



AVEIRO
STEAM CITY



2nd Edition

Criatech Residences

FAQs

Do I have to submit an idea?

Not necessarily. You can submit an idea for appreciation or participate in the development of ideas with other participants.

Can I apply as individual in a collective?

The application is individual.

I would like to know more about the artists who will host and mentoring the sessions.

The artists are Patrícia J. Reis (www.patriciajreis.com) and Mathieu Le Sord (<http://maotik.com/>)

How can I submit my application?

To submit your application send us an email to aveirotechcity@cm-aveiro.pt until **12th September 2021**, with the required information listed in the application pack.

I am not based in Aveiro region. Am I eligible to participate?

Yes, you are, however we won't be able to support your expenses.

I am interested in participate, however I don't have experience in arts.

No problem. We will evaluate the motivations of each participant, regardless work experience in creative, technical or digital areas. Our programme is multidisciplinary, therefore our goal is to promote creative and digital skills amongst the participants during the initiative with help from our mentors.

I currently work in arts field. Can I apply?

Yes, mentorships and training sessions are a great opportunity to recycle or knowledge and skills in arts and other areas.

How does the selection process works?

The selection of the final 20 participants of **Aveiro Criatech Artistic Residences** will be conducted by the 5 members of the jury in accordance to the criteria stated in the article 11 of regulations document.

What is the showcase at the end of each residence?

It's an opportunity to present the projects developed during the artistic residence to the members of the jury, to guest artists, to companies of Aveiro region and to the general public.

Which projects will be presented in the showcase?

All of the projects developed during the artistic residence with artistic and technical maturity will be presented. Projects can be developed individually or in group.

Which projects will be selected to take part of Criatech 2021?

Two projects will be selected having in mind article 14 of the regulations. Jury can either select none of the projects depending on the maturity and quality of the projects developed.

The 2 chosen projects will be presented in **Criatech 2021** (early October 2021) and win a prize money of 1400€ each.

What is the timeline of Aveiro Criatech Artistic Residences?

- a) 3rd of May to 12th of September – Applications period
- b) 13th September to 19th September 2021 – Applications assessment
- c) 20th September 2021 – Participants announcement
- d) 27th September to 2nd October – Criatech Artistic Residences programme:
 - 27th September 2021 | Briefing & Introduction + *Masterclass* Patrícia J. Reis
 - 28th September 2021 | *Masterclass* Mathieu Le Sord + Ideation
 - 29th September 2021 | Concepts creation + Mentorship + Projects development
 - 30th September 2021 | Projects development
 - 1st October 2021 | Projects development

- 2nd October 2021 | Projects development + Visualisation
- e) 11th to 16th October 2021 (date TBC) – Exhibition of the projects develop at the artistic residences.

What kind of equipment is available to develop the project?

Some technical equipment for light, sound and video will be at your disposal, nevertheless, each participant must bring his personal laptop and specific materials or interfaces essential to the development of the project.

The organisation pays travels and accommodation expenses?

Unfortunately, we don't cover any costs, apart from lunch during the residency.

Do I have access to a workplace to work extra hours during the residence?

Yes. We will be able to provide a workplace in our facilities upon request.

Can I get in contact with trainers and artists prior to the residence?

Yes, you can get in touch via email or Skype, however you need to make an appointment first.

I would like to know more about this initiative.

You can have access to all the information and programme's rules in our website

www.aveirotechcity.pt