

Open Call: Artist residency (Short-Term Scientific Mission - STSM)

COST-funded Action TOOLKIT OF CARE (TOC), CA21102 is pleased to announce an open call for artist residencies (Short-Term Scientific Missions) at Institutio Media, Vilnius, Lithuania.

TOOLKIT OF CARE is an international Action led by an interdisciplinary group of creative practitioners, academics, researchers and arts organisations that specialise in creative technologies and that have considerable experience in the production and dissemination of this kind of knowledge across Europe and internationally, who have come together to form a “critical network of care”. The network will collaborate to share their collective expertise and technical knowledge employed in creative ways to develop knowledge and methodologies of care. The main aim is to produce a well formulated and integrated TOOLKIT OF CARE comprising articles, prototypes, audiovisual documentation, technical manuals, theoretical analysis, prototypes, and data. It will act as a model of how to successfully share knowledge and expertise across different geographical regions and social groups.

Grant amount: Selected participant shall receive a grant of 3000 EUR, which is expected to cover all fees and expenses related to the residency, including travel expenses, accommodation, subsistence and production costs. Selected resident may make their own arrangements or be accommodated in the partner organisation for a fee of 1000E. The fee would include all benefits, including a room, working space, access to a wetlab and other facilities at the established AIR Program at SODAS 2123 (see for more information at <https://sodas2123.lt/en/rezidencijos/>).

Residency host institution: Institutio Media

Host organisation city: Vilnius

Host organisation country: Lithuania

Host organisation url: <http://o-o.lt>

Host contact person name: Mindaugas Gapševičius

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Start date of residency: 1st May 2024

End date of residency: 31st May 2024

Description of residency:

Institutio Media invites artists and creative practitioners to apply for an experimental art-research residency during May, with a research presentation at the end of the residency.

We are particularly interested in artists working with art, science and technology in relation to the environment, commons, and themes relevant to Toolkit of Care (www.toolkitof.care)

We would like to encourage young and/or emerging artists, as well as early career researchers (MA, PhD and postdoctoral) to apply.

Criteria for participants: Previous work, motivation; The proposals' potential contribution towards a 'critical toolkit of care'.

Available equipment, resources that the host can offer:

- Access to a wet lab and project/work area.

Other equipment may be available on discussion

WHO CAN APPLY:

Practitioners/researchers of any nationality or place of residency affiliated with an academic or other legal entity in one of these countries:

Albania, Algeria, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, the Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Kosovo, Latvia, Lebanon, Libya, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Republic of Moldova, Montenegro, Morocco, Republic of North Macedonia, Netherlands, Norway, Palestine, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine (government controlled areas), United Kingdom, as well as in one of the EU Member States Outermost Regions (French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Mayotte, Reunion Island and Saint-Martin, Azores and Madeira, and the Canary Islands)

Note: Host institution must be located in a different country than the applicant's country of affiliation.

*Examples of such an affiliation (non-exhaustive list): work contract, enrolment in a programme (ie. PhD or Post-Doctoral), voluntary service in an NGO, emeritus professorship, etc

Documentation of STSM: Residents, with assistance from their host institution, are expected to document all stages of their project, keeping in mind the need to evidence the project's relevance to the aims of TOC.

HOW TO APPLY:

Please read carefully the application instructions and ensure all steps of the application process are taken, in order to ensure your application is complete. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

1. Complete the application template which shall be previously downloaded from HERE: <https://nextcloud.anulios.space/s/mnsodig4NTSPpQG>
2. Please include a link to your CV and to your portfolio (if applicable).
3. Email filled application form directly to the host institution you are applying to. Please title your email: "COST STSM application [YOUR NAME]"

Host organisations contact details for application submission and enquiries :

o-o@o-o.lt

Submission deadline: Sunday, 18th February 2024 at 23:59 MET

Successful candidates will be informed by 29th February 2023 with further instructions. Please note we are unable to provide feedback to unsuccessful applications.

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