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**The Nordic cooperation regarding Outsider Art continues and evolves - Nordic Outsider artists meet in Randers**

**Outsider artists from five Nordic art organisations will meet again at the second week of May in Denmark. The artists and art instructors from art studios will work in video, photography and sculpture work shops.**

NOA- Nordic Outsider Art project strengthens the connections between Nordic Outsider Art organizations. Outsider art is made by people who create their art in margins of mainstream and established art world. Most of the Outsider art created today is made within the realm of supported art activities.

This year the NOA-project is aimed towards evolving the cooperation between Nordic Outsider Art organizations and towards finding innovative and good quality methods to be put into practice in art studios. In the project, in addition to the instructors of art studios, artists with disabilities will also work, with support, as art instructors. The participants will learn new skills and techniques from each other.

There will be another meeting in Randers at the same time. The EOA a.k.a. the European Outsider Art association is also arranging their annual meeting and seminar in Randers, and in connection with this there will be workshops and visits for example to the Karavana – art house in the neighboring city of Aarhus.

**Kettuki** administrates the project. The other participants are **GAIA Museum Outsider Art** (Denmark), **Kaarisilta** (Finland), **Inuti** (Sweden) and **Lìst an Landameera** (Iceland). The NOA project is funded by the Nordic Culture Fund.

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