

**Art For...
(2nd Part)
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Opening 26 January and running until 26 February at Platform Garanti Contemporary Art Center is 'Art for...', the second part in a series of exhibitions, talks and events initiated under the umbrella context of "Normalization" supported by the European Cultural Foundation. 'Art for...' brings together examples of work previously exhibited in Europe and beyond.

This, the second installment of 'Art for...', will present works by Haluk Akakçe, Yetkin Başarır, Cevdet Erek, Leyla Gediz, Hatice Gülüryüz, and Gülsün Karamustafa. Can Altay will preserve the memory of the previous exhibition by rearranging works and wall panels in a new installation. Artists who contributed to the first exhibition that took place between 10 December and 15 January were: Osman Bozkurt, Köken Ergun, Esra Ersen, Erkan Özgen, Şener Özmen, Neriman Polat, Bülent Şangar and Seçil Yersel.

In a conference, which will take place at Platform at 18:00 on Friday February 4th, Vasıf Kortun, Erden Kosova and Aydan Murtezaoğlu will discuss about the concepts of 'art for export' and 'normalization'.

Art for is organized within Platform Contemporary Arts Center's "Normalization" program, supported by European Cultural Foundation. Parallel programs are being developed by Rooseum, Malmö- Sweden and WHW, Zagreb- Croatia and a joint publication will emerge from these three interpretations of the concept of Normalization.