

Press Release

ARTOTEL GROUP OPEN NEW HOTEL IN BATU JAWA TIMUR ALPINES BY ARTOTEL

Batu, Jawa Timur, December 15th 2018. ARTOTEL Group is pleased to announce the opening of its newest hotel from the Curated Collections in Batu, East Java under the name Alpines by ARTOTEL.

Located on Jl. Trunojoyo No.9, Songgokerto, Kec. Batu, Kota Batu, East Java, Alpines by ARTOTEL comes with 142 rooms with a choice of Studio 25, Studio 30, Studio 40, Studio 50, ARTOTEL Suite with total area of 67 m2, and Alpines Suite with total area of 87 m2. Every room at Alpines by ARTOTEL comes with a 43-inch TV, Dolce Gusto coffee maker, and well-curated amenities by ARTOTEL. Alpines by ARTOTEL is a five-star hotel, completed with its facilities such as six (6) Meeting Rooms under the name of MEETSPACE, one (1) Grand Ballroom with capacity of 500 people, Spa & Gym with the view of the majestic mountains of Batu City, Infinity Pool that can adjust to warm temperature, Kids Club, Wedding Chapel, and ARTSPACE - an art gallery showcasing artworks of emerging artists from East Java.

Alpines by ARTOTEL also comes with three (3) F&B outlets, "OUT OF THE BLUE!" Cafe, located on the Lobby Level Alpines by ARTOTEL providing local coffee selections with light snacks, "SANGKAR Modern Indonesian Restaurant" located on the Third Floor Alpines by ARTOTEL serving Breakfast until Dinner with contemporary Indonesian delicacies complimented with the natural scenery views of Batu City, and the last but not least "DIBAWAH LANGIT Sky Lounge" a rooftop bar that serves creative mocktails and small bites.

Erastus Radjimin, CEO of ARTOTEL Group added, " Alpines by ARTOTEL is a new property of ARTOTEL Group under the Curated Collections, where Mr. Isaac Munandar as the owner of PT. Prima Lima Tiga has trusted us to operate and manage this hotel. We are very proud that ARTOTEL Group can work on the same vision and mission with the hotel owners at Alpines by ARTOTEL. Hopefully the presence of Alpines by ARTOTEL in Batu City, can be the fresh breath needed by Batu city to accommodate the increasing number of tourist arrivals in this city and to compete with other tourist destinations in Indonesia. In addition, Alpines by ARTOTEL is also expected to increase Batu's creative economy as a distinctive feature of the ARTOTEL Group property which always supports local creators and artists.

-From the mountain to the valley, hear our praises rise to you-



Garis Edelweiss

Was born in Pasuruan City, in 1984. Garis is a self-taught artist who uses drawing techniques. He started the exhibition in 2012 as well as being the first year of his career as an illustrator and drawing artist. Apply drawing on paper, canvas, and wood. Most of his work is surrealist style black and white. He is very interested in objects with dimensions of detail such as feathers, leaves, old wood, stone, and other visual strength objects. His works are inspired by nature, especially plants. Garis is actively exhibiting until now.

Isa Ansory

Was born in Batu, East Java, at July 25th, 1973. He studied art at Institut Keguruan Ilmu Pendidikan (IKIP, Teachers' Training College) in Malang, East Java from 1992 to 1996. During that time, starting in 1993, he began participating in several group exhibitions throughout Indonesia, including the CP Biennale 2005 in Jakarta and Parallel Event Biennale XIV, Equator #4 2017 in Yogyakarta. He joined some group exhibitions in Malaysia, Singapore, and Vietnam, and Ho Chi Minh City Museum. Isa also held a solo show at Galeri Canna in Jakarta in 2010. He still lives and works in his home town. Isa's paintings were a celebration of nature and culture which is very diverse with specific motifs and meanings. Environmental issues have been addressed in his latest series of threatened tropical forests. Forests are now converted into commodities like furniture or plywood for all kinds of uses. The spiritual dimensions of nature, especially trees, seem to be forgotten.

Suwandi Waeng

Was born in 1978. Autodidact, who settled and proceeded creatively in the city of Batu since 2001, joined in the art community in Batu and at the same time his first exhibition. Suwandi Waeng never stops working and always tries to improve the technique and to process the subject of the material and the ideas.

So far, Suwandi Waeng often uses his paintings in human portrait to respond to the social issues and lifestyle. In 2011, Suwandi Waeng began to receive exhibition invitations in various countries including Singapore and Ho Chi Minh City Museum of Vietnam. The year after he was nominated in an independent competition art award Jakarta, then in 2014, Suwandi and 6 artists worked on a project painting the Bando Street Gate of Batu Stadium. Along with his current trip, Suwandi Waeng show interests in the existence of plastic with various color, texture and transparent effect for creative process through the use of intuition and personal artistic consideration. Departing from there, Suwandi Waeng uses plastic as the foundation of his works. And currently, besides actively participating in Suwandi Waeng, he also entered the art project of Sept OS, and rendering Batu and Malang.

Ebby Dwijaya

Was born in Probolinggo in 1992. He graduated from Universitas Negeri Surabaya majored in fine arts. Now he lives and settled in the city of Malang. In his works, Ebby often displays the field of geometric fields as the background of the illustrations that he visualizes into his canvas. The little angel who always appears in his work is a message that he wants to convey his care for others.

The Broy

Was born in Banda Aceh in 1990. Commonly called as Ayi or Thebroy.

He began to work with comics and mural illustrations from the streets and friends in Surabaya, in which where he has settled until now.

He went to school at veteran UPN campus in east java majoring DKV. Comics and illustrations help him convey his idea; often he expresses his language through pictures, not words. Freedom and fun in the world of illustration is something that he is fighting to convince the people to this day. "Hey, let's draw together, discard the jealousy that exists"



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Evan Raditya

Evan Raditya Pratomo A.K.A Papercaptain is an Illustration Designer with exceptional skills in applying different techniques of illustration. His adroitness ranges across children illustration, state-of-the-art ukiyo-e, urban pop, to ornamental embellishment.

In February 2015, he was chosen by Adobe to be the only Indonesian artist featured in the Adobe Photoshop's 25th Anniversary campaign and exhibited at Adobe MAX 2015, in Los Angeles, California. On May 2016, Paramount Pictures contacted him to be a part of Ghost in the Shell live action movie, starring Scarlett Johansson. Even though he likes to explore different sides of illustration, his roots remains as a Children's Book Illustrator, as proved by his latest children's book project for Liverpool FC 125th Anniversary and Standard Chartered Bank.

His art weapon of choices are a small sketch book to scribble up his ideas and digital software, Adobe Photoshop. Evan describes his own art as something with impossible color choice. He never has a solid formula, just go and flow like a water and wave; the things he likes to draw most.

ABOUT ARTOTEL GROUP

ARTOTEL Group is a hotel operator company with 4 integrated pillars of Hotel, F&B, Event Management and Curated Merchandise. As a lifestyle brand, ARTOTEL Group offers selections of accommodations, from boutique designed hotel up to premium level, from the mass market accommodation to the luxury, ARTOTEL Group has **BOBOTEL**, **ARTOTEL**, and **Curated Collections**. In F&B, ARTOTEL Group manages Restaurant, Bar, and Beach Club, such as **BART** and **ARTOTEL Beach Club (ABC)**.

Through Event Management, under the name of **ARTOTEL Project Series (APS)** and Curated Merchandise of **ART of Life (AOL)**, ARTOTEL Group has a vision to support and take part on the growth of Indonesian Creative Industry by supporting local players, collaborate with them through workshop, art exhibition, creative event, and by producing merchandise featuring artwork of emerging local artist.

Property: **ARTOTEL** Surabaya, Thamrin – Jakarta, Sanur – Bali, Yogyakarta, & Haniman – Ubud. **ARTOTEL Beach Club** - Sanur. **Curated Collections**: de Braga by ARTOTEL – Bandung.

Pipeline: **ARTOTEL** Semarang, Jakarta (Wahid Hasyim & Setiabudi). **Curated Collections**: Alpines by ARTOTEL – Batu, Amber Beach Resort by ARTOTEL – Lombok, Mandalika Beach Club by ARTOTEL – Lombok.

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