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Model 002 by 2018 Recipient Winnie Herbstein

The Anna Löbner Düsseldorf Exchange 7th October -7th December 2019



Kulturamt
Landeshauptstadt Düsseldorf

About

We are inviting proposals from all Glasgow based artists to apply for the Anna Löbner Glasgow/ Düsseldorf exchange 2019. The artist Anna Löbner was based at our Hanson Street studios and sadly passed away in 2009. She was instrumental in setting up this inspiring exchange in her home town and it has gone from strength to strength ever since.

The successful artist will spend early October to early December in Düsseldorf, Germany. On arriving, you will meet a representative from the Kulturstadt der Landeshauptstadt (Düsseldorf's city council) who will introduce you to a number of artists and cultural institutions in the city. An exhibition will be arranged towards the end of your stay in the city run gallery Atelier Am Eck on 21st November 2019. Kulturstadt der Landeshauptstadt will support you in the delivery of this exhibition including organisation hospitality and printing invitation cards for the opening night.

Studio and Living Accommodation

The successful applicant will be based in Aachenerstrasse in the Bilk area of the city in Düsseldorf. Bilk is close to local amenities and on a direct train line to the city. A bicycle is also included for you to get around the city.

The live-work studio is in a protected historic building, ran by the Kulturstadt Der Landeshauptstadt (Cultural Administration), which houses many other artists.

Living and work space are connected and cover 123 square metres. The studio offers ideal working conditions for artists of all genres. This live work space is based within the eaves of the building, with exposed wooden beams, great natural light and a high ceiling height.

The living space is open plan, with a sleeping space (2 beds) at mezzanine level. There is also a fully equipped kitchen, dining table and living room space with sofas, TV and telephone. There is additional storage space in the studio.



Budget

The successful applicant will be paid a monthly allowance of 1000 euros alongside a materials fee of 300 euros. There is no travel allowance included in the stipend but a representative at Kulturstadt will advise you on the best and most affordable way to book your travel.

There is no charge for the living/working space but the artist is responsible for managing their own living and working costs. An artist card will be given provided to gain free entry to galleries and museums.

Experiences

The Anna Lobner Exchange is now in its fifteenth year. Artists who have participated in the exchange in past years have included: Hardeep Pandhal (mixed media), Lauren Gault (sculpture), Calum Stirling (mixed media), Sarah Forrest (video) and Winnie Herbstein (sculpture and mixed media).

The Anna Lobner Exchange was a positive experience for me. The apartment was big and light, easy to live/work in, it was in a good part of the city and having a bike and museum card was great. My practice felt more playful, I drew and read a lot, and felt both immersed in the work and simultaneously able to get a bit of distance from my practice as a whole. As well as producing new work for the exhibition, I left the residency with new writing and research that will feed into my practice back in Glasgow.

Sarah Forrest (2016)

Aims

We hope that the residency can:

- Provide an artist with time, freedom and support to develop their practice.
- Facilitate exposure to a new arts scene and different practices as well as to new galleries and museum collections.
- Expose the artist's work to a new audience through exhibiting in a project space in Dusseldorf.

Please see overleaf for application details.

How to Apply

Deadline

Closing date for Applications is 5pm, Friday 31st May 2019

Details

Please supply the following information by email:

- Full contact details
- A written statement demonstrating how this exchange would benefit your practice
- Relevant weblinks
- A set of 6-12 images of your work (j-peg preferable)
- An up to date CV including the following details:
- Education
- Exhibitions
- Professional Memberships

Selection

A shortlist of six artists, selected by a panel will be made here in Glasgow. This shortlist will then be sent to the Kulturrat, Düsseldorf where a selection will be made. We would aim to let the successful artist know by the third week in June 2019.

Contact

Please send your application for this residency to:

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Or, if necessary:

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If you require any further information before applying, you can also call
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