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## UNE RÉVOLUTION IRANIENNE : FEMME, VIE, LIBERTÉ

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Her name was Mahsa Amini. She was a young Kurdish woman. And she was killed by the Iranian religious morality police on 16 September 2022.

More than 50 graphic designers and press cartoonists are showing their support for the fight for women's rights and freedoms in Iran through posters and graphic creations inspired by posters produced at the time of the Russian and Cuban revolutions, May 68 and Persia's own strong and effective graphic identity.

4 institutions - Beaux-Arts de Paris, the Musée d'Art Moderne de Paris, the Palais de Tokyo and the Palais de la Porte Dorée - are joining forces to publish a reference work on these struggles. An absolute tribute to combat and dignity, *Une révolution iranienne : Femme, Vie, Liberté* is part of the fundamental struggles for women's and human rights.

Richly illustrated, this beautiful book includes more than 250 posters and photographic documents.

The texts are published in French, English and Farsi. Text by Odile Burlaux, heritage curator at the Musée d'Art Moderne, Paris. Interview with Julien Sirjacq, artist and studio professor at Beaux-Arts de Paris, Hugo Vitran, exhibition curator at the Palais de Tokyo, and a collective of Iranian graphic designers.

*Une révolution iranienne : Femme, Vie, Liberté* is edited by Beaux-Arts de Paris éditions, in partnership with the Musée d'Art Moderne de Paris, the Palais de Tokyo and the Palais de la Porte Dorée.

This publication is an extension of the backing shown to Iranian women and men on International Women's Day and confirms support for them in their stand against repression. Beaux-Arts de Paris, the Musée d'Art Moderne, the Palais de Tokyo and the Palais de la Porte Dorée have agreed to decorate their facades and interiors with posters from the Iranian protests, generously printed by the Julien Sirjacq studio at Beaux-Arts de Paris. The support shown is covered in one of the chapters of the publication.

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## — LAUNCH EVENT

On the occasion of the book launch for *Une révolution iranienne : Femme, Vie, Liberté* and the new season of *Penser le Présent*, a round table discussion is organized at Beaux-Arts de Paris on 4 October 2023 at 7pm.

Speakers: Odile Burluraux, heritage curator at the Musée d'Art Moderne de Paris, Chahda Chafiq, writer and sociologist, Rachida El Azzouzi, journalist at *Mediapart* and photographer, Hugo Vitrani, exhibition curator at the Palais de Tokyo and Julien Sirjacq, artist and head of studio at Beaux-Arts de Paris.

## — VISUALS



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