganei, 1, 35041 **Battaglia Terme** (PD), **Veneto**.

Irini Karayannopoulou, *Elixir*, 6.30pm, Palazzo Scolari, Via Gorgazzo, 2,
33070 **Polcenigo** (PN), **Friuli-Venezia Giulia**.

Rudi Ninov, *Colour Notes in Epilogue*, 5pm, Ponte della Maestà, Via
Borgo al Ponte, 2-3, 47010 **Portico e San Benedetto** (FC), **Emilia-
Romagna**.

Francesco Cavaliere, *La Lince D'Ombra e Pietra Sponga*, 6.30pm, live
performance and refreshments at Torre di Guardia, Piazza Umberto I,
Vallo di Nera (PG), **Umbria**.

Margherita Moscardini, *VIETATO AI TURISTI / NOT FOR TOURISM*,
6pm, Municipality of Corinaldo, Via del Corso, 9, 60013 **Corinaldo** (AN),
Marche.

Agnese Spolverini, *Per riconoscerti nel buio*, 7pm-10pm, Piazza
Madonna del Carmine, 65020 - Abbateggio (PE), **Abruzzo**.

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Alberto Selvestrel, *L'unica danza*, 10.30am, Auditorium Comunale, Via dei Martiri, 86070 **Fornelli (IS)**, **Molise**.

Gaia Di Lorenzo, *Temmatemenetè*, 7pm, press conference 6.30pm, Via Arco Ducale, 71038 **Pietramontecorvino (FG)**, **Puglia**.

GRJB Gabriella Rhodeen & Jesse Bonnell, *Flag Semaphores 2020-21*, 8pm, live performance 9pm, Piazzetta Mario Pagano, 85016 **Pietragalla (PZ)**, **Basilicata**.

Lupo Borgonovo, *OOO Tong*, 6.30pm, Piazza Generale dalla Chiesa in vico Garibaldi, 87020 **Civita (CS)**, **Calabria**.

Renato Leotta, *EROS E PSYCHE*, 6pm, **Carcaci, Centuripe**, 94010 (EN), **Sicily**.

David Benforado, *De Terra e de Bentu (Da Terra e Vento)*, 7pm, live performance 8pm, Sa Domu de Tzia Giuannicca – piazza Chiesa, vecchio borgo, 09010 **Tratalias (SU)**, **Sardinia**.

Exhibitions opening on Sunday 27.06

Adelita Husni-Bey, *Cronaca del luogo e del tempo ripetuto*, 6.30pm, Panoramic terrace «Ernesto Becucci», Palazzo Berlinghieri, Via Tiberio Gazzei n. 89, 53030 **Radicondoli (SI)**, **Tuscany**.

Zhanna Kadyrova, *LANDMARKS*, ore 12.00, Piazza Vittorio Veneto, 12, 00059 Tolfa (RM). Refreshments at Convento dei Cappuccini, Via Annibal Caro, 00059 **Tolfa (RM)**, **Lazio**.

Polisonum, *A cinque voci*, ore 17.50, live performance 6pm, Castello Carlo Gesualdo, Via Scaletta, 83040 **Gesualdo (AV)**, **Campania**.



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FONDAZIONE ELPIS

Established in 2020 by **Marina Nissim**, entrepreneur and contemporary art collector, has as its purpose the **valorization** and **promotion** of expressive forms of contemporary art and creativity, particularly with regard to education and social utility. Fondazione Elpis especially focuses on supporting **young and emerging artists**, from different countries and cultures, whose talent deserves a greater opportunity for visibility and support. The exhibition space, currently being renovated, will open to public in spring 2022, in the heart of Milano.

GALLERIA CONTINUA

Contemporary art gallery established in 1990 by **Mario Cristiani, Lorenzo Fiaschi and Maurizio Rigillo**, today to date it has seven locations around the world: in 1990 opens in **San Gimignano**, little Tuscan village; in 2004 in **Beijing**, in 798 district; in 2007 at **Les Moulins**, in the Parisian countryside; in 2015 in **La Habana**, Cuba; in 2020 in **Rome**, into The St. Regis Rome, and in **São Paulo**, Brazil. In January 2021 opens a new exhibition space in **Paris**, in Le Marais district.

THREES PRODUCTIONS

A curatorial team and creative agency based in Milano, concentrates its practice on projects that intersect sound, art and landscape. In the second edition of **Una Boccata d'Arte 2021**, Threes will curate the exhibitions by Camille Norment in Santa Gertrude, Francesco Cavaliere in Vallo di Nero and Polisonum in Gesualdo.

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