

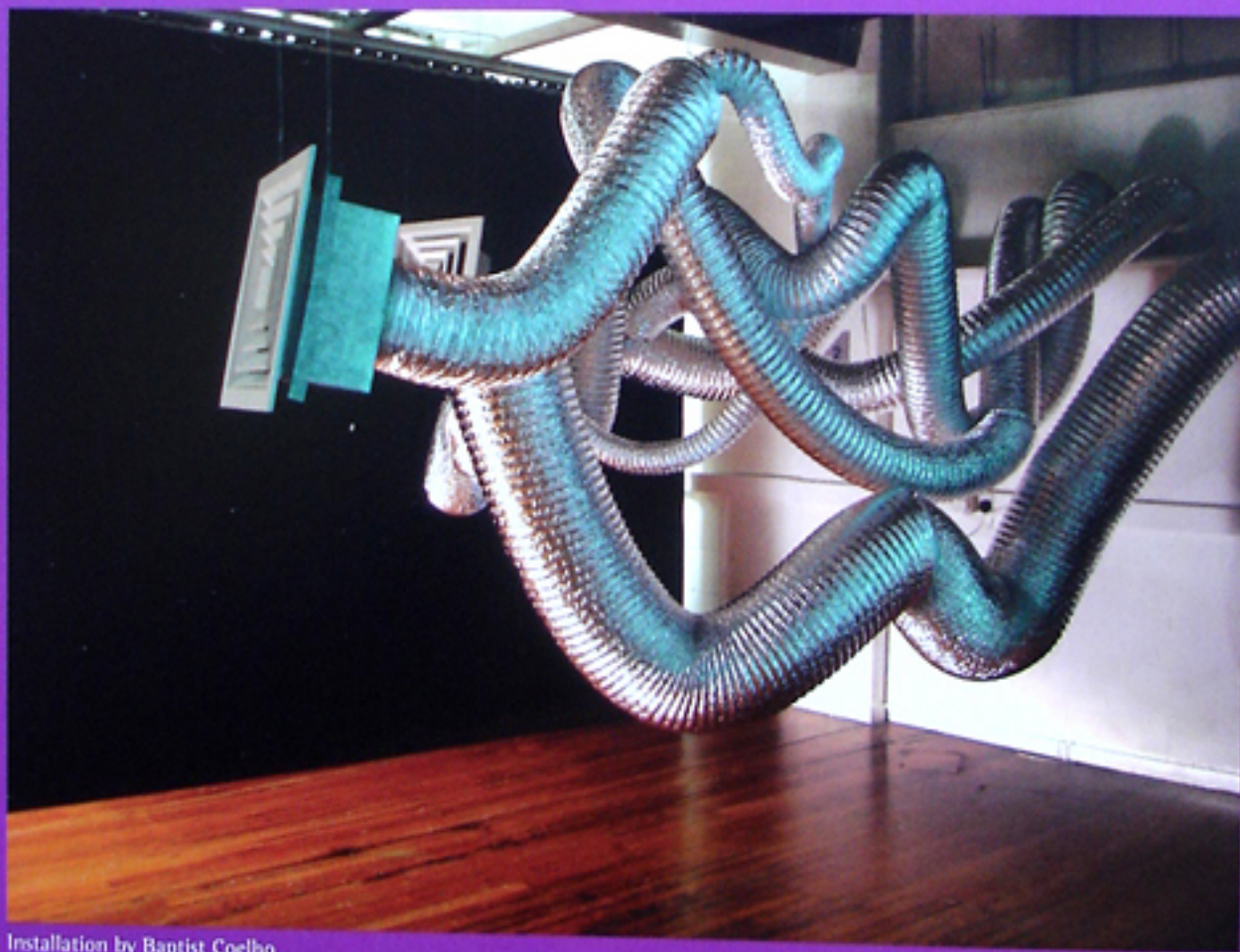
India Habitat Centre and Art India present

Promising Artist

of the year 2007 Award

Winners : Baptist Coelho

Baptist Coelho, 30, lives and works in Mumbai. His art practice is mainly research-based and he operates within a range of mediums that include installations, video, sound and architectural installations, photography, sculpture, public art, performance and site-specific works. He aims to "discreetly influence the physical and emotional response" of his audience. Coelho is reluctant to define his body of work as stand-alone exhibits. Instead, he says they represent an atmosphere or moment created which requires the viewer to critically analyze and reflect upon his or her personal understanding of the surroundings in which he or she lives.



Installation by Baptist Coelho