

kooshk residency

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Kooshk residency is a non-political cultural and artistic space in Tehran. Kooshk tries to provide a convenient space for artists, curators, researchers, writers and filmmakers to encourage inter-cultural dialogues and art creation. By collaborating in international exchange programs with worldwide cultural institutes Kooshk strives to contribute to development of Iranian art and culture.

International exchange programs result in a blending of cultures, provoke creativity and cause a beneficial connection among nations. Due to the important role of attendants in formation of this cultural movement, Kooshk welcomes and encourages all qualified individuals from any discipline to apply through the different open calls for using the facilities provided in Kooshk residency and studio.

In Kooshk residency the attendants are provided with the chance to devote themselves to their specialized activities in addition to exchanging ideas and taking part in international events of the exchange program while residing in a new country.

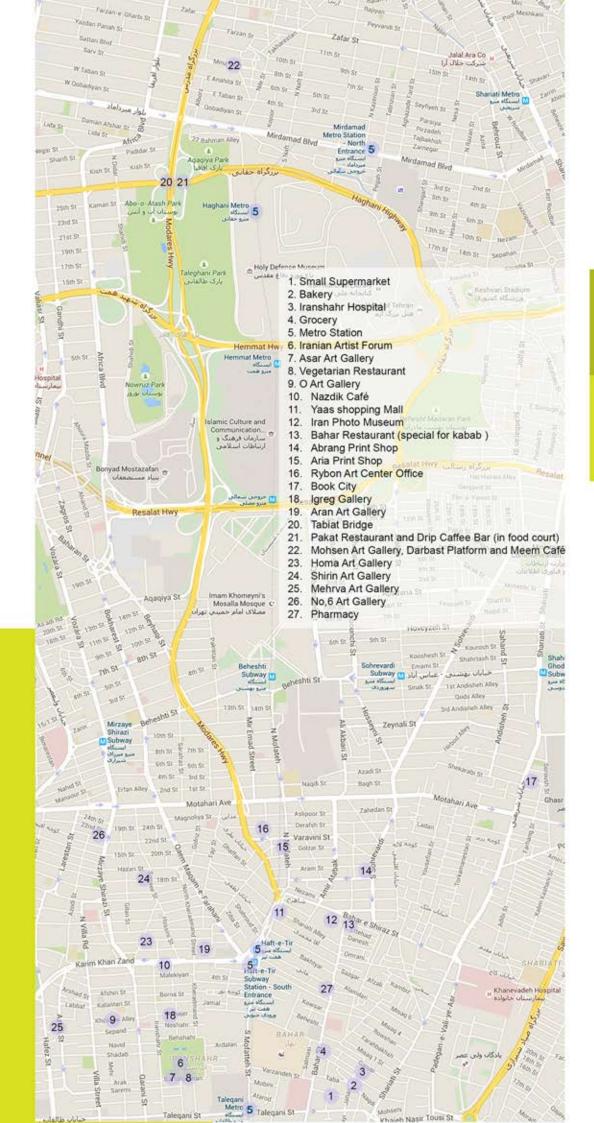
Attendants quickly become familiar with Tehran cultural and artistic atmosphere and build a vast network of artistic affiliations. Meanwhile the complicated situations of Tehran and its rich cultural and artistic atmosphere can evoke inspirations for upcoming researches and art creations. Visiting artists' workshops, open studios, artist talks and educational activities scheduled for exchange programs facilitate making specialized connections of attendants with Iranian artistic and cultural associations and groups.

Location details

Our residency place is an old house located in down town and close to the Iranian Artist's Forum, with convenient access to metro station and local transport.







Studio - Place of Residency

In contribution to the sustainability and resilience of Kooshk, a very nice old building has been renovated and equipped to help our artists feel belonged. Kooshk's building is located in the center of Tehran, where many of cultural and artistic places are easily accessible. All the necessary and appropriate facilities are provided to encourage the artists to be more ambitious in their work.

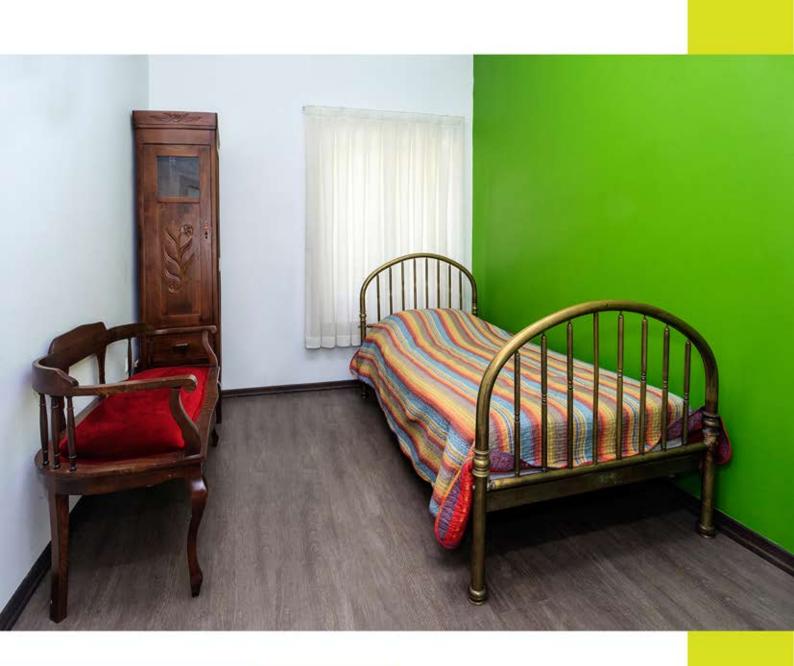
Kooshk's building is consisted of two floors. In first floor there is a small studio for artists to work and a space where they can invite other artists and curators to talk and is also a library and a well-equipped shared-kitchen for them to cook. In the second floor there are two -2bedded rooms to share, one single room and a bathroom and toilet for share. On the roof and in the backyard a very nice space is prepared for artists to use, study or rest. Free Wi-Fi, washing machine and dry machine is also prepared. Gonbad, our Persian cat is also there to accompany the artists.

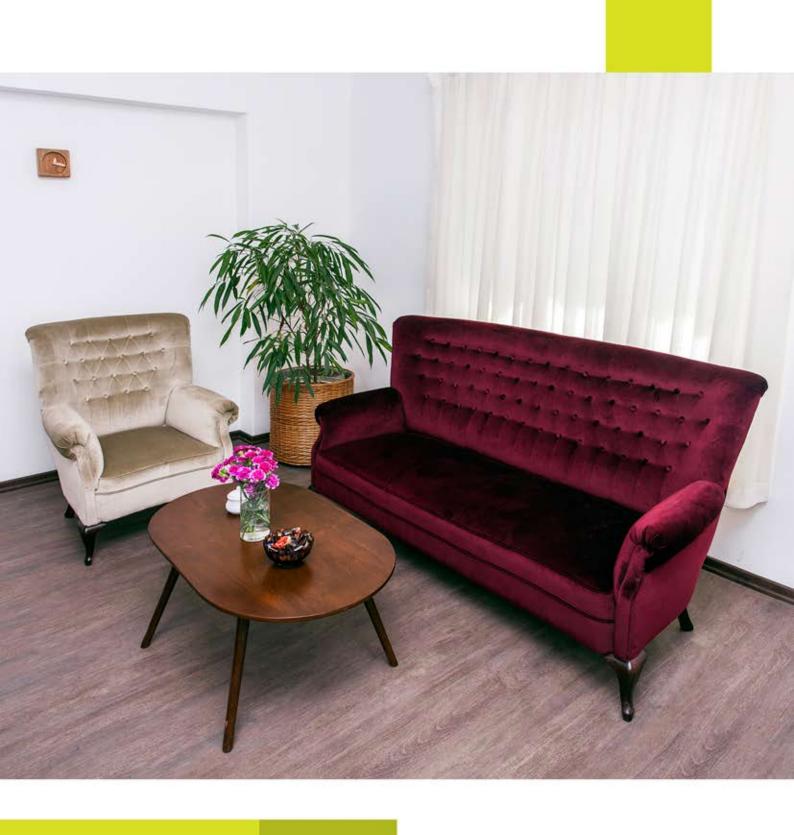






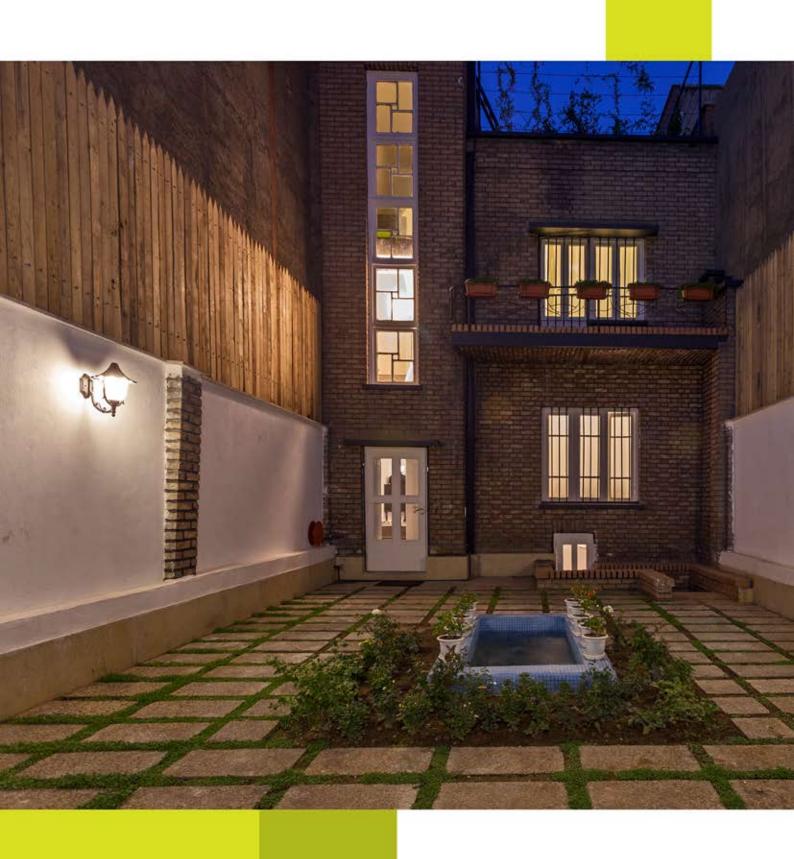














Little Gonbad