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OUR TOP FIVE FEMALE ARTISTS OF VIENNA CONTEMPORARY

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September usually tends to be rather gloomy, grey, and full of rain in Vienna. So, to prevent a serious case of autumn blues, we visited Vienna Contemporary, the city's annual art fair, which took place until yesterday at the former cattle hall "Marx Halle". And although the variety of attending galleries and artists felt like an all-you-can-eat buffet but with, you know, art, after browsing through the fairs' catalogue, we still felt that there continuous to be a gap that needs to be closed in the industry and even more space to be made for all the female power that the art world has to offer. Creating that space right here, we have put together a list of our top five female artists presenting at VC:

...Anahita Razmi

Finally, there is Hamburg born Anahita Razmi, who studied in Stuttgart as well as New York and already showed at Venice Biennale and some renowned international museums. Despite living a nomad's life and travelling the world, she chose Berlin to be the center of her creative world, having her studio in Kreuzberg. Razmis' art can be seen in a contemporary Iranian context – she questions the female role in (middle eastern) society with a tongue-in-cheek approach and plays with the theme of gender stereotypes. At Vienna Contemporary this intercultural female artist was represented by forward-thinking Dubai based gallery Carbon 12.