Sharjah Biennial 13: Tamawuj

**Act II**

**October 16-22, 2017**
Beirut, Lebanon

Exhibitions, Talks, Publications, Film Screenings, Dance, Theatre and Lecture Performances

**October 14-15, 2017**
Beirut, Lebanon

Walks, Talks, Panels and Culinary Performances

Sharjah Biennial 13: Off-site Project

**Upon a Shifting Plate**

Program

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Ashkal Alwan The Lebanese Association for Plastic Arts
Saturday, October 14

11 – 11:30 am  Welcome remarks by Hoor Al Qasimi, Director of Sharjah Art Foundation and Christine Tohme, Curator of Sharjah Biennial 13: Tamawuj ~ Ashkal Alwan

11:30 – 1 pm  Reflections on the Language of Food, Iman Mersal
Talk ~ Ashkal Alwan

1 – 2:30 pm  The Ties that Bind, Maya Abu Al-Hayat, Tarek El-Ariss and Deepa Bhashthi (Forager Collective)
Moderated by Rana Issa
Panel ~ Ashkal Alwan

2:30 – 4 pm  Eating into Future-Past Cosmologies - Tasting the Future, SPURSE Culinary Performance ~ STATION

Communal Village Lunch, Chef Wael Lazkani
Lunch Event ~ Beirut Art Center

6 – 9 pm  Fruit of Sleep
Curator: Reem Fadda
Exhibition Opening ~ Sursock Museum

6 – 9 pm  An unpredictable expression of human potential
Curator: Hicham Khalidi
Associate Curator: Natasha Hoare
With: Pedro Barateiro & Quinn Latimer, Eric Baudelaire, Sabrina Belouaar, Mohamed Bourouissa, Gaëlle Choixne, CJ Clarke & Christopher Ian Smith, Jesse Darling, Sara Sejin Chang (Sara van der Heide), Laura Henno, Randa Maroufi, Rayane M’cirdi, Dala Nasser, Younes Rahmoun, Mostafa Saifi Rahmouni, Eric van Hove and Wendelien van Oldenborgh.
Exhibition Opening ~ Beirut Art Center

8 – 9 pm  Live from the West, Pedro Barateiro & Quinn Latimer
Reading ~ Beirut Art Center

Sunday, October 15

11 – 12:30 pm  A Taste of Crime: Free Association of Ideas, Beginning with Mao’wid ‘ala Al ‘ashaa (A Dinner Date), Sahar Mandour
Talk ~ Ashkal Alwan

1 – 2:30 pm  Reactive Inclinations: The Recipe as Pretext for New Configurations of Power over Life, Monika Halkort
Talk ~ Ashkal Alwan

2:30 – 4 pm  Destroyed Documents, Candice Lin
Culinary Performance ~ STATION

4 – 5 pm  Hunger and Hallucination: Tales from the Great Famine, Lina Mounzer
Talk ~ Ashkal Alwan
Monday, October 16

5 – 6 pm Curator’s Tour with Reem Fadda (in English) ~ Sursock Museum, Special Exhibitions Hall, Level -2
6:30 – 8 pm Immortality for All: a film trilogy on Russian Cosmism, Anton Vidokle Film Screening ~ Metropolis Cinema
8:30 – 9:30 pm 55, Radouan Mriziga Performance ~ Sursock Museum Esplanade
9:30 – 10:30 pm So Little Time, Written & directed by Rabih Mroué, Performed by Lina Majdalanie Performance ~ Sunflower Theater

Tuesday, October 17

5 – 6 pm 55, Radouan Mriziga Performance ~ Sursock Museum Esplanade
7 – 8 pm Landscape at Noon, Roy Samaha Film Screening ~ Metropolis Cinema
8:30 – 10:30 pm Dying on Stage, Christodoulos Panayiotou Lecture Performance ~ STATION
9:30 – 10:30 pm So Little Time, Written & directed by Rabih Mroué, Performed by Lina Majdalanie Performance ~ Sunflower Theater

Wednesday, October 18

6 – 7:30 pm Tripoli Cancelled, Naeem Mohaiemen Film Screening ~ Metropolis Cinema
8 – 10:30 pm Dying on Stage, Christodoulos Panayiotou Lecture Performance ~ STATION
9:30 – 10:30 pm 4 & 5, TAO Dance Theatre Performance ~ Al Madina Theater
Thursday, October 19

7:30 – 8 pm  **Pre-Image (Blind as the Mother Tongue)**, Hiwa K
  *Film Screening ~ Sursock Museum, Auditorium, Level -2*

  **RIOT**, Rania Stephan
  *Film Screening ~ Sursock Museum, Auditorium, Level -2*

8 – 9 pm  **Reem Fadda in discussion with Khalil El Ghrib**
  *Talk ~ Sursock Museum, Auditorium, Level -2*

9:30 – 10:30 pm  **4 & 5**, TAO Dance Theatre
  *Performance ~ Al Madina Theater*

Friday, October 20

5 – 6 pm  **Soma**, Christoph Keller
  *Lecture Performance ~ Sursock Museum, Auditorium, Level -2*

6:30 – 8 pm  **Mao’wid ‘ala Al ‘ashaa (A Dinner Date)**, Mohamed Khan
  *Film Screening ~ Metropolis Cinema*

8:30 – 9:30 pm  **Mollusk Theory: Soft Bodies**, Madison Bycroft
  *Performance ~ Beryte Theatre*

10 – 11 pm  **While I Was Waiting**, Omar Abusaada and Mohammad Al Attar
  *Performance ~ Sunflower Theater*

Saturday, October 21

11 – 12:30 pm  **Spoken in Waves: Readings from the Online Journal tamawuj.org**, Kaelen Wilson-Goldie and Omar Berrada with guests
  ~ Ashkal Alwan

1 – 1:30 pm  **Dear Victoria**, Rayyane Tabet
  *Reading ~ Ashkal Alwan*

3 – 4 pm  **Mollusk Theory: Soft Bodies**, Madison Bycroft
  *Performance ~ Beryte Theatre*

4 – 5 pm  **Curator’s Tour with Reem Fadda (in Arabic)**
  ~ Sursock Museum, Special Exhibitions Hall, Level -2

5 – 6 pm  **DASH**, Ho Rui An
  *Lecture Performance ~ Sursock Museum, Auditorium, Level -2*

6:30 – 8 pm  **M.A.R.S.**, Bahar Temiz and Felix Mathias Ott
  *Performance ~ Al Madina Theatre*

8:30 – 9:30 pm  **While I Was Waiting**, Omar Abusaada and Mohammad Al Attar
  *Performance ~ Sunflower Theater*
Sunday, October 22

11 – 12:30 pm  **History Ate Everything**, Céline Condorelli in conversation with Zeynep Öz  
Talk ~ Ashkal Alwan

12:30 – 1 pm  **Your Skin Shall Bear Witness Against You**, Vartan Avakian  
Lecture Performance ~ Ashkal Alwan

1:30 – 2 pm  **Dear Victoria**, Rayyane Tabet  
Reading ~ Ashkal Alwan

5 – 6 pm  **DASH**, Ho Rui An  
Lecture Performance ~ Sursock Museum, Auditorium, Level -2

6 – 7:30 pm  **M.A.R.S.**, Bahar Temiz and Felix Mathias Ott  
Performance ~ Al Madina Theatre

9 pm  **Leila Arab**  
Dj set & closing party ~ Ashkal Alwan

**Everyday**

12 – 8 pm  **Beirut Heterotopia**, Akira Takayama  
Performance ~ Zico House

12 pm  **Kharaja Wa Lam Ya'ud (Gone and Never Came Back)**, Mohamed Khan  
(closed on Monday)  
**Mao'wid 'ala Al 'ashaa (A Dinner Date)**, Mohamed Khan  
Film Screening ~ Dawawine

10:30 am – 6 pm  **SB13 Reading Room**  
~ Ashkal Alwan Library  
The Reading Room presents publications commissioned for SB13, including copies from the Biennial’s Act I and Act II as well as from the SB13 Off-site Projects in Dakar, Istanbul, Ramallah and Beirut.

**Exhibitions**

*An unpredictable expression of human potential* at Beirut Art Center will be on view until January 19, 2018.

**Fruit of Sleep** at Sursock Museum will be on view until December 31, 2017.

**Beirut Art Center opening hours**
October 14 – 22 ~ Open daily, 12 – 8 pm  
October 23 onwards ~  
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday ~ 12 pm – 8 pm  
Wednesday ~ 12 pm – 10 pm  
Saturday and Sunday ~ 11 am – 6 pm

**Sursock Museum opening hours**
Open daily ~ 10 am – 6 pm  
Late opening on Thursdays ~ 12 – 9 pm  
Closed on Tuesdays
Locations

**Ashkal Alwan**  
Philippe Jabre Building 110, Street 90, Jisr El Wati, near Souk Al Ahad, facing Impex Garage ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 423 879

**Al Madina Theatre**  
Saroulla Building, Hamra ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 753 011

**Beirut Art Center**  
Building 13, Street 97, Jisr El Wati, off Corniche Al Nahr ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 397 018

**Beryte Theatre**  
Damascus Street, Mathaf, Saint Joseph University Human Sciences Campus ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 202 422

**Dawawine**  
Acar Bldg. (same as Blom Bank) 2nd Floor, al-Arz Street, Saifi/ Gemayzeh ~ Tel: +971 (0)1 567 705

**Metropolis Empire**  
Sofil Center, Charles Malek Avenue, Ashrafieh ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 204 080

**Sofil Cinema**  
~ Tel: +961 (0)1 204 080

**STATION**  
Street 90, Jisr El Wati, Near Souk Al Ahad, facing Impex Garage ~ Tel: +961 71 684 218

**Sunflower Theatre**  
Sami el Solh Street, end of Badaro, Tayouneh Roundabout ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 381 290

**Sursock Museum**  
Greek Orthodox Archbishopric Street, Ashrafieh ~ Tel: +961 (0)1 202 001

**Zico House**  
174 Spears Street, Sanayeh ~ Tel: +961 (0)3 810 688

All events are free of charge.

Due to limited capacity, booking is required for some performances. Please visit ihjoz.com to book a seat. Please note that if you do not reserve in advance, we cannot guarantee you a place. Talks and screenings are on first come first serve basis.

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Ashkal Alwan's office is located on the first floor of Building 110, Street 90 in Jisr el Wati. Open daily from 10:30am – 6:30pm.

Ashkal Alwan is a non-profit association, and relies on the generosity of individuals.

**Ashkal Alwan** The Lebanese Association for Plastic Arts

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