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The UNESCO Centre Louis François promises to **keep all the artistic entries** to its competition.

On the one hand we **promote children and young people**, on the other hand we **include them in the memory of Humanity**.

The outcome of all our artistic activities will be the creation of the **"International youth centre for arts and techniques"** in Troyes.



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# International Visual Arts Competition

For all young people of the world  
from the age of 3 to the age of 25  
closing date: 2013/02/28

## Graines d'artistes du monde entier

In honour of Pascale Rouillot

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# 2013

Theme:

TO BE BORN SOMEWHERE...

organization : UNESCO  
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On the theme:

"TO BE BORN  
SOMEWHERE... "

« Billions of people over the planet,  
in cities, villages, in the heat or cold,  
at seaside, in mountains or in the country.  
Each of us, particle of dust on the globe  
"was born somewhere", in his family,  
has grown up there, has made friends...

I don't know you, I don't know where  
you have been living. Let me guess this  
place through a drawing, a painting,  
as you see it and as you feel it.

Little by little you left the family to get  
opened to the so vast world.  
This experience made you feel conscious  
that your place of childhood has been  
engraved in your memory:  
a place, an event, a meeting...  
One of these is coming spontaneously  
to your mind. It will be the start of your  
creation in which your imagination  
is going to transform this memory. »



## Rules of competition

- I** Competition is open to young people from 3 to 25 years old, following 6 age groups:
  - 3 to 5 years old, 6 to 9 years old, 10 to 13 years old, 14 to 17 years old and handicapped children.
  - Finally, to young artists from 18 to 25 years old who must join **the commentary of their artistic creation**, in French or in English.
- 2** Individual or collective participations are accepted.
- 3** Only forms of creations on flat surface, such as drawing, pastel, painting, photography, engraving, are accepted. **We don't accept sculptures anymore.**
- 4** Maximum sizes accepted: 1.20 x 0.90 metres.
- 5** Only one project per participant.
- 6** Deadline for sending competitive works: on February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2013.
- 7** Fill up the enclosed label in block letters and stick it at the back of work.
- 8** Works will be conveyed to Troyes under the competitor's responsibility who will have to pay the transport fees.
- 9** Jury's meeting on March 23<sup>th</sup>. 400 nominated works will be selected, of which 100 will be declared laureate. The nominated will receive a diploma and will appear on our web site.
- 10** The jury is composed of professionals in visual arts and of personalities with an intercultural vision.
- 11** Prize-giving ceremony will be on Saturday June 1<sup>st</sup> 2013 during the International Art Convention "GRAINES D'ARTISTES DU MONDE ENTIER"<sup>®</sup> which will take place in Troyes (France) between the 28<sup>th</sup> and the 1<sup>st</sup> of June.
- 12** Prize-winning list will be available on our website: <http://centre-unesco-troyes.com> from April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2013.
- 13** In each category (except 18-25), the 1<sup>st</sup> prize, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize will be awarded a cheque of respectively 100€, 85€ and 70€. The other laureates will be awarded professional visual arts material and will receive a honour diploma.
- 14** In the category young artists 18-25, the 1<sup>st</sup> prize, the 2<sup>nd</sup> prize and the 3<sup>rd</sup> prize will get respectively 300€, 200€ and 150€. The other laureates will get professional visual arts material and will get a honour diploma.
- 15** The global endowment of the competition will be 6000€.
- 16** All the works received, prize-winning or not, remain the property of the UNESCO Centre Louis François which may use them for whatever purpose within its own activities.

