



San Francisco International Arts Festival
July 4 – September 22, 2013

Curatorial Priorities

We plan the 2013 San Francisco International Arts Festival will run during the same time period as the America's Cup boat races. Some of this year's themes reflect their theme One World/One Ocean.

Local Artists and Arts Organizations

For projects featuring Bay Area artists, the goal is to include one or more of the following elements:

- Projects with Sustainable, Environmental, Maritime or Water-based/oceanic Themes (E.g. *One World One Ocean*: www.oneworldoneocean.org)
- Projects with Pertinent San Francisco Historical or Cultural Themes (E.g. The great waterfront strike of 1934)
- Site-specific Projects that Highlight San Francisco Landmarks and History (E.g. 2013 will be the 150th anniversary of SF Port Authority)
- International Collaborative Projects led by Bay Area Artists
- Bay Area artists with transformative projects that: advance their work, create opportunities for career/professional development, leverage non-arts and international funds, have an extended life of the work and/or the potential for future earned income opportunities for the artists.

International Touring Artists (including touring US Artists with Completed Work)

The criteria for international touring artists are as follows:

- Artists/work with a consistent record of excellence.
- Artists whose travel related costs to participate in SFIAF will be supported by national or regional governments or some other sponsor.
- Artists with a willingness to work within SFIAF financial parameters/budgets to identify funds to participate in SFIAF.
- Consideration will also be given to artists whose work speaks to environmental, oceanic or San Francisco related themes.

America's Cup Registered Teams

1. Aleph Equipe (France)
2. Artemis Racing (Sweden)
3. China Team
4. Emirates Team (New Zealand)
5. Energy Team (France)
6. Oracle Racing (USA)
7. Team Korea
8. GreenComm Racing (Spain)

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