

Press Release – Book Launch at Pinacoteca de São Paulo, Brazil

**Verbier Art Summit launches its 2019 publication:
WE ARE MANY. ART, THE POLITICAL AND MULTIPLE TRUTHS.**

Verbier, Switzerland, June 2019 – The Verbier Art Summit is pleased to present its third book publication, featuring original content by international artists, museum directors, curators and academics. The publication is the direct outcome of the 2019 Summit, held in Verbier, Switzerland, under the same title: **We are Many. Art, the Political and Multiple Truths**. The book is edited by partnering museum director **Jochen Volz** of Pinacoteca de São Paulo and curator **Gabi Ngcobo**, designed by **Irma Boom**, and distributed by **Koenig Books London** to specialty art book stores, museum gift shops and online via Amazon.

The publication will launch at Pinacoteca de São Paulo, Brazil on **29 June 2019** as part of the programme around the exhibition *Ernesto Neto: Sopro [Blow]*, where Ernesto Neto, Grada Kilomba, and Naine Terena (contributors to the 2019 Summit publication), among others, will join a ceremony within Neto’s work at the Octógono of Pinacoteca. From 12:00 to 14:00, all are welcome to join the book signing.

Other authors in the publication include museum directors Maria Balshaw (Tate), Jessica Morgan (Dia Art Foundation) and Jochen Volz (Pinacoteca de São Paulo); artists Tania Bruguera, Latifa Echakhch, and Rirkrit Tiravanija; curator Gabi Ngcobo; philosopher Federico Campagna; Professor of Neurophysiology Wolf Singer; and Professor of Sociology Boaventura de Sousa Santos.

The 2019 publication highlights important moments at the Summit in the form of original essays, talks, poetry and illustrations by Summit participants.



2019 Verbier Art Summit Speaker Ernesto Neto creates an illustration in Verbier, Switzerland for the publication. © Frederik Jacobovits



Jochen Volz writes in the 2019 Summit publication:

“I feel extremely privileged that the 2019 Verbier Art Summit has been able to bring together some of the most influential and inspiring artists and thinkers of our times, standing out for the radicalism with which they have pushed the limits of art...”

About the Summit

The Verbier Art Summit is an international platform for discourse in a non-transactional context. The non-profit Summit connects thought leaders to key figures in the art world to generate innovative ideas and drive social change.

Book Specifications

Title: *We are Many. Art, the Political and Multiple Truths*.
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