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OF ONE'S
OWN

2022-2023

WHAT IT IS A ROOM OF ONE'S OWN

A full house presents the artistic residency **A Room of One's Own**: a dream of a group of women filmmakers inspired by Virginia Woolf. A dream that changes shape year after year and that in the 2022–2023 will once again take the form of the artistic residencies that we held in 2017 and 2018, where we accompanied the artists Naiara Carmona and Estibaliz Urresola in the development of their projects.

2022–2023 EDITION

A project that next year will grow and offer a **physical room of its own** in one of the most emblematic buildings in Bilbao. The chosen participant will have the economic support of **15,000 euros** for the development of their feature film and their stay will also be accompanied by different **mentors**, such as directing, scriptwriting, production and sound, among others.

In addition, within the artistic residency there will be a **feminist accompaniment** for the participants. The focus will be on care and the search for feminist ways of working in film.

As a novelty, a group of **Basque filmmakers**, with their projects in development, will be **invited** to participate together with the chosen filmmaker as a creative support group. These invited creators will also participate in the mentoring sessions, which will include professionals such as **Valérie Delpierre** (production) and **Eva Valiño** (sound creation).

The mentorships will take place from **October 2022 to June 2023** after a meeting with the chosen filmmaker and the invited creators.

REQUIREMENTS

The artistic residency is open to **women of any age, nationality and experience** who have an idea for a **feature film project at an early stage of development**. The documentation may be submitted in Basque, Spanish or English.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED

Send a **single pdf document** to **lacasallena.bilbao@gmail.com** with the following information and a maximum length of 30 pages (max 20MB).

- Presentation of the filmmaker and her previous works with links to viewings.
- Letter of interest in the artistic residency A Room of One's Own.
- Presentation of the project including a short synopsis, the filmmaker's need to make this film, the creative processes to be developed during the residency, a creative calendar from October 2022 to June 2023. Any relevant and important information that the creator considers to share in order for the selection team to understand the type of film proposed and its tone.

- The link to a video presentation of a maximum duration of five minutes with a description additional to the one provided in the written documentation about the author and the project.
- If available, a first version of a script or treatment may be submitted, although it will not be part of the documentation to be assessed by the selection team.

RESIDENCES

The course will be divided into **three blocks**.

1. The first will be research on the themes chosen by the creators.
2. The second block will aim to create a first or second version of a script or similar, depending on the needs of each project.
3. The third will be aimed at verifying the economic viability of the project and assessing strategies for finding production companies or collaborators for each project.

A committee of women with experience in the audiovisual sector will choose the filmmaker who will receive the financial support of 15,000 euros and the possibility of having a creative and living space in Bilbao, after assessing the required documentation.

SUMMARY

The artistic residency **A Room of One's Own** offers:

- A room in the centre of Bilbao for 9 months.
- 15,000€ to the chosen participant for the development of their feature film.
- Mentoring in directing, scriptwriting, production and sound, among others.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- Open call: 27 July 2022–15 September 2022 14pm.
- Dates of the artistic residency: 17 October 2022–16 June 2023.

For any questions you can contact us at the following e-mail:

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