

LES RENCONTRES INTERNATIONALES

new cinema and contemporary art

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AT GAÏTÉ LYRIQUE, PARIS

Major event dedicated to contemporary audiovisual creation, the Rencontres Internationales will create from **12 to 17 January** at the **Gaîté lyrique** a space of discovery and reflection between new cinema and contemporary art.

In the presence of 100 artists and filmmakers from all over the world, this exceptional edition introduces a brand new international program, comprising of 120 works from 40 countries. By bringing together internationally renowned artists and filmmakers with young and emerging ones, the audience will attend indoor screenings, **premieres, cartes blanches, special seances**, video screenings, **performances, roundtables** and **forums** led by directors of art centres and museums, curators, artists and distributors who will share with the audience their experience and views on new audiovisual practices and issues

This is a unique platform in Europe where artists can meet with each other, exchange ideas with a large audience and initiate new projects. This update offers a rare and exciting glimpse into contemporary practices of the moving image.

The event is in free entry.

Some highlights

The programme to be revealed on mid-December will offer many highlights in the presence of artists from all over the world. Among special events we can already announce:

- European premiere "Vapour" by **Apichatpong Weerasethakul**, Palme d'Or at Cannes international film festival in 2010.
- A Special screening with **Rodolphe Burger**, with the premiere screening of a film-concert.
- Focus dedicated to **La Ribot**, performer, video artist and choreographer shown at Tate Modern and Centre Pompidou.

Programme will be announced on mid-December



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Practical Information

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Free entry.

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