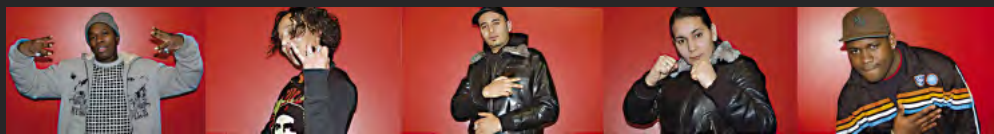


# PERIPHERICAL COMMUNITIES

French artist Melik Ohanian brings his installation 'PERIPHERICAL COMMUNITIES' to the UK For the first time. Spoken word and Film express views and feelings of young people from La Goutte d'Or area of Paris on identity and belonging.

There is intense national debate in both France and Britain about the way forward for integration despite differing political approaches. Young people from ethnic minority communities should be at the forefront of these debates. This installation gives a platform to young people from Paris to voice their concerns and feelings.

PERIPHERICAL COMMUNITIES is the first part of an ongoing arts project on identity and belonging. The next part will incorporate the work of young people from London - finally resulting in an installation with Parisian and London youth, which will be exhibited in the future.



## Video installation

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