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## A WORD IN A PERSONAL MATTER

#### Dear art lovers

With a heavy heart we must announce that the Kunstraum Florenz must be closed after the current exhibition on 13th March 2016. Unfortunately, in spite of all our efforts - <u>see the call</u> - we could not find an investor who can bring the long term sponsorship for the Kunstraum.

Now we have to convert the Kunstraum area, similar to the studio area, into other art-studios and to continue the project Ateliers Florenz without the Kunstraum.

### What remains of the Kunstraum?

A very much pleasant responses about our exhibition program from visitors, experts and institutions gave us lots of energy and motivation for bringing forward the positioning of the Kunstraum to abstract tendencies of regional and international positions, with regards to content, especially in scope of the focus alignments to the cross-media audiovisual spatial art. Time and again the Kunstraum Florenz has been referred as to being a meaningful completion and enlargement to the existing regional and international offer of an art reception.

From the Kunstraum Florenz, as a kind of essence of the artistic and curatorial level, emerged a group of artists with their collaborative exhibition project under the name "out of shape". This project is going to be submitted to various venues in CH / D / A. For more information please click the <u>link</u>.

The Kunstraum Florenz should remain in this sense in our mind and in "out of shape" future projects.

Thanks to all visitors - for all the wonderful moments of immersion, reflection, discourse and for the many good feedback!

#### Sincerely yours

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