

# Kathmandu graffiti: Street art has made the walls come to life

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When the BBC Soup team visited Kathmandu in February 2015 to attend Nepal's first Ideas Fest they were struck by the graffiti. Photographs by Richard Fenton-Smith, with thanks to Nepalese art director Sworup Nhasiju for his insights. Find out more at [bbc.com/soup](http://bbc.com/soup)



A giant red panda mural in Thapathali, Kathmandu - graffiti artist Daas apparently wanted to highlight the decline in the red panda population in Langtang National Park.