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MOP CAP 2011 – Magic of Persia Contemporary Art Prize

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Launched in 2009, the Magic of Persia Contemporary Art Prize (MOP CAP) has become the world's leading art prize for Iranian artists. Iranian art continues to command the attention of institutions, art collectors and press worldwide. Last year's winner, Mahmoud Bakhshi, was awarded a solo exhibition at the Saatchi Gallery, London, in September 2010 and his works have since been acquired by Tate Modern, London, as part of their permanent collection.

This year MOP CAP 2011 will exhibition the works of the shortlisted artists at Traffic, Dubai on Monday 14th March. The exhibition will be inaugurated by HE Sheikh Nahyan Mubarak Al Nahayan at the private view at 6pm. The exhibition will remain open to the public until Saturday 19th March 2011.

Works by Morteza Ahmadvand, Parastoo Ahovan, Hojat Amani, Hossein Azadi, Niyaz Azadikhah, Navid Azimi Sajadi, Reza Azimian, Behroo Bagheri, Shahrzad Changalvaee, Alireza Dayani, Shima Esfandiyari, Mehdi Farhadian, Arash Fayez, Babak Golkar, Rodin Hamidi, Ghazaleh Hedayat, Babak Kazemi, Raymar Manouchehrzadeh and Ali Nadjian, Dana Nehdaran, Hesam Rahmanian, Shirin Sabahi, Mamali Shafahi, Najaf Shokri.

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