

The studio residency in Berlin welcomes visual and narrative makers and researchers focusing on the relationship between images and texts, books and archives.

Laimun is an artist-in-residence program and curatorial project that intends to create conversations with local and international artists across various disciplines.

The residency is a self-funded project and organized by the independent curator and editor Anya Jasbar, with the intent to support artists, writers, and designers who are looking to develop their practices and projects.

WHEN

The Residency will take place from the 26th of November to the 5th of December 2020, hosting one resident for ten days in total. Application deadline: 02.11.2020

THE PROGRAM

The Berlin session is welcoming artists, designers, writers, curators, and researchers, who need time and a dedicated space to focus on editing new work or concluding an ongoing project related to visual research, photography as well as image-text based work.

For this session, we welcome applications from the following fields:

- Visual Arts with a focus on image-making, photography, and image-based research
- Narrative Arts such as writers, publishers, filmmakers, and any story-driven practices
- Research and Curatorial Practice

Laimun is an inclusive project and is open to candidates of any language, gender, age (18+), or nationality.

FACILITIES

The Berlin edition of the residency has a duration of 10 days and offers to 1 resident a living and working space in the North-Eastern part of the city.

The studio space has a size of 22sqm with a kitchenette, a large office table, wi-fi, printer, scanner, and access to the studio's library.

The studio's library hosts a collection of books that the resident can browse and use as a reference for projects or research topics. In addition to the existing collection, the resident can specify a selection of books that might be useful during the residency and that we will try to acquire, in print or digitally, through direct acquisition or interlibrary loans before the beginning of the program. The studio's library has a majority of English titles, but books in other languages can be available on request.

The living space is in a private apartment in Berlin Pankow. The resident will have a private bedroom of 28sqm (with shared bathroom) with a balcony, and access to the kitchen for breakfast.

WHAT WE OFFER

Laimun in Berlin offers free-of-charge accommodation and use

of the studio. We will also help the resident with finding research materials, creating connections with local organizations and artists, dedicating time to the analysis of the project, and the further development of it if needed.

APPLICATION FEE - DONATION

With your application, we ask for a donation that will make our work possible. Please consider that the residency is entirely self-funded and has no institutional sponsorships. With your participation, we will be able to gather more resources and make them available not only for the residency but also for an expanding community interested in researching about images and their role in contemporary culture.

Application fee:
€ 10, 20, 30 - pay as you can - donation-based application fee.

If you're experiencing financial difficulty and feel that our donation system excludes you, please get in touch.

COVID-19

We will follow all the necessary hygiene measures for the studio and living space to offer you a safe place to live and work during the residency. Before applying and in case of acceptance, please be sure to be updated regarding the current regulations on the Federal Foreign Office's official website: <https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/einreiseundaufenthalt/coronavirus>