

# Open Call

## Bauhaus Bavaria AIR

### Nature – Built Environment

#### Introduction:

Emerging from the collaborative endeavors of the founding members with different transdisciplinary ecological trajectories and residencies around the world, the Bauhaus Bavaria Artist-in-Residence program celebrates sustainable practices and inclusive spirit merged with the ethos of the Bauhaus Movement and the Black Mountain College. Nestled amidst the breathtaking landscape of lower Bavaria, the residency offers a unique opportunity for sustainable creative experimentation. Spanning 20,000 square meters and featuring two historic buildings– the Höpfelgut and the former hermitage of Franciscan monk Elias Zormeyer– our location embodies a rich tapestry of history and natural beauty. Designed by the renowned artisans, the Höpfls, these centuries-old structures serve as a hub for creative transdisciplinary endeavor and collaborations and are a testament to Bavaria's sustainable architectural heritage.

We are happy to announce this year's Bauhaus Bavaria Artist-in-Residence program, focusing on the various relationships and entanglements of nature and the built environment.

- local techniques and materials such as clay, stone and wood
- habitats as shared spaces for humans and non-human species
- neuroarchitecture / architecture and perception
- sustainable ecological building practices
- permaculture, upcycling
- biodiversity-enhancing landscape architecture
- monument protection, building in existing buildings, conservation / restoration of buildings
- informal education

The Artist – Residency format will be complemented by excursions and lectures and mentoring sessions and conclude in a final exhibition presentation of the projects and experimental research.

#### What we are offering:

- 4 month residency starting 1st of July, 2024 for 5 artist/cultural producers
- Stipend 750,- per Month (this stipend is a daily allowance of €25 per person per day. It is a contribution to food, local transport, etc.)
- Travel allowance: Travel distance under 5,000 km: €350 per person for round-trip.  
Travel distance from 5,000 km: €700 per person for round-trip
- Green top-up €350 per person for choosing not to travel by airplane (round-trip). Only applicable for distances of 600 km and more.
- Disability support Up to €75 per person per day. For people whose disabilities affect their ability to carry out the mobility project. Budget to be agreed with the team according to individual needs.
- The top-ups can be added cumulatively: one person can receive several top-ups at the same time. Justification and proof for the required top-ups will be asked.
- Visa related expenses 80 Euros
- Accommodation / Workspace
- Mentoring
- Field Trips
- Exhibition at the end of the Residency

#### Who can apply ?

Legal residents in Creative Europe countries, except Germany (regardless of nationality)

- cultural producers (architects, designers, filmmakers, 3D artists, philosophers, architecture + art historians, artists living and working in one of the 40 Creative Europe Countries:

Albania, Austria, Armenia, Belgium, Bosnia–Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kosovo\*, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, and Ukraine.

- Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs) and Outermost Regions (Ors):  
Greenland (Denmark); French Guiana, French Polynesia, French Southern and Antarctic Territories, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Mayotte, New Caledonia, Reunion Island, Saint Barthelemy, Saint-Martin, St. Pierre and Miquelon, Wallis and Futuna Islands (France); Azores, Madeira (Portugal); Canary Islands (Spain); Aruba, Bonaire, Curaçao, Saba, Sint Maarten, Sint Eustatius (The Netherlands)
- **Only apply if you are available for the full 120 days /4 months. Starting July 1st 2024**
- Good English and/or German skills, passion to both collaborate and work on own projects related to this years topic : Nature - Built Environment are mandatory

## How to Apply ?

- Step 1: follow us on instagram @bauhausbavaria and @raumkulturdenkmal
- Step 2: Like and comment on the Open Call post on Instagram @bauhausbavaria
- Step 3: choose your category (Cat): Cat1 Architect / Designer, Cat2: Filmmaker / 3 D Artist, Cat3: Writer / Architecture - Art Historian - Philosopher, Cat4: Artist
- Step 4: send the application documents in English or German via email to [raumkulturdenkmal@gmail.com](mailto:raumkulturdenkmal@gmail.com), using LastNameFirstName, Application2024, chosen Category (Cat1-4) as the subject. Any questions contact [raumkulturdenkmal@gmail.com](mailto:raumkulturdenkmal@gmail.com)
- **Application Deadline 26st of May, 2024, 23:59.** You will receive a confirmation email within 48 h

## Application Documents :)

**please name files as follows:**

- lastnamefirstname\_letterofinterest
- lastnamefirstname\_cv
- lastnamefirstname\_passport
- lastnamefirstname\_portfolio
- lastnamefirstname\_proofofresidence

**applicable only for those applying for top ups:**

- lastnamefirstname\_topuprequest\_disability

**File format for all documents: .pdf**

**include links to videos and sound files as active links in pdf**

**max size of all documents together: 15MB**

- cv (2 pages max. A4) / including: contact info, website, instagram...
- letter of interest (max. 2-3 pages, A4): why are you interested and how will you be contributing and working with us in the context of the Bauhaus Bavaria Residency focus : Built Environment - Nature
- portfolio (max. 10 pages, A4) preferentially works relevant to the focus Architecture - Nature - Built Environment
- Proof of legal residence in a Creative Europe country. Residence/work permit, bills. Must include the name + address.
- ID Card or Passport

Top-ups requests (if applicable, proof for disability support and family top-up are requested)

- Family top-up: e.g. birth certificate, ID Card of children, legal guardian document.
- Disability support: proof of disability → Team will contact A&CP with disabilities

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