

**Boston Center for the Arts and Bodega Present the Second Annual
Boston Art Book Fair**

Celebrating artists and their powerful ways with words through small press books, zines, prints, spoken word and more from October 12-14 in Boston Center for the Arts' historic Cyclorama

September 27, 2018, Boston, MA – [Boston Center for the Arts](#) and [Bodega](#) are teaming up to present the second annual Boston Art Book Fair from October 12-14 at Boston Center for the Arts' historic Cyclorama located at 539 Tremont Street, Boston, MA. Now one of the largest art book fairs in North America, this curated Fair will include an eclectic, international mix of over 100 exhibitors and will be free to the public on October 13-14, with a ticketed Preview Party on Friday, October 12. Boston Art Book Fair 2018 is proudly sponsored by: Red Bull, Carhartt WIP and Gourmet Caterers, with media sponsors BOMB Magazine and Boston Art Review.

Now in its second year, the Boston Art Book Fair draws on Boston's rich heritage of printed matter, thriving counter-culture and vibrant visual arts, music and print scene. In addition to exhibitor tables featuring over 100 exhibitors including: Boo-Hooray, Put A Egg on It, Siglio Press, Draw Down Books, Anthology Editions, Benjamin Ogilvy Projects, Authorized to Work in the US, Carpenter Center Bookshop, PROPS, Amadeus, Aint-Bad, Vacancy Projects, Katherine Small Gallery, Paul Soulellis and more, this FREE fair offers music by local DJs, hands-on zine-making and screen printing workshops, panel discussions, film screenings and a wild green inflatable.

"Boston Art Book Fair is one of the rare platforms where independent artists, galleries, and institutions from all over the world can gather to build community based around all things print," says Oliver Mak, Co-founder and co-owner of Bodega, *"Boston Center for the Arts is the only organization in the city that is capable of turning this dream project into the innovative cultural force it is this year. We are lucky to have them as our partner and host for the Boston Art Book Fair."*

The Boston Art Book Fair Preview Party on Friday, October 12th from 7-10pm will be an opportunity to get the "first look" at exhibitors for the Fair, while enjoying sets from local DJs and more. VIP and general admission tickets for this 21+ event are [on sale now](#). General admission includes two complimentary drinks and hors d'oeuvres courtesy of Samuel Adams and Gourmet Caterers. VIP admission includes early entry starting at 6pm, additional drink tickets, highlight tours with some of Boston's hottest curators, limited edition artwork, a Boston Art Book Fair 2018 tote bag and exclusive sets by Yvng Pavl (CLLCTV) and Lunamariposa (Houseboi, Demo Radio).

For more information around Boston Art Book Fair 2018, please visit bostonartbookfair.com.

About Boston Center for the Arts:

Boston Center for the Arts is the nexus of the arts in Boston, fostering the development of contemporary visual and performing arts and convening artists and

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audiences to create, explore and celebrate all creative disciplines. An integral part of the cultural fabric of the city, BCA utilizes its historic campus in the vibrant South End to present world-class exhibitions and performances, provide affordable work space, engage cultural consumers throughout the region and nurture artists with the resources to take risks and develop new art works.

About Bodega:

Bodega is a Boston-based brand and design collective with projects ranging from art curation, ecommerce, fashion retail & design - all through a legendary hidden space that has been referred to as the “coolest retail concept on the planet.” Founded by three artists in 2006, Bodega has become a cultural influencer by blurring the lines between art, culture, and commerce.

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