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The Swatch Art Peace Hotel

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Arte Laguna Prize offers a program of art residencies in Italy and abroad in order to give artists the opportunity to experience a new culture, create new works and participate in new activities in multicultural environments. Thanks to the **network of international collaborations. More than 75 art residencies have been realized** in which the artists were selected directly by the partners of the Prize.

Prizes Details:

Swatch has cherished a deep love for art, collaborating with artists for more than forty years. Swiss made, joy of life, and positive provocation remain at the heart of this vision, and the Swatch Art Peace Hotel stands as a vibrant symbol of this ongoing commitment to supporting creativity from around the world. The **Arte Laguna Prize 2026** expands its prestigious international network by offering among its awards the *Special Prize* at **The Swatch Art Peace Hotel | Shanghai, China** — one of the most dynamic and internationally renowned artist residencies in the contemporary art scene.

Located in a historic building on the Bund, in the heart of Shanghai, The Swatch Art Peace Hotel hosts selected international artists each year, providing them with a unique multicultural environment dedicated to creativity and exchange.

The **Special Prize consists** of a 3–6 month artist residency in Shanghai, including round-trip travel, accommodation, and a private studio within the residency, as well as organizational support and participation in public programs such as open studios and events connected to the local and international art community. For the selected artist, this represents an extraordinary professional opportunity: to live and work in one of the world's most influential cultural and economic capitals, connect with artists, curators, and art professionals from around the globe, and develop new projects within a highly stimulating context. Through high-level collaborations such as this, Arte Laguna Prize reaffirms its commitment to actively supporting artists' professional growth and international visibility, offering not only financial awards but transformative experiences that can significantly impact an artist's career path.

The Arte Laguna Prize 2026 once again confirms its role as a leading international platform, connecting emerging and established talents with top-tier institutions, residencies, and cultural organizations worldwide.

Event date:

February 19, 2026 to June 30, 2026

Location:

Arte Laguna Prize, Arsenale Nord Venezia

Deadline:

30/June/2026