Culture and Heritage Added value to Regional policies for Tourism Sustainability

INTERREG IVC

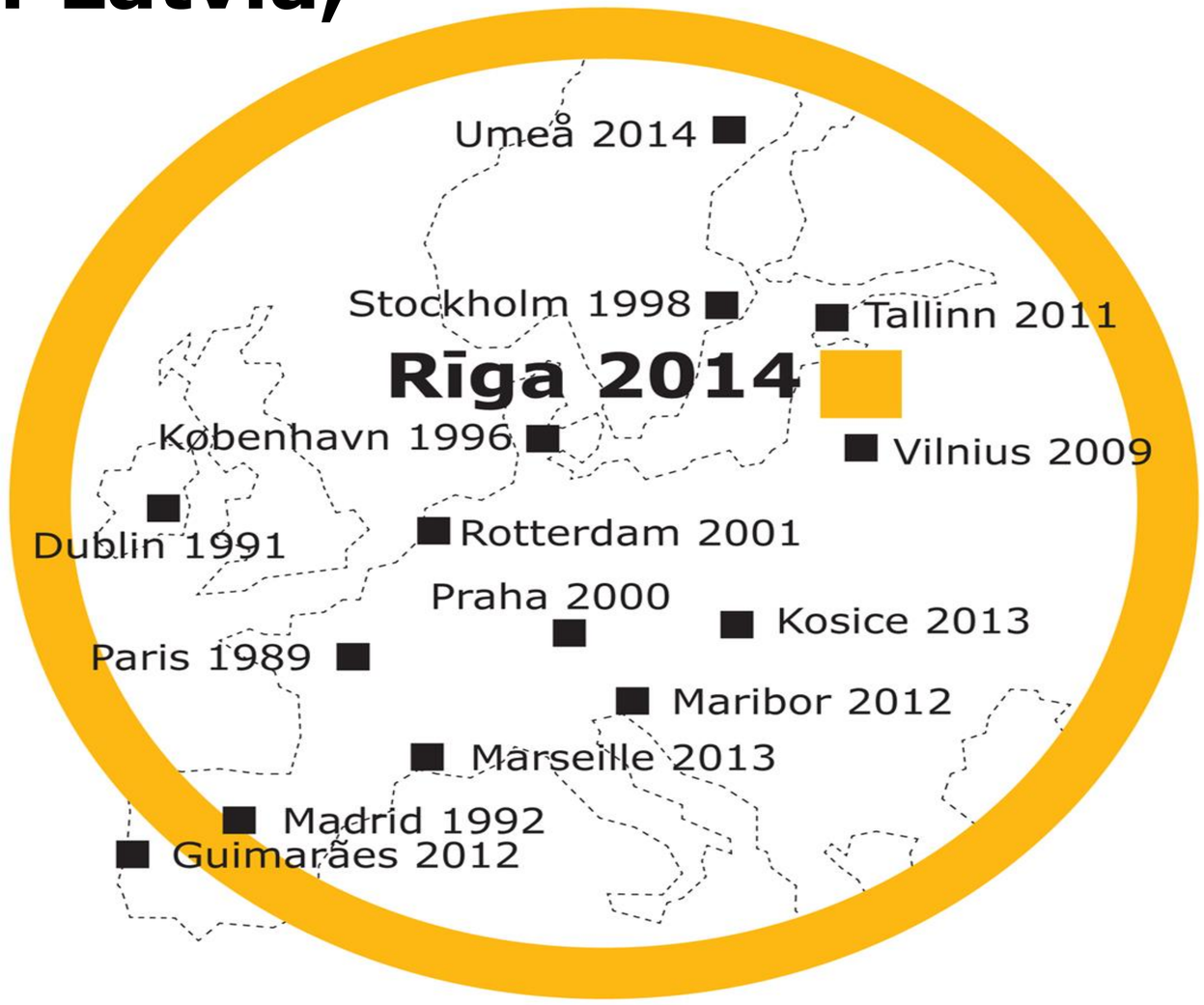
European Union
European Regional Development Fund

RĪGA

EUROPEAN CAPITAL OF CULTURE

RĪGA 2014

In 2014 Riga, the capital of Latvia, is joining the family Of European Culture Capitals



New Amber Road. International cross-cultural project.

RĪGA | 2014

Rīga 2014:
WHAT TO EXPECT

127 big projects
with a lot of sub-projects

Most original
Opening week-end
January 17-19

January 17-19, 2014

Exciting weather forecast

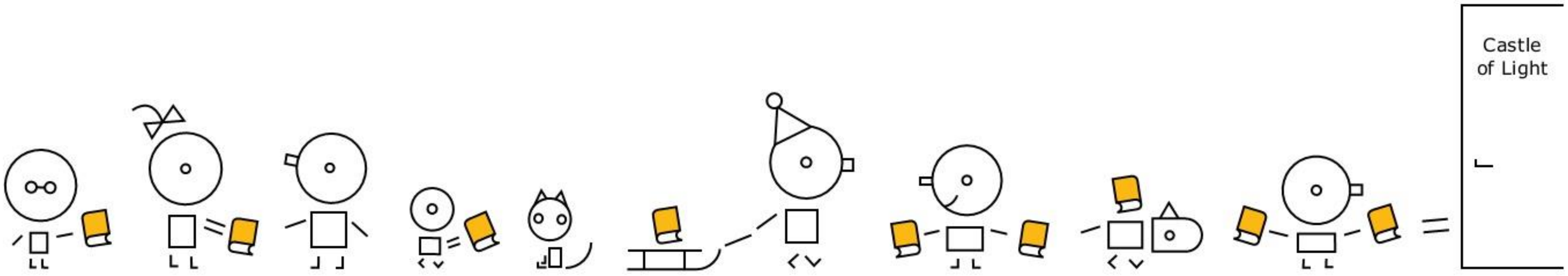
+5 / -18 C ?

January 18

WE WILL STAND FOR CULTURE AND KNOWLEDGE!

Chain of friends of book connecting old and new Latvian National Library buildings

EVERYBODY WELCOME TO EXPERIENCE!



January 18

RIGA CENTRAL MARKET – biggest in the Baltic states

5 FORMER «GARAGES» OF ZEPPELINES

MIX & MINGLE IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF RIGA 2014!

TASTE OF RIGA 2014; SCENT OF CULTURE;
LISTEN TO RIGA 2014; BECOME ACTOR YOURSELF!

Rīga 2014:

FORCE MAJEURE

CULTURE IS A POSITIVE FORCE

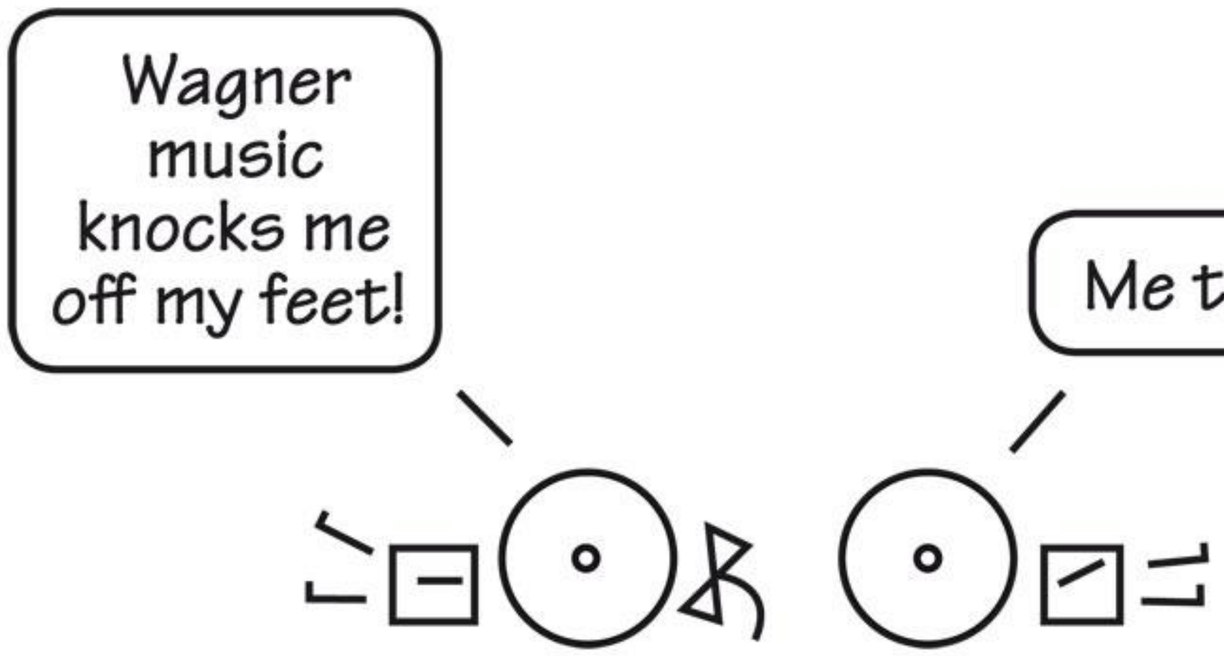
Rīga 2014: WINTER/SPRING

Highlights

Jēkabs Kazāks / Refugees 1917. Canvas, oil

19 14

Exposition ‘1914’ - visual arts’ testimony on WWI from 10 countries born after WWI



Richard Wagner`s RIENZI at the Opera, through the 2014

Amber Road in Riga 2014

- Follow the new *Amber Way* among the Latvian capital's museums and galleries.
- In mid-January, a special exposition named From Amber to Amber Thread will open at the Natural History Museum, featuring textiles made of amber composites by various Latvian artists.
- Concert "Amber Songs" in September

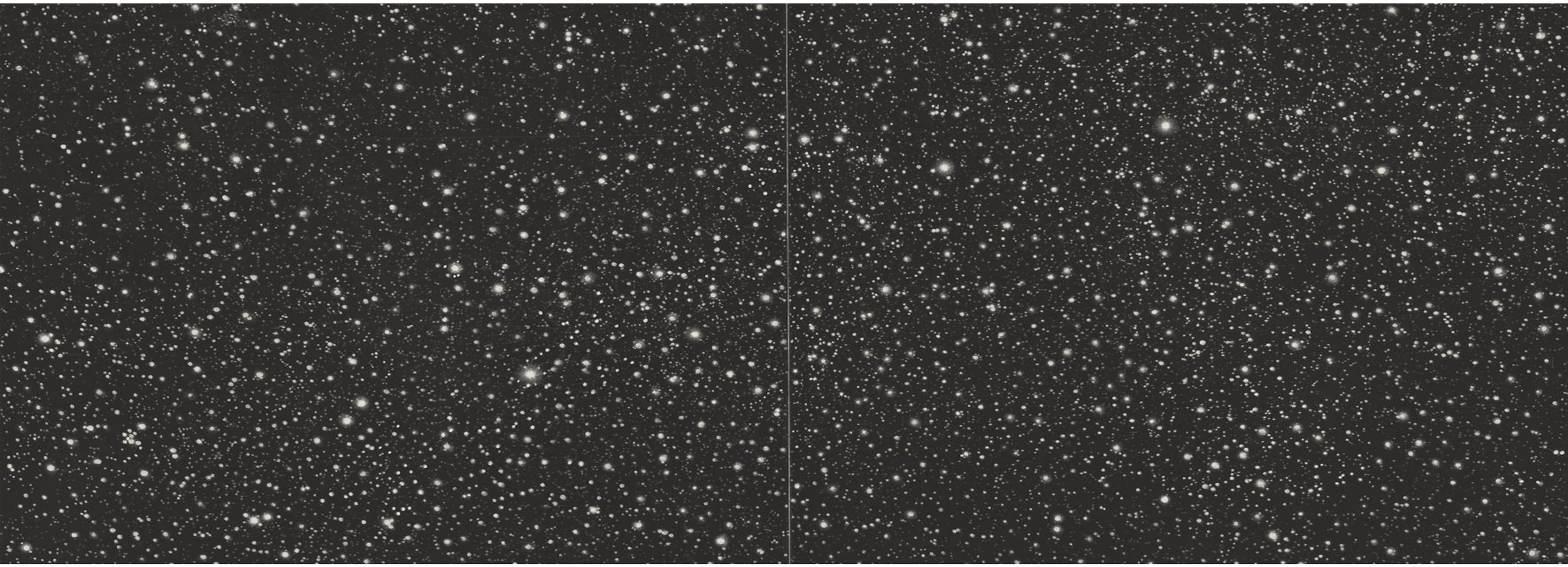
Exposition of the Museum of Natural History ‘Amber Through the Times’

PHOTO MONTH

6 exhibitions in the former KGB House/ May - September

Rīga 2014: SPRING/SUMMER

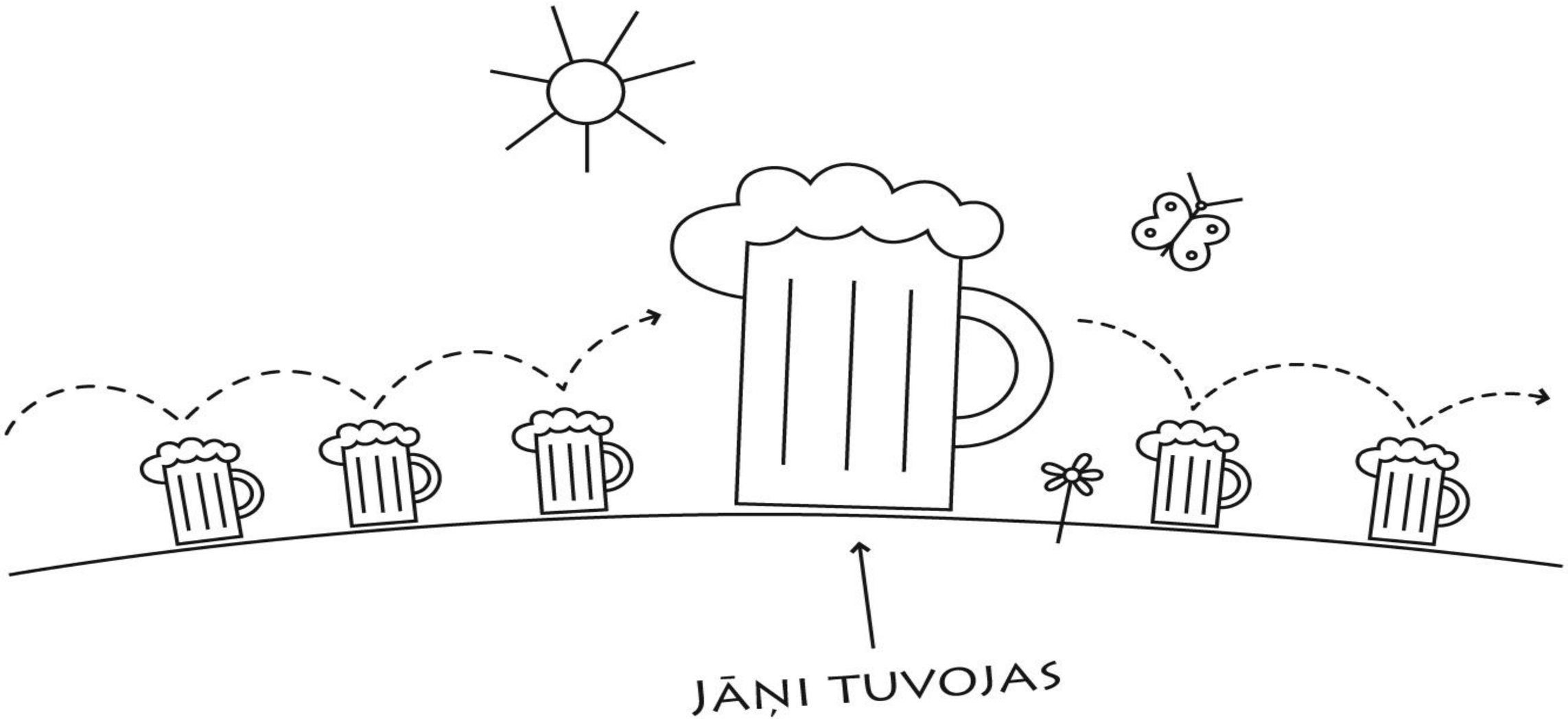
Highlights



April-July / a retrospective of works by
Latvian-American Abstract Realism artist
Vija Celmiņš at the Riga Bourse

RĪGA | 2014

Exhibition “Book. 1514-2014” – 500 years of printed book
July 2014 – March 2015, the National Library of Latvia



Summer Solstice Celebrations in Riga and partnercity Sigulda, June 21-23

Greatest classical music stars in a concert cycle “Born in Riga” at the open-air concert by the Opera /July 6

RIGA WELCOMES THE 8th WORLD CHOIR GAMES!

OH, A LOT OF COLOURS, NATIONS AND JOY

THESE ARE VIEWS ON YOUR WAY TO CONCERTS OUTSIDE RIGA

ALONG RIVERS, LAKES AND FORESTS

RE

RE

RIGA

INTERNATIONAL STREET ART & WORLD MUSIC FESTIVAL

2013

Rīga 2014: AUTUMN/WINTER

Highlights

Showing of more than 200 oeuvres by soviet-latvian constructivist artist Gustavs Klucis / August 22 - November 23.

Survival Kit - the international contemporary art festival focuses on the new urban survival strategies September 4-21

Media&Arts at the biggest Festival of Light in Northern Europe “Staro Rīga”, Nov. 14-18

RIGA 2014 large scale international events

European Film Awards, December 13, 2014

Rīga 2014: what do we want to change

FOSTER PARTICIPATORY PLATFORMS in RIGA`s NEIGHBOURHOODS and Latvian cities

SUPPORT CREATIVE DISTRICTS AND INDUSTRY

AS WELL AS ARTISTS MOBILITY

Budget small,stable,secured

State/City/Private/EU funds

How to navigate through PROGRAMME`2014?

www.riga2014.org

Culture and Heritage Added value to Regional policies for Tourism Sustainability

INTERREG IVC

European Union
European Regional Development Fund