

EUROPEAN OUTSIDER ART ASSOCIATION

Summary of the annual general assembly
3rd of July 2010, INSITA, Bratislava

Attending member organisations

- Debajo del.sombrero, E
- A-Konst, SE
- Union for Rural Culture and Education, FI
- ITE, FI
- Kettuki, FI
- Moscow Outsider Art, RU
- Galerie Hamer, NL
- Museum Dr. Guislain, BE
- Rizomi, IT
- Trastadsamlingen, N
- Atelier hpca, DE
- Art et Marges, BE
- Raw Vision, UK
- Kunsthaus Kannen, DE
- GAIA Museum, DK

(new members)

- Herenplaats, NL
- Galerie Susi Brunner, CH
- INSITA, SL

Chairman of the assembly

- Kristina Ahmas, Central Ostrobothnian Regional Museum, Finland

Budget and accounts

- The budget of 2010 (attached) represents a preliminary view on the association's expenses this running year. The numbers are fictitious as the association only has the income from the 50 euro membership fee. The budget will be used in order to raise funds.
- The board was not able to present an audit of 2009 at the general assembly as it was not finalised by the auditor. The audit of 2009 will be forwarded after the next board meeting.

Decisions

Roger Cardinal was asked if he wished to be the honorary president of EOA but he declined the offer.

It was suggested that the annual membership fee should go up to 100 euro but it was decided to continue with 50 euro for the association's first years in order to reach more organisations.

If it is possible and EOA has managed to find members from 15 different European countries, GAIA Museum and Debajo del Sombrero will cooperate on an application for EU Culture Programme, 'Support for Organisations active at European level in the field of Culture (strand 2), deadline 15th of October 2010.

The website will be released in August/September.

All members are encouraged to create awareness of EOA and have an influence on the association's first steps by sharing ideas, experiences and knowledge.

Election of the board

There was a contested election with 11 candidates. The elected board members are:

Richard Biennars, Herenplaats, NL
Raija Kallioinen, Union for Rural Culture and Education, FI
Mari Sol Alvarez, Debajo del Sombrero, E
Anna Yarkina, Moscow Outsider Art, R
Carine Fol, Art et Marges, BE
Colin Rhodes, University of Sydney, AU
Dorte Eiersbo, GAIA Museum, DK

Nita Lorimer, A-Konst, SE, has been elected as the external auditor of the association.

The board will have a meeting in September/October and elect the posts of president, vice president and internal auditor.

Membership

For those of you who still have not paid the annual membership fee, you can use the link on www.outsiderartassociation.eu

If you wish to receive an invoice for the accounts please send an email to maria.bach@randers.dk or info@outsiderartassociation.eu

All members will have their own site on the website with the text and image in the application form.