CALL FOR NAUESTRUCH PERFORMANCE ART RESIDENCIES 2023 – 2024.

A. PERFORMANCE ART LINE.

We open call for the period from September 2023 to July 2024

Project reception deadline: 14th, april 2023

Since 2010, NauEstruch is the area of the Live Arts Creation Factory L'Estruch specialized in performance arts. As such, NauEstruch constitutes a unique space in the context of the visual arts in our country. NauEstruch offers material and theoretical resources for research and development of projects linked to performance practices. Currently, NauEstruch has two lines for its production call: one aimed at proposals for performance practices from the context of visual arts and another for proposals for performance practices related to the use of tech media.

What are the goals of the Nauestruch Performance Art Residencies?

• Support for the visual arts linked to performance practices and support for research, innovation and development in this creative field.

• Establish a space for community exchange between national and international artists and performers in residence and artists from Sabadell, their cultural context and their city.

• Foster those interdisciplinary, hybrid, liminal and collaborative artistic territories that find their main working material in the body, action, event and scene.

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What is the specificity of the Nauestruch call for Performance art?

Offer individual work workshop in Nau Sud del Estruch and resources for production during residency (see list of technological resources) and final exhibition space for the project (room, theater, public space or others to be determined).

What is your residence period?

Residences of a minimum of two months (80 hours) and up to three months, being able to start in September 2023, January or April 2024.

Who is it for?

To artists or groups from or linked to the visual arts with a creation proposal related to performance practices.

What is offered?

• Individual work workshop in the Nave Sur de L'Estruch. More information about the spaces: http://lestruch.sabadell.cat/espais

• Exhibition space, rehearsal room or booth, or stage according to the needs in the development, research, and/or exhibition of the artistic project in residence.

• Optional accommodation, with kitchen and toilet to share (as a shared room for a maximum of four people).

• Accompaniment of the artistic project in residence by the NauEstruch curatorial team and invited curators.

• Access to the training program of studies of performativity, conferences and seminars, given throughout the term of residency.

• Technical and economic support for the production and exhibition of the artistic project in residence in the Estruch.

• Transdisciplinary and community work environment, and connection to the cultural and social context of Sabadell.

• Promotion of the projection of the artistic project produced in residence in collaboration with the Concèntric program of La Capella.

• Promotion of the itinerary of the artistic project produced in residence in collaboration with the ARTefACTe festival of Club9.

What is valued?

• The artistic and performative singularity, the experimental and transdisciplinary vocation or the interpellation to extra-artistic fields of the proposal: 5 points.

• The need for an intensive and planned use of the workshop, the infrastructures and services of the center throughout the residence period: 3 points.

• The ability to link the artistic proposal to the specific resources of L'Estruch, its artistic community or the Sabadell context: 2 points.

• The interest and availability of the applicant to take part in the training, relational and community activities of L'Estruch, scheduled on Friday afternoons: 1 point.

- Any artistic proposal that is not linked to a performative dimension will not be valued.

What does it carry?

• Use in the agreed and planned terms of the workshop assigned to the resident artist or collective, whose residence may in no case be less than ten hours a week for a minimum of eight weeks. In conclusion, any residence in this line can never be less than 80 hours of attendance in the workshop.

• Commitment to participate in the training, relational and community activities of L'Estruch, scheduled on Friday afternoons, as well as those resident meetings that are required.

• Return in the form of an exhibition or exhibition of the performing arts project produced at the end of the residency period, within the NauEstruch NOW programming.

• Inclusion of the L'Estruch logo or mention with the phrase “with the support of Estruch from Sabadell City Council” in all physical or digital communication documents related to the project produced in residence at NauEstruch.

- Failure to comply with any of these four points will be grounds for suspension of the residence agreement.

Assignment conditions

-The selected artists in residence will sign a document that will regulate the transfer of the space, which will include the calendar, the hours and the rooms used, as well as the acceptance of the regulations of use, in addition to the consideration that is agreed in exchange for the residence creation, if any.

-Failure on the part of the company or the selected artist of these pacts will render the assignment of the spaces destined for the residence null and void.

-L'Estruch reserves the possibility of modifying the requested calendar to organize the final residence plan.

For more information on the spaces, services, duration and type of production residences offered by Estruch, see www.lestruch.cat or call 93 717 25 71.

Selection commission

-Marc Vives, Barcelona Producció,

- Isil Sol Vil, MATERIC.ORG

-Oscar Abril Ascaso, NauEstruch.

-Almudena Manzanal, Club9.
-Mireia Llunell, L'Estruch.

This jury will select nine projects for this line of visual and performance arts: three projects-in-residence for fall 2023, three projects-in-residence for winter 2024, and three projects-in-residence for spring 2024.

The selected projects will be made public to determine on the Estruch website www.lestruch.cat.

HOW TO APPLY FOR RESIDENCE

Fill in the application form that you will find HERE before the 14th, april 2023