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ArtistTalk – Culture and Knowledge Platform,
a project by MoTA – Museum of Transitory Art, Ljubljana
in partnership with CIANT Prague, WRO Art Center, Wrocław
announces:

OPEN CALL FOR BEST INTERVIEW

ArtistTalk Culture and Knowledge platform invites you to submit your video recordings to an international competition for the best interview with an artist or cultural worker of any medium, profile or age.

ArtistTalk is an online collection of interviews about art and culture, to which you may contribute with a video interview. We invite you to engage in conversation with your favorite or least favorite artists, ask the right questions, engage in a debate on their work, and share your interview with everyone on ArtistTalk!

The most creative and original interview will receive a 1000 euro prize.

COMPETITION DETAILS

Competition start 17 September 2012
Deadline: 15 December 2012 at 23:59 (GMT)
Open to: everyone above 18 years old

Prizes:

1st prize 1000 euro // 2nd prize 700 euro // 3rd prize 300 euro

- Each month of the competition up to nine best videos chosen by the ArtistTalk curatorial group will be published at www.artisttalk.eu. The selected videos will be announced on 15th of October, 15th of November and 15th of December 2012.
- Each month, one from among nine monthly published videos will be honored with a fee of 200,00 eur. The winner will be announced on 15th of October, 15th of November and 15th of December 2012.

- Among all received entries, the ArtistTalk curatorial group will select **one winning video** recording and **two runners-up**, which will be awarded money prizes and presented at www.artisttalk.eu.
- The main prizes include a free hotel accommodation and entry pass for the opening events of the 15th Media Art Biennale WRO 2013 (May 8-12, 2013)
- Selected videos will be presented at 15th Media Art Biennale WRO 2013 in Wrocław, ArtistTalk conference at Enter Festival 2013 in Prague and Sonica Festival 2013 in Ljubljana.

ELIGIBILITY

Participants must be **18 or older** in order to apply.

Video recordings must be a **maximum of fifteen minutes** in length;

Each applicant can submit **up to five interviews**, but only one may be awarded.

Video recordings and interviews must be your **original work** and **previously unpublished**

Video recordings which are not in English must include **subtitles in English** language.

HOW TO APPLY

1 Add your video on YouTube.

For any YouTube option you are required to open an account, but they are FREE and easy to setup. By uploading a video recording to YouTube you agree with their terms and conditions. Please read carefully YouTube's [Privacy Policy](#), [Terms of Service](#) or [Community Guidelines](#) before you submit any video recordings. **Works which do not comply with these regulations will be automatically removed.**

2 After your video is uploaded, fill in the [contest entry form](#), sign it and send it to artisttalk.award@gmail.com together with the link to your video.

Please don't forget to include your contact details in your email.

Should your video recording be selected, we will send you an agreement, which must be signed in order to receive any of the prizes. We shall present the selected video recording/s on ArtistTalk, YouTube and Vimeo channels. The subject of the email should be: **artisttalk open call 2012 - surname - video's title.**

DEADLINES & IMPORTANT DATES

Deadline for submission is **15 December 2012 at 23:59 (GMT)**.

Applications and video recordings submitted after deadline will not be considered.

Selected participants will be notified on the 15th of each month of the duration of the competition.

An award ceremony to announce the winners will take place in February 2013.

ENTRY FORM

Your entry is not complete until you fill out and send the [contest entry form](#) to artisttalk.award@gmail.com. The contest entry form must be signed and sent together with

a link to your video. Your video shall not be considered as a valid entry if you have not completed and signed the contest entry form. **The winner of the ARTISTTALK BEST INTERVIEW AWARD will be notified in January 2013 via e-mail.**

ARTISTTALK BEST INTERVIEW AWARD 2012 - CONTEST TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Entrants must complete the contest entry form and provide valid contact information.
- Entries will be judged by an expert panel on the basis of creativity and originality, quality, technical accuracy, and content of the message. ArtistTalk reserves the right not to select a winner if none of the entries received are considered to be appropriate according to the above criteria.
- The video recording must be your own original creation. No copyrighted material such as music, video, or images may be used in the video unless properly licensed.
- Your video recording must not infringe any rights vested in third parties such as copyright, trademark, design rights, personality rights etc.
- Video recordings previously produced for compensation and videos already posted on ArtistTalk's Web pages (e.g., www.artisttalk.eu) are not eligible.
- The winner and runners-up must provide a copy of the original video recording file to ArtistTalk and sign the agreement with ArtistTalk in order to receive the 1,000 EUR award, 700,00 EUR award, 300,00 EUR and the honorary fee of 200,00 EUR. All awards and fees include any applicable taxes and shall be paid in 30 days upon execution of an agreement.
- The selected video recordings shall be published and presented or communicated to the public under the Creative Commons license.
- By submitting a video recording to this contest, the applicants grant to ArtistTalk and its project partners a royalty-free license to copy, distribute, modify, display, perform or publicly present or communicate the video recording to the public and to make the video recording available to the public in any other way, and authorize others to do so, for any educational purpose throughout the world and in any media. In particular ArtistTalk shall be authorised to present or communicate the selected video recording/s through ArtistTalk.eu, YouTube, Vimeo and all social channels under the Creative Commons license.
- By submitting the video recording and signing the entry form, applicants guarantee that their video recording/s are original works of copyright, that the authors of the video recording/s fully agree to the above mentioned use of the video recording/s, and that the persons who appear in the video recording/s consented to the making of the video recording/s and to the above mentioned communication of the video recording/s to the public.
- In case any claims are made by any third persons against ArtistTalk in relation to the agreed use of submitted video recording/s, the applicant who submitted it shall reimburse ArtistTalk any costs (including reasonable attorney's fees) incurred to ArtistTalk by such claims.
- Upon submission of the video recording/s applicants shall provide a copy of the original video recording file to ArtistTalk.
- ArtistTalk reserves the right to make any submitted video recording available to the general public from its Web site and to distribute it to watershed groups and any other organizations interested in showing it for educational purposes,

including, but not limited to, on Internet sites, at conferences and events, on television, and other media outlets.

- ArtistTalk will disqualify any entries of video recordings it deems to contain offensive material or that may be in other ways considered as inappropriate (i.e. potentially liable for criminal charges)
- Applicants must provide a release form that is signed by each person appearing in the video, and his/her guardian if s/he is a minor. If your video is selected to be awarded or presented publicly by ArtistTalk, ArtistTalk will demand copies of such release forms.
- Among all received entries the Artist Talk curatorial group will select one winning video recording and two runners-up, which will be awarded and presented at www.artisttalk.eu.

Entries must be received by **December 15, 2012 23:59 (CET)**. The winner and runners-up will be notified via e-mail in January 2013. The winners will be publicly announced at an award ceremony in February 2013.

By signing the entry form you agree to these terms and conditions. In addition any video recordings posted to YouTube, Vimeo or any other social network shall be subject to their privacy policy and their terms and conditions.

ARTISTTALK PRIVACY POLICY

The information of the applicants and their video recording/s collected for this contest will only be used to contact the applicants in direct relation to the contest.

The contest winners' names (and the names of any honorable mentions ArtistTalk may select) will be announced publicly, after consultation with the winner and any honorable mentions, as a part of the ArtistTalk Best video interview award selection and presentation process.

EVENT ORGANIZERS

ArtistTalk Best video interview award is organized and managed by KUD MoTA, Rožna dolina cesta II/36, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenija.

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