

## 150,000 Visitors - Ai Weiwei Exhibition extended

The Berlin exhibition is a visitor magnet and runs until 13<sup>th</sup> July / Tickets can be booked at [visitBerlin.com](http://visitBerlin.com)

**Berlin, 6<sup>th</sup> June 2014** The exhibition "Ai Weiwei - Evidence", at Berlin's Martin-Gropius-Bau exhibition centre, has attracted visitors since April. This week, the 150,000<sup>th</sup> visitor is expected. As a result, the Museum will be extending the world's largest solo exhibition by the Chinese artist by a week, meaning that the exhibition will be open until 13<sup>th</sup> July (daily 10 am to 8 pm). Tickets can be booked at [visitBerlin.com](http://visitBerlin.com) or in the Berlin Tourist Information offices.

Ai Weiwei is regarded as the best-known contemporary Chinese artist. He created the majority of his work specifically for the Berlin Museum.

### Other Berlin exhibition highlights in 2014

The exhibition "Die 8 der Wege: Kunst in Beijing" (Eight of the Ways: Art in Beijing) is also open until 13<sup>th</sup> July in the 'Uferhallen'. Other cultural highlights in 2014 include the exhibition of the sculptor Rembrandt Bugatti in the Old National Gallery until 27<sup>th</sup> July as well as the exhibition on the style icon David Bowie, open until 10<sup>th</sup> August in the Martin-Gropius-Bau. The open-air exhibition "Paradiesapfel" of Prussian Palaces and Gardens runs until 31<sup>st</sup> October. The New National Gallery recalls the cultural break-up of the 1960s with the Otto-Piene Exhibition, which starts on 18<sup>th</sup> July. Information on the exhibitions and tickets is available at [visitBerlin.com](http://visitBerlin.com), by phone at +49 (0)30-25 00 25 or in the Berlin Tourist Information offices.

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