



plakat-sozial.de

IVth INTERNATIONAL POSTER EXHIBITION 2018 LEIPZIG

DEMOCRACY – above all!

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15 September to 07 October 2018

Leipzig, Rococo castle „Gohliser Schlösschen“

The city of Leipzig is supporting democracy-based initiatives under the heading „Year of Democracy 2018“. In view of the fact that democratic movements are suppressed in many parts of the world, with new conflicts flaring up and terrorist attacks posing a very real hazard, the plakat-sozial association has chosen this motto for the IVth International Poster Exhibition Leipzig 2018:

DEMOCRACY – above all!

We are calling upon all poster artists to create posters according to this motto, as a personal expression of the key problems of our world at this time.

We aim to use our work to bring visibility to the invisible.

We want to look, not look away.

We want to create posters that stand out, that move us.

Using our visual commentary to highlight the tumultuous events in the world, opening the eyes of the observer, this would be a welcome reward for our work.

That would be a boost for rationality in a time of irrationality.

Let us send a message, for a friendly world without racism, without hunger and expulsion, without enmity, hatred and greed.

Posters should be like a cry! Loud, to make them more visible!

Let us make a stand for democracy!

We call on poster artists throughout the world to send us their posters for the IVth International Poster Exhibition.

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Important information

Please note the information in the homepage: <https://www.plakat-sozial.de/>

Works may be submitted until 15 June 2018.

The number of submissions is limited to five posters per author.

A jury comprising the founding members of the plakat-sozial platform will make a selection for the exhibition.

One copy of these works will be digitally printed in the dimensions 70 × 100 cm.

To mark the occasion of the IVth International Poster Exhibition the plakat-sozial association is awarding the **Leipzig Poster Prize**. The prize winner will receive a prize certificate.

All exhibiting artists will receive a certificate of participation on request. In conclusion, a digital exhibition catalogue will be made available for downloading.

Request for donations

As we only have a small amount of funding with which to stage our exhibition, we would like to humbly request a donation for the association from the poster designers and friends of the plakat-sozial platform.

Participation in the exhibition is not dependent on a donation.

Funds received will be used solely for the purposes of the association.

A donation receipt will be sent to you on request.

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Best regards

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