



Vienna artist wins Biennale prize for art as activism

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VENICE — The European Cultural Centre in Italy awarded Vienna-based artist Rita Sabo the Special Prize Artist as Activist at the Venice Biennale on May 8, 2026. Sabo won the first edition of the prize for her large-scale installation *Unison: The Fusion of High Cultures* at Palazzo Bembo, recognised as a catalyst for cross-cultural dialogue and for its commitment to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

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