



3rd Biennale of young artists and art students 2023

Call for participation

As part of the promotion of art students and young artists, the CAL (Cercle Artistique de Luxembourg) and ViArt asbl (Vianden association promoting art and manager of the Veiner Konstgalerie) are calling on artists to participate **in a group exhibition project with the possibility of being chosen to exhibit at the Salon du CAL as well as for an artist residency with individual exhibition in Vianden**. The salon du CAL is an essential event in the artistic life of Luxembourg and will allow you to have the visibility of a large audience, in the same way as established artists (cf. www.cal.lu). The Veiner Konstgalerie, for its part, is a young place with a promising future in the center of a small medieval town with some hundred thousand visitors a year (cf. www.viart.lu)

The aim of this project is to give young artists the opportunity and freedom to present contemporary art creations to the public. All genres of visual art can be offered - more classic formats such as paintings, sculptures, prints, but also installations, performances, videos, transmedial creations..., in short, anything that goes beyond the traditional framework of the work hung on the wall or exhibited on a pedestal, without of course excluding them.

Procedure

12 candidates will be chosen to participate from **August 6 to 27, 2023 in a group exhibition lasting 3 weeks at the Veiner Konstgalerie in Vianden**. Among these 12 candidates, **4 winners will be chosen to participate at the Salon du CAL 2023** (november 3 to 19, 2023) in Luxembourg-city. **An artist residency in Vianden with an individual exhibition** in the Veiner Konstgalerie in 2024 **will be awarded to the first placed**.

How to participate?

You must send us, **in an artistically interesting and presentable form, the description of your project, electronically**, and accompanied by photos of your works, sketches, drawings, paintings, photomontages, videos, models, details of the installation or any other additional information that is important to describe your work, this **for the 15.6.2023 at the latest** at the following address: viart@viart.lu.

In order to be eligible, the **specifications** below **must be respected**, knowing that the selection criteria will favor more contemporary artistic trends and techniques.

Specifications

1. be at most 29 years old (on the 01.01.2024), and be at least 18 years old at the time of your application
2. the space that will be allocated to you for your project is a surface of **± 3 m²** on the ground or a wallspace of **± 3 linear meters** with a distance of 1 m from the wall, for the group exhibition at the Veiner Kunstgalerie as well as for the Salon du CAL (a plan and photos of the Veiner Kunstgalerie are attached to this document)
3. **send the participation form with the description of your project electronically by the 15.6.2023** at the latest to the following address: viart@viart.lu
4. you must not having presented this work before at another exhibition in Luxembourg

as well as, where applicable:

5. to bring your project by the 3.08.2023 to the following address:
Veiner Kunstgalerie,
6 Impasse Léon Roger,
L-9410, Vianden.
6. you have to set up your project in Vianden from August 4th to 6th, 2023, for the date of 6.8.2023.
7. the retrieval of the works after the Vianden exhibition is on Sunday 28.8.2023 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and (at the latest) on Monday 29.8.2023 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. at 6:00 p.m.
8. you have to set up your project at the Tramsschapp (49, rue Ermesinde, 1469 Luxembourg-Ville) from October 30rd to October 31st, 2023.
9. the retrieval of the works after the Salon du CAL is on Sunday 19.11.23 from 5:00 pm on.

The CAL-ViArt organizing committee reserves itself the right to select or refuse projects, as well as to publish in any form, in the case of selection for the exhibition, the works.

Application for the Biennale is free. For participation in the exhibition in the Veiner Kunstgalerie you will need a ViArt membership card (€30 per year). For the works sold during the exhibition at the Veiner Kunstgalerie as well as at the Salon du CAL, a commission of 30% of the sale price will be retained by ViArt resp. the CAL. The costs of carrying out the project, transport, installation and stay will be at your expense.

You will find more details in the attached rules. If you have any additional questions, feel free to send a message to viart@viart.lu.