



Press Release

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Equitas X ArtLords (Afghanistan) at Festival MURAL – June 18, 2016

“We bring down ugly walls of [#Kabul](#) with paint. We aim to make Kabul the capital of graffiti & promote critical thinking.” – ArtLords

- **Saturday June 18, from 10:30am to 5pm**
- **Conference by Omaid Sharifi, ArtLords Co-founder, at 2pm**
- **Studio Bliss (boutique), 3847, boul. Saint-Laurent – Montreal**
- *Presented during the [Festival MURAL](#)*
- FREE EVENT – Open to all.
- Details on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/events/518048628402702/>

Come discover ArtLords, a unique project of open art workshops taking place in the streets of Kabul, Afghanistan.

ArtLords artists arm themselves with paintbrushes and use the city's blasted walls as canvases to create collective murals with the citizens of Kabul. ArtLords aims to provide a platform for an open dialogue on social issues such as women equality, corruption, transitional justice and extremism.

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Thanks to MURAL for the opportunity to showcase ArtLords in Montreal!

Omaid Sharifi is in Montreal to participate in Equitas' International Human Rights Training Program.



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