

Open call for Tapiola Guest Studio residencies

Working periods: 1 – 3 months between January – August 2019

Closing date for applications: 23rd November 2018

The Finnish Artists' Studio Foundation is inviting applications both from Finnish and international visual artists for its residency programme at Tapiola Guest Studio. The residency periods are 1-3 months between January and August 2019. The residency offers an opportunity for artists to concentrate on their artistic work and to get acquainted with Finnish artists and art scene.

The Tapiola Guest Studio / the residential studio (total 83,m2) combines living and working space. The purpose-built working space is 6 meters high and north-facing, it has white walls and a wooden floor. The residential studio includes also a kitchen, a bathroom and a living balcony. There is a wireless Internet access. The guest studio will be in private use of the residency artist, however, if needed, it is suitable also for an artist couple. The rent is 650 €per month. The residency does not include any working grant nor travels. The residency is mainly self-directed. The foundation offers practical assistance and guidance on the local art scene.

The Tapiola Guest Studio is part of the Tapiola Studio Building which houses also nine other work/live spaces for local artists. The building was designed for visual artists in 1955. It is located in Espoo, 8 km from Helsinki, Finland.

The Tapiola Guest Studio is maintained by the Finnish Artists' Studio Foundation. The purpose of the Foundation is to improve the working conditions of the visual artists by maintaining and acquiring work facilities and residential studios. Currently in Finland, the foundation has approximately 300 artists as long-term tenants.

The Foundation has welcomed artists to the Tapiola Guest Studio since year 1997, mainly through artists exchange programmes, but also through open calls.

The application period ends November 23rd.

Find out more on application procedure and the application form:

<http://www.ateljeesaatio.fi/english/tapiola.html>

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