

ActionAid research

In the research “SO THAT IT DOESN’T HAPPEN. Primary prevention as a policy for structural cultural change”, ActionAid explored how it is necessary to build a systemic approach to primary prevention, which is still mostly missing in Italy. A gradual and continuous approach can help bring real change, shifting the focus from emergency responses to long-term, structural solutions. Investing in primary prevention — for people of all ages and in every part of society — is essential to create a different present and future.

What if tomorrow

If patriarchy truly disappeared, male violence against women could finally become a thing from the past. MUPA is a creative project that encourages people to imagine this possible future — and to think about how each of us can help build it. The present shapes the future, but imagining the future we want can also help transform the present.

**LET'S MAKE MALE VIOLENCE
AGAINST WOMEN A
MEMORY OF THE PAST**



MUPA

MUSEUM OF PATRIARCHY

From a future, where patriarchy no longer exists

MUPA is a museum from the future that preserves objects, artifacts, and testimonies from the 20th and 21st centuries to show the behaviors, habits, and narratives that fueled male violence against women. The exhibition, which will be open to the public, invites visitors to look at the past with a critical eye and think about the present and the future

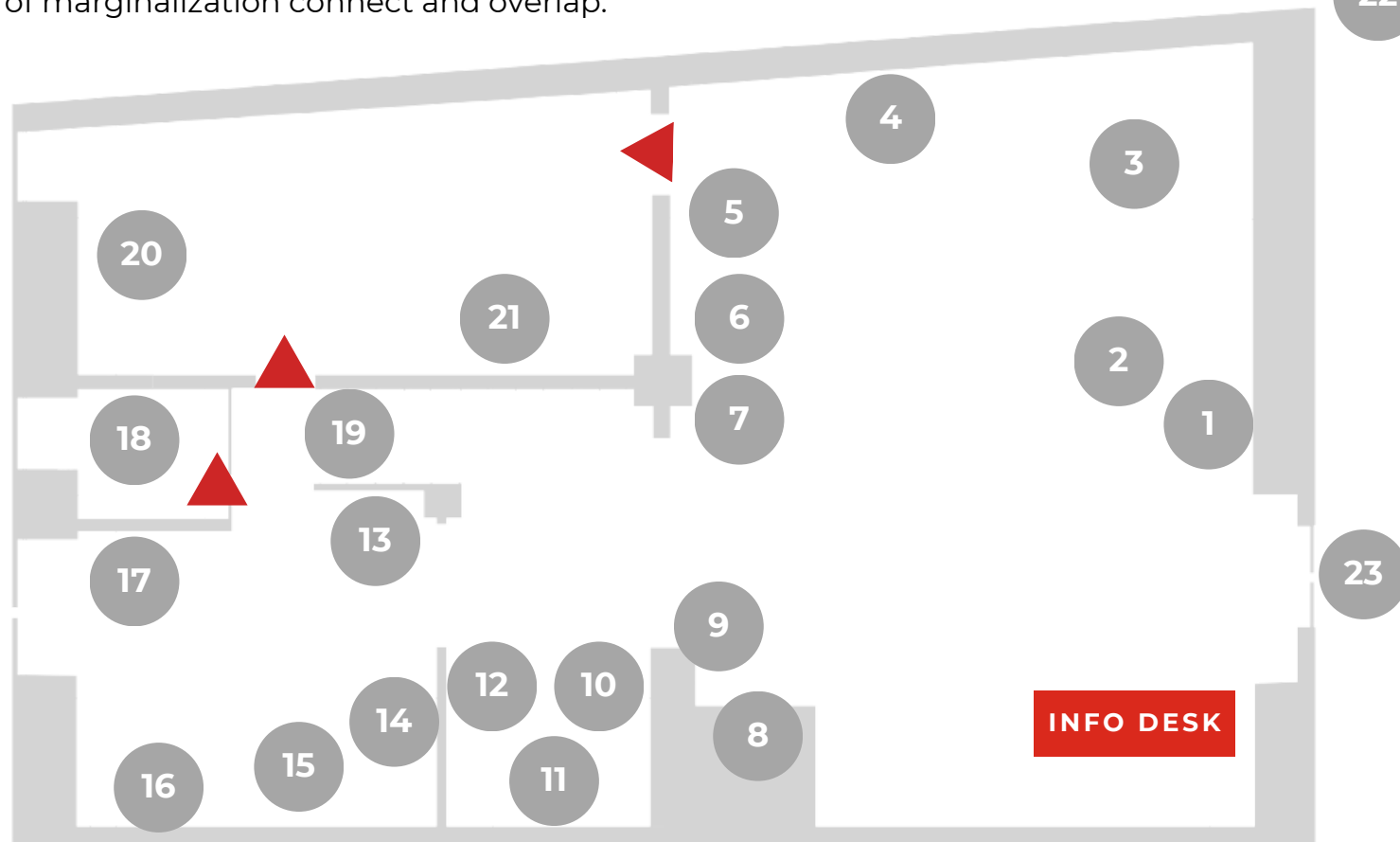
The present we see

Today, patriarchy is still part of our reality. In daily life — in public, domestic, workplace, cultural, digital, and relational spaces — social rules and gender expectations still shape how people act. These patterns may seem normal or harmless, but they help create the conditions where violence can flourish. Institutions mostly focus on reacting to violence, instead of working on deep and lasting changes to stop it at its roots.

THE ARTWORKS

A collection to be archived

The collection includes artworks, objects, and stories that invite people to think about the patterns of patriarchy that should belong to the past. Patriarchy is deeply rooted and widespread, so no single collection can fully represent it. Still, this project and its research are based on an intersectional approach, which looks at how different forms of marginalization connect and overlap.



1. Gender Pay Gap Reveal
2. Gender Salary
3. Roles
4. Triptych: Punched Doors
5. Just Shit
6. Mirror, Mirror
7. Alphabet
8. A Girl's Game
9. The Mother Fades
10. A Woman
11. Carosello
12. Manel
13. Justice
14. Sissy
15. Alone
16. Homecoming
17. Outfit
18. In Direct
19. Pyramid of Violence
20. No Name
21. Sisterhood
22. Pss
23. Trample

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