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Silvia Levenson is Artist in Residence at Berlin Glas e.V. November 23-27, 2015

Berlin Glas e.V. is honoured to welcome artist **Silvia Levenson** (Italy/Argentina) as our fourth Artist in Residence in 2015. She will be working with the Berlin Glas team between 23 and 27 November.

Silvia Levenson was born in Buenos Aires, and during the “disappearances” of the Dirty War, she immigrated to Italy, where she has become a professional artist, teacher, and an important mentor to her students. Themes surrounding social and political issues inform her work, which is very often personal; she uses art as a vehicle to express her sometimes-painful past, and to try to come to terms with some of society’s murky histories. She questions how, in our present moment, we are still able to forge dark - and very often - regrettable experiences.

The 5-day residency at **Berlin Glas e.V.** Artist in Residence is aimed at working with internationally-renown artists closely to explore and develop concepts that can be translated into glass.

Berlin Glas, e.V. is the non-profit arm of **Berlin Art Glas GmbH** aiming to provide international artists and students the opportunity to work with hot glass in Germany’s capital. **Berlin Glas, e.V.’s** mission is to share the ability of creating art with glass with the public and provide a resource to artists of all media. The underlying message that working in collaboration with artists of various cultures doesn't just broaden someone's artistic capacity, but actually creates a culture of peace.

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