

EREMUAK | CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR HALFHOUSE SUMMER RESIDENCY 2017

eremuak, in collaboration with Halfhouse, is calling for applications for a residency for artists from or residents in Autonomous Community of the Basque Country. The initiative supports artists and/or creators working in the visual arts. The residency will take place between July 1st and September 3rd in the Halfhouse space in Barcelona, and will culminate with an exhibition by the artist resident which opens in the same space on September 2nd.



Residency eremuak-Halfhouse 2016. "Esana" Josu Bilbao, image of Gontzal Gutierrez

Halfhouse is a *non-profit* space set up in 2009 to develop artistic projects, and is also the home of artists Sinéad Spelman and Alberto Peral. National and international artists have come to the house to give exhibitions, presentations and workshops since it was established, and the artist's residency is an important facet of this work, since the characteristics of the space and the possibility for artists to present their work in the place where they live has always been an important part of the project's domestic philosophy. Since last year, Halfhouse has had a collaborative residency agreement with **eremuak** to invite an artist from the Basque Country.

The space

The space is located at the foot of Collserola park, a green area in the elevated part of the city. The house sits in front of a station for the Catalan Trains that travel to the centre in 12 minutes. It has 100 m² inside space and a 270 m² garden. The house can host an artist, a two-artist collective or an artist with their family. It has a living room, two bedrooms and a studio. The artist resident occupies the entire house — during the residency its usual inhabitants and space managers aren't in residence, although the artist resident will be checked in on during the first week and the one prior to the exhibition opening (coinciding with setting up and preparing for the exhibition). Halfhouse will also put the artist resident in touch with the city's artistic network.

Residency resources

- Two months' accommodation in Halfhouse
- Light/internet/water/gas included
- Resident's professional fees: €1000
- Exhibition production: €1000 + VAT
- Return travel for the resident: €150
- Return of the work exhibited: €200
- Logistical support for producing and setting up the exhibition.
- Promoting the exhibition.

Timetable

- The **deadline** for the call for applications is **May 27th 2017 at midnight**.
- The result of the selection will be published on May 31st on eremuak's webpage: www.eremuak.net
- The residency will run from **July 1st to September 3rd 2017**.
- The **exhibition will open** on **September 2nd**.

Application

To apply, please send the following documents to eremuak@eremuak.net:

- A portfolio with a maximum of ten images of recent projects, including fact sheets and brief descriptions of each one.
- Artists using audiovisual resources in their work may attach a maximum of five links to visual content (website, blogs, vimeo, YouTube, etc.). The panel will view one-minute long excerpts and we therefore recommend that the artist specify the specific fragment they wish to be seen.
- Applicants may attach complementary documentation and the panel reserves the right to view this material where they require additional information.
- A cover letter (optional), maximum 1800 characters not including spaces (around 350 words).
- A short biography with maximum 1000 characters not including spaces (around 200 words).
- Personal details and contact information. **APPLICANTS MUST INCLUDE THEIR CONTACT EMAIL AND PHONE NUMBER.**

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