



ARP-Art Residency Project 10th Edition

OPEN CALL

What does contemporary art means and, above all, how and how much can the definition of contemporary be adapted to the continuous change of time and history?

ARP returns with a new edition of his training residency to investigate the notion of the contemporary. What relationship does the creative idea maintain with the historical, social and environmental context? With present, past and future? What landscape does the artist observe?

Current events force us to always face new conflicts and

emergencies. What narrative can art bring into play to interpret change?

Are you a young artist/curator interested in a multidisciplinary approach who wishes to deal with other points of view?

As an artist, do you have the ability to create a work that can travel with you and represent your poetics in an exchange of ideas, techniques and languages?

Apply to the CALL for ARP- PACK AND GO!

ARP - PACK AND GO wants to offer young artists the opportunity of conceiving and creating an artwork that represents their own idea of contemporaneity and that can be transportable anywhere in order to allow it maximum mobility. The artwork presented by each participant will be evaluated by a jury who will select five winning artists.

ARP will select also one young curator will also be selected to work in dialogue with the artists, creating the concept for an exhibition event.

ARP-Art Residency Project, is the cultural and educational exchange program in the visual arts, conceived and promoted by the Centro di Documentazione della Ricerca Artistica Contemporanea Luigi Di Sarro, with the contribution of MAECI - Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation and other partners with the aim of providing beneficiaries with an opportunity for training and promotion

What the program offers:

The 6 winners of the competition will be involved in a 2 weeks training residency in Italy, mostly at the Centro Luigi Di Sarro headquarter in Rome. During the residency they will study in deep the theory and the practice of the idea of the contemporary, through a workshop that includes meetings with experts and professors and a series of visits and activities in museums and monumental sites, at the end of which they will be called to exhibit the work with which they presented themselves for the selection and which will travel with them accordingly to the PACK AND GO criteria. The Circuit of promotion following the workshop will end in Barcellona (Spain) at Espronceda Institute of Art and culture. The complete program will be announced at the end of the selection

Who can join:

To apply to the Call you must be born or permanently live in a European Union country (EU), in a Balkan area country, or in an African country and you have to be under 30 years old; you

must be fluent in English and be interested in having a group experience and willing to carry out the activities set out in the Call in the period between September and October 2024.

(IMPORTANT: airline tickets, accommodation and access to museums included in the program will be paid. Participants will have to provide for personal expenses and their own food. The accommodation will include multiple rooms in hostel.)

How to apply:

The application, drawn up in English, must be submitted by **14th July 2024**, by email to progetti@centroluigidisarro.it, with "ARP 10th Edition CALL" in the object and accompanied by the following materials:

- Motivation letter with declaration of availability to participate in the period September-October 2024, under penalty of forfeiture, and indication of the chosen role, artist or curator (PDF);
- Only for artists: Technical sheet and images of the proposed artwork which can be of any artistic discipline, as long as it can be transported in a bag that respects the hand luggage criteria: 55x40x20cm weight max 8kg, no liquids and flammable materials (PDF)
- Portfolio (PDF);
- Artistic/Curatorial CV, with specific mention of the level of knowledge of the English language (PDF);
- Copy of valid passport and proof of residence, if different from the country of birth (PDF/JPG). Costs and procedures for the Schengen Visa are responsibility of the individual participants.

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