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Dear friends,

Thank you to everyone who responded to our call for donations last week! **HaFI Friends** offers our donors the opportunity to make recurring donations and thus support us in the long term. Become a **Friend here** if you haven't joined yet!

On Tuesday, December 14, at 1 p.m., (Berlin/CET), the second Zoom event of the series All the Missing Limbs of a Pre/oposition will take place, as part of the publication program Coincidences in Prepositions conceived by Renan Laru-an and titre provisoire (Cathleen Schuster/Marcel Dickhage). The participants are: Glenn Diaz, Soyoung Yoon, Paik Yin Lim, and Rachel Thompson, moderated by Wong Binghao. More information about the event is here and about the full program here.

We are very pleased to participate this year in the (hybrid) **Visible Evidence Conference** (December 14-18, 2021) at Goethe University in Frankfurt, whose 27th edition is dedicated to **Documentary and Democracy in Crisis**. On **Wednesday, December 15, at 7:30 p.m.**, we will screen Skip Norman's film **ON AFRICA** (1970), recently digitized, together with Harun Farocki's **YOUR NEWSPAPERS** (1968) and talk about both films with Madeleine Bernstorff, Marie-Hélène Gutberlet and Sónia Vaz Borges. More information about the event here.

To mark the occasion, we are publishing another chapter of **Rosa Mercedes 03: Skip Norman** on our website. A conversation between Greg de Cuir Jr. and Michael B. Gillespie and text contributions by Madeleine Bernstorff and Karina Griffith set Norman's films in relation to transnational film learning in Germany from the 1960s to the 1990s, the representation of women in films about the Black Panthers and Skip Norman's films, and international film history and Black film. Read **DFFB and beyond**.

Currently, we are showing a screenshot from the research on **EYE/MACHINE** (2000) in our **Showcase** website section, which points to the intertwining of city marketing, art collecting, and the arms business in Zurich. To Showcase here.

Finally, we would like to point out that the just published book **Labour in a Single Shot**. **Critical Perspectives on Antje Ehmann and Harun Farocki's Global Video Project**, by Boy Grundmann, Peter Schwartz, and Gregory Williams (eds.) is also freely available as a

PDF.

We hope that many of you will join HaFI Friends and we look forward to seeing you at one of the announced events.

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P.S.: Listed below are works by Harun Farocki that are currently planned or shown in **solo** and group exhibitions, depending on current and local COVID-19 guidelines.

Solo exhibition

Until January 19, 2022: "Parallel II + III," "Comparison via a Third," "Counter Music," "The Silver and the Cross," "Labour in a Single Shot" in "Harun Farocki: Shaping of our Present" (Curators: Pieter Sit together with Antje Ehmann) A Promise of Kneropy, Bratislava, Slovakia

Group exhibitions

Until December 10, 2021: "Prison Images" in "Monitor: Surveillance, Data and the New Panoptic" (Curator: Sophie Hamacher), ICA, Maine College of Art, USA

Until January 9, 2022: "Sauerbruch Hutton. Architects" in "draw love build – l'architettura di sauerbruch hutton" (Curator: Juan Lucas Young), M9 - museo del 900, Mestre-Venice, Italy Until January 9, 2022: "In-Formation" in "New Order" (Curator: Luisa Heese), Museum im Kulturspeicher Würzburg, Germany

Until February 6, 2022: "In Comparison" in "Les Flammes. L'art vivant de la céramique" (Curator: Anne Dressen), Museum of Modern Art, Paris, France

Until July 17, 2022: "The Silver and the Cross" in "ReVisión: Art in the Americas" (Curators: Frederick and Jan Mayer), Denver Art Museum, USA

Credits

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