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## SUMMERHALL

Housed in the former Royal Dick Veterinary College, Summerhall is a multi-arts venue and cultural hub located in the heart of Edinburgh, Scotland. Summerhall hosts a yearround programme of visual, musical and performance arts and is known for its support of experimental and innovative creative work.

As well as a hub for Edinburgh's vibrant arts community, each year, in the month of August Summerhall transforms into a dynamic and exciting Fringe venue offering a diverse and eclectic programme of theatre productions, exhibitions and gigs.



#### COURTYARD COMMISSION PROJECT OPEN CALL

For the second year running we are delighted to announce the Summerhall Courtyard Commission Project and offer one artist the opportunity to create a site specific work to be launched for Fringe 2023 and exhibited on a permanent basis.

In light of current events and with cautious optimism for the future we ask artists to submit proposals for artworks that reflect on the theme of 'hope' Hope that art and culture will prevail, serve as a sanctuary, bring us together and make us resilient.



Samantha Chapman, Head of Visual Arts

### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

- The successful artist or collective of artists will receive a commission fee of £2000 which should include materials and artistic fee.
- The dimensions of the installation site are roughly 8.4m x 3m although the height of the installation may vary.
- Summerhall will arrange installation of the work at a cost independent to the commission fee and a plan for this should be made in between the artist and Summerhall.
- The materials used should be reasonably durable and weather resistant to ensure longevity.
- Proposals should consider materials suitable for the location and a method of installation.



#### WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR

From street art to print making, graphic design to sculpture, we are open to proposals form artists working in all media that would translate into a site specific installation.

Your proposal should outline the approach you would take and examples of the materials to be used.

You should own the intellectual property of the work.

#### HOW TO APPLY



Please send a copy of a proposal of no more than 3 sides of A4 with some examples of relevant work by the 28<sup>th</sup> of May 2023 to visualartsOsummerhall.co.uk

If you would like this information in bigger print or need help with you proposal, please let us know.



#### **PROJECT TIMELINE**

- CLOSING DATE FOR PROPOSALS 28<sup>TH</sup> of May
- PANEL SELECTION 2nd of June
- COMMISSION AWARDED 4<sup>TH</sup> OF June
- WORK STARTS 5<sup>TH</sup> of June

- WORK COMPLETED 5<sup>TH</sup> of July
- INSTALLATION 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> of July
- LAUNCH EVENT 27<sup>TH</sup> OF July



