

FREE RIVER ZONES: AN ARTISTIC INQUIRY

Opening: April 29, 2014, 6PM
April 30 – May 31, 2014
Wednesday – Sunday 2–7PM

Goethe-Institut Wyoming Building
5 East 3rd Street
New York, NY 10003

The Goethe-Institut New York and the Galerie für Landschaftskunst Hamburg present *Free River Zones: An artistic inquiry*. The project by six participants from the US, India, and Germany is inspired by the ideas, visions, and academic practice of German explorer Alexander von Humboldt within an experimental artistic format: field trips on New York's waterways, collaborative art work and a series of talks about rivers worldwide will culminate into the declaration of a "Free River Zone" in New York and an art exhibition.

TALKS

Tuesday, April 22, 7PM

An Amazonian Field Report: 6 rivers, 5 biologists, 4 countries, 3 artists, 2 expeditions, 1 continent
by David Brooks and *Free River Zone Hamburg* by Till Krause

Wednesday, April 23, 7PM

Project Y: Public. Art. Outreach
by Ravi Agarwal and *At play in a slow cooking apocalypse* by Bob Braine

Saturday, April 26, 7PM

The Tide and Current Taxi by Marie Lorenz and *A First Account on the Free River Zone Inquiry* by all six artists

Free River Zones: An artistic inquiry is presented by the Goethe-Institut New York and features work developed by the Galerie für Landschaftskunst, Ravi Agarwal, Bob Braine, David Brooks, Till Krause, Marie Lorenz, and Hilmar Schäfer. This collaboration was made possible through the generous support of Friends of Goethe New York, Inc.



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photo of East River,
Hell Gate with Brother
Islands by Bob Braine

