

Artist Vacancy, Steering Group, January 2025 | CVAN South East

Introduction

CVAN South East seeks an artist to join our Steering Group to provide insight on issues affecting artists in the region and ensure that artists' voices are incorporated into the direction and oversight of the network's activity.

Specifications

The artist's voice is a vital part of our governing structure. A minimum of two places are reserved for artists on the Steering Group. There are four Steering Group meetings per year. Members serve a tenure of two years. Meetings currently take place online.

The requirements for the role are:

- An active critically-engaged art practice
- Wide-reaching professional connections in the South East and personal networks in the visual arts
- The ability to contribute a fresh independent voice informed by direct experience
- Knowledge of the visual arts ecology in the region

Expenses

Independent Steering Group members may claim reasonable travel expenses, and a loss of earnings allowance of £30 per hour, to attend meetings.

Application

If you are interested in joining this group and feel that you are suitable for the role, then we would really like to hear from you. Please apply by emailing a short bio and statement (each approx. 200 words), explaining why you are interested in being involved to Oliver Sumner at:

oliver.sumner@modernartoxford.org.uk by noon on Tuesday 15th April 2025

Please also contact this address if you have any queries.

About CVAN South East

CVAN South East is a network of organisations across the visual arts sector in the South East region of England. It aims to be an effective network for the sector in this region by working in partnership on strategic projects and programmes, and by sharing learning and information to maximise expertise and creative thinking.

The network is concerned with developing critically engaged art practice. Beyond the membership it is dedicated to promoting a visual arts ecology that thrives on the interdependence of many stakeholders, including artists and art professionals, local government, higher education, not-for-profit and commercial sectors.

The current partners in the network are Art Classes Group, Aspex Gallery, Blast Theory, Cement Fields, Colonnade House, Creative Folkestone, Creative Future, De La Warr Pavilion, Devonshire Collective, Disability Arts Online, Fabrica, Future Foundry, Hastings Contemporary, Jelly, John Hansard Gallery, The Lightbox, Lighthouse, Milton Keynes Arts Centre, Milton Keynes Gallery, Modern Art Oxford, Newhaven Art Projects, New House, Open School East, Outside In, OVADA, Pallant House Gallery, Phoenix Art Space, Photoworks, Project Art Works, Reading International, Surrey Hills Arts, Towner Eastbourne, Turner Contemporary, Videoclub and Watts Gallery - Artists' Village.

CVAN South East is one of the nine regional networks in England that make up CVAN (the Contemporary Visual Arts Network). The network is supported by Arts Council England.

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