The Worlds We Create

'The Worlds We Create' photo exhibition and poetry recital programme brings to you the lives of marginalised communities in India, whose labour creates the worlds we live in. The exhibition will present the back-breaking work of hand-pollinators; the labour of manual scavengers, which keeps the cities clean, the lives of handloom weavers, who continue to live in poverty, and the women miners whose labour has gone unrecognised in our history books. For the poetry reading, we have roped in the Centre for Modern Indian Studies (CeMIS), Literaturforum Indien e.V. and Literarisches Zentrum Göttingen e.V. During the poetry recital, CeMIS students and Andrea Strube from Deutsches Theater (DT) will recite works of poets from marginalised communities in Tamil, Hindi, Telugu, Marathi (yet to confirm), English and German languages.

This project is part of the initiative work that Senthalir Sivalingam and Paras Kumar, MA students of the Centre for Modern Indian Studies, will be doing as scholarship holders of Brot für die Welt.

Photo Exhibition – June 16-20, 2025, Foyer of the Zentralmensa, Platz der Göttinger Sieben
Poetry Reading – June 24, 2025, 8pm at Literaturhaus Göttingen, Nikolaistraße 22, 37073 Göttingen