Art Hub

Copenhagen 17th January 2024

Letter of Recommendation for Collega

<u>Collega</u> is a unique and multidisciplinary platform and exhibition space for visual artist. Art Hub Copenhagen have worked with Collega on several occasions, both around programming and talks. Our residency, exchange program and collaboration with blaxtarlines, Ghana, is a result of our shared interest in facilitating exchange and dialogue between the Danish art scene and international curators and artists.

I highly appreciate and hope you will support Collega's approach, method, and knowledge producing work.

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De bedste hilsner / Kind regards,

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As an independent space fostering and facilitating a rich dialogue with international organizations, thinkers, and practitioners, *Collega* has a foundamental role in the art scene of Copenhagen and the region.

Their focus on co-curation as a practice has developed into exciting collaborations with institutions like blaxTARLINES KUMASI (Ghana), Fuxia 2 (Sweden), Village Unhu (Zimbabwe), AMAKABA (French Guaiana) and The Latvian Center of Contemporary Art. Bringing to Denmark extremely interesting artworks and artists that would otherwise have remained unknown to the local artistic community.

Being a Professor at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, I have visited their exhibitions with the students and always appreciated their working process and results. Since 2022, when *Collega* established itself in the artistic ecosystem of Copenhagen, I have seen many of my students engaging with their program and referencing practices that they got to know through it.

Jari Malta has collaborated with the School of Conceptual and Conceptual Practices in more than one occasion, and I am looking forward to further collaboration now that he is taking the role as *Collega*'s artistic director.

In this sense, I hope you will support their crucial work.

Sincerely,

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