





WHO WE ARE

MUSIC MULAKATEIN - Music Meetings in Hindi - is a not-for-profit project created by GATECRASH, a music agency based in Mumbai, giving importance to music and arts as a powerful medium in the society.

We want to give or re-give art, artists and artist professionals their place as agents of social change, and give youth a VOICE.

Music and art are entertainment, but it can also be much more: it can improve people's life.

WHAT WE DO STEP 1 - MUSIC FOR ALL --> LIVE CONCERTS & WORKSHOPS IN SLUMS, ORPHANAGES, RESCUE HOMES,

STEP 2 - TRAINING

HOSPITALS

--> PROFESSIONAL INTERNSHIP
IN MUSIC MANAGEMENT

STEP 3 - EMPOWERING

--> SUPPORT CREATIVE & SOCIAL YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS





HAPPINESS

Music releases dopamine in your brain, and increase happiness, excitement and joy



SOCIAL INTEGRATION

A music event gathers people together and breaks social boundaries



THERAPEUTIC

Music reduces stress, boost immune system and has an overall positive effect on health



EDUCATION

Inspire people and help them feel more self-confident to express oneself, study & learn



MUSIC MULAKATEIN STEP 1 - MUSIC FOR ALL

Since September 2018, we organise concerts or music workshops once or twice a month in Mumbai, in association with NGOs, in community centers in **SLUMS** and in **HOSPITALS**;

--> here's the kind of events we've done so far:

live concerts, drum circles, singing workshops, rap songwriting workshops, music healing sessions, artist collaborations... all across Mumbai in Govandi, Malad East, Joshweshari East, Darukhanna, Dharavi, Khar, Dadar, Parel...

We want to help NGOs to increase their visibility towards potential donors through social media, to help them raise fundings;

From mid-2020 onwards, we want to organise an event every week, with the simple agenda to offer free concerts or workshops to as many people as possible, because we think that access to a live concert and laughter should be A RIGHT FOR ALL.

---> and our "STEP 2" will help achieving this mission!



Come join us for some live musi



VENUE After S Gannes N.D.G Einnwa Dharay













DRUM CIRCLE

SANDY + SHANKAR SATURDAY SOTH MARCH

TOBIANA April 22nd, 2019









THE NGOS THAT INSPIRE US AND WE WORK WITH

for women empowerment & against sex trafficking











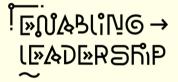
for youth empowerment and education















for kids health care











APNALAYA

Thank you so much for coming to Govandi slums, no one ever come here and our kids had lots of fun



CHANDU

6 years old

I loved the band, I danced non-stop for one hour, it was sooooooo much fun!!!



JAYA

8 years old

I had a wonderful time singing, laughing and dancing.



MUSIC MULAKATEIN STEP 2 - TRAINING

We are offering a 3-months professional internship in music management to young adults from under-privileged background, with a priority on WOMEN EMPOWERMENT. In 2018, we have trained girls from KRANTI, a NGO taking care of daughters of sex workers.

Thanks to a comprehensive curriculum, we're teaching them general work skills like:

- social media: online research, organisation of information;
- computer proficiency: folder management, database, Excel, Word;
- creative skills: poster design, phone photography and videography;
- event coordination: email / phone interaction and logistics.

With direct hands-on ground, our interns get to organise the concerts in the slums, the "STEP 1" of our Music Mulakatein project.

OUR INTERNS 2018-19



SHRADDHA KATTI

I met music professionals, learnt about social media and phone videography and went to live music concerts.



JAYASHREE PATIL

I started the agency and the jazz community's Instagram account, spoke in public and gave interviews



GEETA TIMAPPA

I learnt how to use a computer, write emails, do online research and design a poster. Now I design my NGO's poster



MUSIC MULAKATEIN STEP 3 - EMPOWERING

The third step of our project for 2020 is to create a professional support system to young artists, talents and creative entrepreneurs from under privileged background.

We want to help them set up, start and build their own professional creative project by providing:

- specialised training;
- advice to develop their own professional network;
- marketing support.

And help them make their dreams come true!

NUMBERS in 2019

Live concerts

Workshops: singing, song writing, rap

People saw a live concert for the first time of their lives since Sept 2018

TARGETS for 2020

Live music concerts, once a week

Workshops: singing, song writing, rap

People will attend a live concert for the first time of their lives in 2020

ABOUT US



EMMANUELLE DE DECKER

Emma, French national living in India since 2004, runs the music agency GATECRASH, organising concerts and promoting the independent live music scene in India. Along with her team, they curate venues, festivals and events, set up tours for international bands across the country, promote the jazz scene through jazzinindia.com and develop social initiatives with NGOs, with the belief that music plays a powerful part in social change.

TANISH THAKKER

Born in Mumbai and having studied and worked in UK and USA, Tanish joined GATECRASH in 2018 as the agency's business partner. His work experience spans from skills development, startup incubation and music management.

In 2011, he set up the Center for Employability at the University of Northampton and co-authored a textbook 'Career Development and Employability Skills'.



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