

"The better world to which we all aspire is within our reach. Deeply humanitarian, I am convinced that together we can move mountains by providing concrete solutions to tomorrow's challenges. In 2016, driven by the desire to take part in this movement of awareness, I launched the Better World Fund. Yes, there is hope. Everywhere in the world, women and men are creating, innovating, and taking action for climate change, social inequalities, culture, and education. The Better World Fund's ambition is to highlight and financially support these actions that give hope. The power of art seemed to me an obvious

> Manuel Collas de La Roche President & Founder of the Better World Fund

way to raise awareness and inspire global world

citizens to act for the future of our planet."

**BWF VENICE FILM FESTIVAL** 



Manuel Collas de La Roche, President & Founder of the Better World Fund

### Through this event BWF is supporting

### NGO «La Princesse MURAT»





LA PRINCESSE MURAT -

Founded in 2017 in Paris, the "La Princesse MURAT" association is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting access to health, education, nutrition, first aid, and fair justice for women and children in distress, extreme poverty, or exposed to health risks worldwide. This mission is supported by a commitment to sustainable development and ecology, ensuring that all forms of help can be sustainable in the long term.

### Together We'll Succeed!

Make a donation

"Promoting access to health, education, and justice around the world"

### History of the Family

The NGO was built on the foundations and objectives of an organization created in 1991 in Peru by the father of La Princesse MURAT, under the name DSD ("Development, Solidarity, and Democracy"). With this continuity, both the French and Peruvian versions of the association pursue the same goals, demonstrating a transnational commitment to the well-being of vulnerable populations.

HI&RH La Princesse MURAT herself belongs to a prestigious family, a member of the Imperial Family of France and the royal family of Naples, which has left its mark on world history. She has adapted to contemporary challenges by integrating this responsibility into her humanitarian actions.

### A Commitment to Women and Children

With her life experience in an emerging country, as well as being a mother and a professional, La Princesse MURAT has dedicated her efforts to improving access to healthcare for the most modest and empowering women. These efforts are accompanied by concrete initiatives for social development and reducing inequalities.

### An Exceptional Contribution to Health

HI&RH La Princesse MURAT also collaborated with Professor Ameisen on a complex campaign aimed at gaining recognition from the French Health Authority of the therapeutic qualities of Baclofen, an innovative treatment. This involvement in therapeutic research and health system reforms reflects the association's concern for priority medical issues.

### The "La Princesse MURAT" Award

In order to extend its actions, the NGO has established the "La Princesse MURAT" Award, with its first edition dedicated to women's health. In accordance with the objectives outlined in the association's statutes, this award recognizes a project completed or on its way to completion. Through this initiative, the organization aims to stimulate and honor significant contributions to targeted social improvements.

### Conclusion

With its ambitious projects and dedication to women and children in distress, the "La Princesse MURAT" NGO embodies a holistic and sustainable approach to essential social change and exemplifies a remarkable humanitarian commitment



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# The better world awards are created by the great Italian artist Dante Mortet

Hands of Personalities Sculpted by Dante Mortet:

- Robert De Niro
- Scorsese
- Dustin Hoffman
- Quentin Tarantino
- Samuel L Jackson
- Kurt Russell
- Bruce Dern
- Tim Roth
- Walton Goggins
- Lou Ferrigno

- Oprah Winfrey
- Frankye Valli
- Kirk Douglas
- Anjelica Huston
- Jennyfer Jason Leigh
- Ennio Morricone
- Kevin Spacey
- Andrea Bocelli
- Pelé

- Ibrahimovic
- Zanetti
- Thiago Silva
- Hugo Sanchez
- Julio Cesar
- Drogba
- Cavani
- Patrick Doherty
- Keni Silva





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## THE MAGNIFICENT 7, MASTERFUL HANDS THE SOUL OF CINEMA IN BRONZE Sculptures by Dante Mortet

On the occasion of the 82nd Venice International Film Festival, the Hotel Nani Mocenigo Palace opens its doors to the art of sculpture with a unique exhibition dedicated to the work of Dante Mortet, artist and master chaser who has been telling the stories of the icons of our time through their hands for years. The Magnificent 7, Masterful Hands is an intimate and powerful journey into the universe of cinema, narrated through the ancient art of sculpture.

Dante Mortet, artist and master chaser from a historic Roman workshop now in its fifth generation, has created something truly unique: the hands of cinema greats, molded from original casts and transformed into works of art that capture not only gestures, but also emotion, memory, and identity. Each sculpture is born from direct contact with the artist—through a conversation, a shared moment—translated into details added to the bronze surface: a crease, a tension, an object, a symbol. The hands are not just tools, but inner portraits.

This exhibition focuses on some of the most iconic figures in the world of cinema, whom Dante Mortet met in person and immortalized: Martin Scorsese, Robert De Niro, Anjelica Huston, Kirk Douglas, Ennio Morricone, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Kurt Russell, and Quentin Tarantino. Hands that have written, directed, performed, played music. Hands that have created worlds.

Alongside these leading figures, Mortet's complete collection is a true atlas of contemporary cinema: Dustin Hoffman, Tim Roth, Walton Goggins, Kevin Spacey, Michael Madsen, Samuel L. Jackson, Bruce Dern, and many others. A bronze firmament destined to endure.

Masterful Hands offers a fresh perspective: viewing cinema's great personalities from another point of view—that of sculpture. A deeply Italian language, sculpture continues to speak to both the present and the future. With the enduring power of bronze, these hands do more than withstand time: they become living memory, iconic gestures, and eternal witnesses of an era and its creative soul.

Dante's is a craft-driven way of thinking, rooted in tradition, that tells the story of passion, love, and creativity through the hands of each individual. His works are now featured in international collections and prestigious institutions.

# PROGRAM

At Hotel Mocenigo, Venice

August 29th 2025

During the Venice Film Festival

August 30th 2025



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7 pm

### **Exhibition Opening**

THE MAGNIFICENT 7, MASTERFUL HANDS
THE SOUL OF CINEMA IN BRONZE
Sculptures by Dante Mortet

August 30th 2025

During the Venice Film Festival

10 am to 1 pm

Masterclass

1pm to 3 pm

Lunch

7:30 pm to 12 am

### Gala Dinner

Better World Awards
Auction
Concerts
Red Carpet



### Masterclass on Diplomacy: Fostering East-West Dialogue

The Masterclass on Diplomacy Fostering East-West Dialogue aims to raise awareness of the historical and current importance of diplomacy — not only as a mechanism of state relations, but as a human-centered tool to foster intercultural dialogue and fraternity.

Diplomacy, when grounded in mutual recognition, historical awareness, and a commitment to dialogue, plays a crucial role in building bridges between cultures, nations, and beliefs. This Masterclass will explore diplomacy's potential from multiple perspectives — historical, cultural, institutional, and spiritual — through the contributions of distinguished speakers.

- A representative of the Higher Committee of Human Fraternity will open the session by offering a Middle Eastern perspective on how diplomacy can promote peace and understanding across religious and cultural divides. This intervention will highlight the vision of fraternity as a shared human responsibility.
- A European high-level diplomat will share a Western perspective on how diplomacy can contribute to a renewed East-West dialogue in today's global environment, emphasizing the importance of intercultural engagement and mutual respect.
- An internationally renowned celebrity will speak about the influence of public figures in international institutions and their growing role in cultural diplomacy. The intervention will focus on how the visibility and credibility of celebrities can support conflict resolution efforts and foster reconciliation in fragile and polarized regions.
- The Patriarch of Venice is also being invited to participate, offering insights from a spiritual and historical viewpoint. His contribution will emphasize the potential of diplomacy to foster friendship and dialogue beyond institutional and political frameworks.
- Joel Soler, award-winning documentary filmmaker and President of the Magos Foundation, will provide a historical overview, presenting key examples where diplomacy shaped the relationship between East and West. His intervention will underline how historical context can inform and inspire contemporary diplomatic efforts.



H.E. TAMARA VUČIĆ First Lady of Serbia

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MASTERCLASS PROGRAM

### Masterclass on Diplomacy: Fostering East-West Dialogue

The Masterclass will be moderated by Enzo Di Taranto, former United Nations diplomat. His expertise in international diplomacy and intercultural cooperation will guide the session and ensure that each intervention contributes to a coherent and impactful exchange.

This initiative takes on a special significance in Venice, a city with a deep-rooted diplomatic heritage. As the first state in history to establish a permanent diplomatic mission — in Constantinople — Venice stands as a symbolic birthplace of modern diplomacy. Anchoring the Masterclass in this historic context reinforces the importance of diplomatic efforts as a timeless engine of dialogue and coexistence.

To celebrate and reinforce this message, the Masterclass will culminate in a gala dinner and award ceremony, during which the Higher Committee of Human Fraternity will present the Better World Fund Award. This recognition will honor outstanding commitment to the values of coexistence, peace, and intercultural understanding.



H.E. ELIZA REID Form First Lady of Iceland



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MASTERCLASS PROGRAM



# MASTERCLASS MODERATED BY ENZO DI TARANTO



Former Campaign-Manager of the United Nations Secretary-General in New York & President of XZEN Technologies Inc. (USA)



Graduated at the Diplomatic Institute of the Italian Foreign Ministry, with specialization at Ecole Nationale dAdministration (ENA) in Paris, Enzo di Taranto is a former diplomat and senior United Nations official with 40 years of experience in global diplomacy and sustainable development.

Father of the concept of "Celebrity-Diplomacy", he's the President of XZEN Technologies Inc. – a leading climate tech company based in USA – and hosts "PLANET GOLD": the world leading eco-podcast to reengineer the global climate agenda at the horizon 2030.

A recipient of the "Better World Fund Award for Best Sustainability Commitment" at Cannes Film Festival, Enzo di Taranto conducts world-class masterminds during UN Climate Summits (NY, Paris, Geneva and Dubai), Art and Fashion Weeks (Miami and Milano), Film Festivals (Venice and Cannes), and Formula 1 Grand Prix. He is the author of award-winning books, videos, websites and essays on international affairs, including "Planetology" and "World Peace 2050". More info at: xzen.tv



### JOEL SOLER

Joel Soler is an award-winning documentary filmmaker whose works have been screened in over 80 countries and broadcast on major international networks such as HBO (US), Channel 4 (UK), ZDF (Germany), TF1 (France), and Rai Uno (Italy). His films, often focused on terrorism and dictatorship, led to his detention by Al-Qaeda in southern Yemen and a 50-day incarceration in Maltepe prison, Turkey. After residing in the United States for 14 years, he was at one point under FBI protection.

With roots in Andalusia and a family heritage combining both Christian and Muslim traditions, Soler has a profound personal and intellectual commitment to the history of coexistence and East–West dialogue. He is the founder of the Magos Foundation, supported by Nobel Peace Prize laureate Shirin Ebadi, and dedicated to promoting intercultural and interfaith understanding. The foundation also serves as custodian of a major art collection focused on these themes.

Soler is currently working on a new film exploring the historical roots of brotherhood between Christians and Muslims, continuing his lifelong commitment to fostering coexistence and cultural dialogue.

### Gala dinner 7:30 PM TO 12 AM













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### Awards for Commitments, Engagements & Achievements

### **Best Commitment Award**

Honors individuals who have made extraordinary contributions to a specific cause.

- S.A.S Prince Albert II of Monaco
- Hon. Senator Simon Stiell
- Chief Raoni
- David Lynch
- Arisa
- Patrick Doherty
- Jeremy Piven
- Keni Silva
- Elisabeth Moreno Former Minister French Governement
- H.E Eliza Reid, First lady of Iceland
- Kevin Costner
- Catherine Deneuve
- Enzo Di Taranto

### Best Achievement Award

Rewards concrete actions taken as part of social and humanitarian initiatives.

- Mary J Blidge
- Joanna Plafsky
- Dr Tani Al Zeyoudi, Former Minister of environment UAE
- Nadine Labaki
- Sonia Guajajara, Minister of Indigenous Peoples of Brazil
- Euzhan Palcy
- Susan Sarandon
- H.E Tamara Vučić, First Lady of Serbia
- Isabelle Huppert
- H.R.H Vacharaesorn Vivacharawongse
- Mark Peine & Christian Vosseler
- David Wood

### Best Engagement Award

Recognizes people who have engaged, inspired and mobilized for a cause.

- H.E Dominique Ouattara, First Lady of Ivory Coast
- H.E Sheikh Ahmed Bin Faisal Al Qassimi
- Kevin Spacey
- Amruta Fadnavis
- Lang Lang
- Sharon Stone
- Mira Nair
- Nandita Das
- Chiara Tilesi

