

EVENT TIMETABLE

MONDAY 15 MARCH

- 10.30 – 16.30 Global Art Forum, Museum of Islamic Art, Doha
- 10.30 – 11.00 Global Art Forum, Doha
Welcoming Comments by Abdulla al Najjar
Abdulla al Najjar, CEO, Qatar Museum Authority, Doha
- 11.00 – 12.30 Global Art Forum, Doha
Panel: Future Art School
- Chair: Maria Fusco, Director, MFA Art Writing, Goldsmiths College, London
Reem Fadda, Associate Curator for Middle Eastern Art, Guggenheim, Abu Dhabi Project, Ithaca
Angela Harutyunyan, Art Programme Director, American University in Cairo, Cairo
Anton Vidokle, Artist and Founder, e-flux and unitednationsplaza, New York
Shumon Basar, Writer and Editor, London
- 12.30 – 13.00 Global Art Forum, Doha
Mapping Presentation: 5000 Friends After the Rolodex
Shumon Basar, Writer and Editor, London
Haig Aivazian, Artist, Chicago
- 14.00 – 14.30 Global Art Forum, Doha
M.F. Husain in Conversation with Deena Chalabi
M.F. Husain, Artist, Doha
Deena Chalabi, Exhibitions Coordinator, Arab Museum of Modern Art, Doha
- 14.30 – 15.30 Global Art Forum, Doha
Panel: Institution as Moment
- Chair: Anton Vidokle, Artist and Founder, e-flux and unitednationsplaza, New York
Amal Khalaf, Centre for Possible Studies, London
Karen Mirza, Artist, Museum of Non-Participation, London
Brad Butler, Artist, Museum of Non-Participation, London
Khalil Rabah, Artist, Palestinian Museum of Natural History and Humankind, Ramallah
- 15.30 – 16.30 Global Art Forum, Doha
Dia Azzawi in Conversation with Nada Shabout
Dia Azzawi, Artist, London
Nada Shabout, Associate Professor of Art history and Director of the Contemporary Arab and Muslim Cultural Studies Institute (CAMCSI), University of North Texas, Denton
- 20.00 Canvas Collector's Dinner, Dubai (*By invitation only*)

TUESDAY 16 MARCH

- 18.50 Unveiling of the Abraaj Capital Art Prize
Johara Foyer, Art Dubai (*By invitation only*)
- 19.00 – 22.00 Jumeirah Patrons' Preview of Art Dubai (*By invitation only*)
- 19.00 – 20.30 START
AerosolArabic and RART public performance, START stand
- 20.00 – 02.00 Harper's Bazaar After Party (*By invitation only*)

WEDNESDAY 17 MARCH

- 10.30 – 14.00 Ladies' Day in the presence of Her Highness Sheikha Manal bint Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, President of Dubai Women Establishment, Wife of HH Sheikh Mansour bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Presidential Affairs UAE
- 12.30 – 13.30 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Panel: Artists and Mapping Historiographies
Chair: Hans Ulrich Obrist (chair), Co-Director, Exhibitions and Programmes and Director of International Projects, Serpentine Gallery, London
RAQS Media Collective, Artist collective, Delhi
Hala Elkoussy, Artist, Cairo
Bassam El Baroni, Writer and Curator, Alexandria
- 13.30 – 13.45 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Mapping presentation: 5000 Friends After the Rolodex
Shumon Basar, Writer and Editor, London
Haig Aivazian, Artist, Chicago
- 13.45 – 14.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Arts Writing Keynote with Douglas McLennan
Douglas McClennan, Founder and Editor-in-Chief, ArtsJournal.com, Seattle
- 14.00 – 15.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Panel: Is There a Crisis in Arts Writing?
Chair: Kaelen Wilson-Goldie, Staff Writer, *The National*; Contributing Editor, *Bidoun*, Beirut
Douglas McLennan, Founder and Editor-in-Chief, ArtsJournal.com, Seattle
Maria Fusco, Director, MFA Art Writing, Goldsmiths College, London
Murtaza Vali, Critic, Historian and Educator, Sharjah and New York
Hassan Khan, Artist and Musician, Cairo
- 15.00 – 16.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Panel: Building the Tehran Contemporary Art Museum, Depicting Rostam and Piles of Gold Bricks: Tehran in the 1970s
Moderator: Negar Azimi, Senior Editor, *Bidoun*, New York
Fereydoun Ave, Artist and Curator, Paris and Tehran
Kamran Diba, Architect, Paris
- 16.00 – 22.00 Opening Night hosted by HSBC (last entry 21.30)**
- 17.00 – 18.30 Art Park Talk
Conversation with 2010 Abraaj Capital Art Prize Recipients, Bidoun Lounge
- 17.30 – 18.30 Artist-led tour
Khalil Rabah: *Fair View*
(Register and convene at the Art Projects desk)
- 17.30 – 19.00 START
Graffiti wall demonstration with AerosolArabic, START stand
- 18.00 – 19.00 Art Park: Video Programme
Strike a Pose
Followed by a Q+A with curators Özge Ersoy and Sohrab Mohebbi, Bidoun Lounge
- 19.00 - 19.45 Art Park Talk
Archives and the Internet
Kenny Goldsmith, Founder of UbuWeb, and Tiffany Malakooti, UbuWeb Middle East, in conversation with Lucy Raven, Bidoun Lounge
- 20.00 – 21.15 The Big Idea
A dynamic forum featuring 5-minute presentations of upcoming projects by artists, artists' groups and architects from the Gulf and beyond, Bidoun Lounge

- 20.30 – 22.00 START Beach Dinner and After Party, Layali Tent
For more information please contact Becky Craig, becky@artdubai.ae; +971 (0)50 551 2517
(Tickets upon request)
- 22.00 – 02.00 START party, 360° Bar, Jumeirah Beach Hotel
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THURSDAY 18 MARCH
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- 13.00 – 13.30 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Keynote Address: Building Regional Patronage in a Post-Crisis Moment with Omar Ghobash
Omar Ghobash, UAE Ambassador to Russia, Dubai
- 13.30 – 14.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Presentation: The Role of the Corporate Sector in Supporting the Arts
Michael Danoff, Director, Art Programme, Neuberger Berman and Senior Vice President, New York
- 14.00 – 15.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Panel: Building and Sustaining Patronage I: From Private to Public Collections
Chair: Michael Danoff, Director, Art Programme, Neuberger Berman and Senior Vice President, New York
Mohammed Afkhami, Collector, Dubai
Alistair Hicks, Art Advisor and Curator, Deutsche Bank, London
Dr Farhad Farjam, Collector, Dubai
Maria Baibakova, Director and Chief Curator, Baibakov Art Projects, Moscow
- 15.00 – 16.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
El Anatsui in Conversation with Okwui Enwezor
El Anatsui, Artist, Nsukka
Okwui Enwezor, Curator, Art Critic and Educator, New York
- 16.00 – 17.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Panel: Palestine Syndrome
Chair: Vasif Kortun, Director, Platform Garanti, Istanbul
Jack Persekian, Director, Sharjah Art Foundation, Sharjah and Director, Al-Ma'mal Foundation for Contemporary Art, Jerusalem
Alessandro Petti, Architect, Bethlehem
Sandi Hilal, Architect, Bethlehem
Reem Fadda, Associate Curator for Middle Eastern Art, Guggenheim, Abu Dhabi Project, Ithaca
- 16.00 – 22.00 Public access to Art Dubai (*last entry 21.30*)
- 17.00 – 18.00 Book Launch
Provisions II, co-published by Sharjah Biennial 9 and Bidoun, Global Art Forum Tent, Madinat Beach
- 17.30 – 18.15 Artist-led tour
Daniel Bozhkov: *The Fastest Guided Tour of Art Dubai (run through 10,000 square metres of creative production in 35 minutes without missing a significant gallery or work of art)*
Register and convene at the Art Projects desk
- 18.30 – 19.30 Art Park: Video Programme
Hollywood Elegies
Followed by a Q+A with curator Aram Moshayedi, Bidoun Lounge
- 19.30 – 20.30 Art Park Talk
Archives and Film
Presentation and film screening by filmmaker-artist
Peggy Ahwesh, followed by a conversation with Lucy Raven, Bidoun Lounge

- 19.30 – 20.15 Artist-led tour
Sophia Al-Maria aka *SciFi Wahabi: Take a tour from the future at Art Dubai 2010*
(Register and convene at the Art Projects desk)
- 20.30 – 21.30 Art Park Talk
Armenian film and video artist Hamlet Hovsepyan in conversation with Kenneth Goldsmith, Founder of UbuWeb, Bidoun Lounge

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FRIDAY 19 MARCH
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- 12.00 – 20.00 Public access to Art Dubai (*last entry 19.30*)
- 12.00 – 13.00 Edge of Arabia
Saudi Artists in Conversation followed by Q+A, Art Park
- 13.00 – 13.20 Edge of Arabia
Vocation and Education – Life as an Artist in the Gulf with Manal Al-Dowayan
- 13.00 – 14.00 START Workshop for Families
Large Scale Drawing, open to all ages, START stand
- 13.20 – 14.00 Edge of Arabia
Panel: *Saudi Art Now*
Chair: Special Guest Speaker
Sarah Al-Faour, Chief of Arts and Culture, Saudi Arabian General Investment Authority
Abdullah Al-Turki, Creative Director, Edge of Arabia
Bashar Al-Shroogi, Founder, Cuadro Gallery
Hamza Serafi, Founder, Athr Gallery
- 13.30 – 14.30 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Panel: 112 Greene Street
Alice Aycock, Artist, New York
Dennis Oppenheim, Artist, New York
Vito Acconci, Artist and Architect, New York
- 13.30 – 14.30 START Workshop for Families
Making a Golden Wall, open to all ages, START stand
- 14.30 – 15.30 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Building and Sustaining Patronage II: Institutions and Museums,
Chair: Anna Somers-Cocks, Co-Founder and Publisher, *The Art Newspaper*, London
Manal Ataya, Director, Sharjah Museums Department, Sharjah
Jessica Morgan, Curator, Tate Modern, London
Salwa Mikdadi, Curator and Head of Arts and Culture Programme, Emirates Foundation, Abu Dhabi
Wassan Al Khudairi, Chief Curator, Arab Museum of Modern Art, Doha
- 15.00 – 16.30 START Workshop for Families
Graffiti workshop with AerosolArabic, open to all ages, START stand
- 15.00 – 16.30 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Don and Mera Rubell in Conversation with Maria Finders
Don and Mera Rubell, Collectors, Miami
Maria Finders, Director Europe, Brunswick Arts, Paris
- 16.30 - 17.00 Global Art Forum, Madinat Beach
Concluding presentation: *5000 Friends After the Rolodex*
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creative production in 35 minutes without missing a significant gallery or work of art)
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- 17.00 – 18.00 Book Launch
A reading from the debut novel, *Home Boy*, by H. M. Naqvi (Harper Collins, 2009), followed by a discussion with artist Faiza Butt, Bidoun Lounge
- 18.00 – 19.00 Art Park: Video Programme
Cloudy Head
Followed by a Q+A with Bidoun Projects curators, Bidoun Lounge
- 19.00 – 19.45 Artist-led tour
Khalil Rabah: *Fair View*
(*Register and convene at the Art Projects desk*)
- 19.00 – 20.00 Art Park Talks
Archives, Artists and Libraries
Banu Cennetoglu, Vasif Kortun and Payam Sharifi/ Slavs and Tatars, Bidoun Lounge
- 21.30 Closing Party hosted by Veuve Clicquot, Art Dubai
(*By invitation only*)

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SATURDAY 20 MARCH
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- 12.00 – 18.00 Art Dubai Closing Day (*last entry 17.30*)
- 13.30 – 14.30 START Workshop for Families
Making a Golden Wall, open to all ages, START stand
- 14.00 – 15.00 Art Park Talks
Films from the Kanoon Archive, presented by Tiffany Malakooti, Bidoun Lounge
- 15.00 – 15.45 Artist-led tour
Sophia Al-Maria aka *SciFi Wahabi: Take a tour from the future at Art Dubai 2010*
(*Register and convene at the Art Projects desk*)
- 16.00 – 17.00 Art Park: Video Programme
Exploding Nostalgia
Film screening followed by a Q+A with curators Antonia Carver and Masoud Amralla Al Ali plus filmmakers Rania Abdullah, Ahmed Mohammed Sharief, Manal Ali Bin Amro, Khalil Abdulwahed Abdul Rahman, Saleh Karama Al Amri and Waleed Al Shehhi.