

## **Forms from the Field**

*Exploring the agrarian via text and image*

### **Zine workshop + Reading Session with Anupam Roy**

**July 13, 2022 | 2 to 6 pm**

Vadehra Art Gallery, D 53, Defence Colony, New Delhi 110024

**Please register at [info@ficart.org](mailto:info@ficart.org) to participate in this session.**

We are pleased to announce **Forms from the Field**—a reading session + zine workshop with Anupam Roy, exploring the agrarian via text and image, on **Wednesday, 13 July 2022 at Vadehra Art Gallery from 2 PM - 6 PM**. Inviting registrations from all, this session will think about how the agrarian takes shape across imaginations and interpretations of its many metaphors, through the poetics of making and reading together.

For the reading session, we invite all participants to bring with them short excerpts of texts that explore or express in some form the expanse of the agrarian and its associated visuals, metaphors, emotions and sentiments. With these texts, we will be structuring a collectively-sourced pool of readings that will serve as raw material for the zine-making exercise. The texts can be in any language, and we encourage participants to consider poetic references. We welcome texts from across genres of poetry, fiction, non-fiction and/or critical writing. As we will be reading aloud our collectively-sourced texts together, please excerpt up to only 1 - 2 pages in the case of prose; with poetry, 1 long poem or 2 short poems would be ideal.

Sited alongside two of our ongoing exhibitions at Vadehra Art Gallery (*Broken Cogs in the Machine* and *Many Acts of Reading*), we are keen to see how the format of the zine brings together different ways of outlining/responding to the many facades and facets of the agrarian and what it germinates.

Basic drawing and writing materials will be provided on-site. Participants are requested to bring anything additional they may wish to carry with them, including but not limited to drawing implements, notebooks, diaries etc. Those working with digital media are welcome to bring their devices (laptops, iPads, tablets) with them.