

DANCE RESEARCH NRW # 16 Bochum (english)

PERIOD: August – November 2015

HOST: Bochum (Pottporus e.V./Renegade & Schauspielhaus Bochum)

Informations for applicants:

1. Dance Research NRW is not a production-fund. The program intends to support profound research in relation to dance and performance.
2. Applicants: choreographers, dancers or performers may apply for research projects. Applicants should have established an individual artistic signature and be able to communicate their intend and its interest.
3. Participants: one or two persons can participate in the research project in Bochum.
4. The thematic focus : The **Dance Research NRW #16 in Bochum** invites to deal with the urban forms of expression and to investigate movement in an urban environment. Which environment and which connections does urban contemporary art require to become effective in the city? Where can urbanity locate and how much movement does it require? And where does the city move?
5. Communication: Participants should have substantial German or English language skills.
6. Accommodation: a rent-free accommodation in Bochum is available from August till November 2015 for maximum 12 weeks and for one or 2 persons.
7. Mentoring and moderation: personal support will be granted in Bochum. The NRW KULTUR-sekretariat (represented by jury members and the project management) will offer organisational help and mentoring.
8. Grants: € 1500 per person per month will be granted.
9. Material and travel cost subsidies: material and travel costs needed for the accomplishment of the research can be reimbursed up to € 1500 per research project based on giving prior notice and the actual expenditures.
10. Rent subsidies: under specific circumstances participants can receive rent subsidies for their own apartment.
11. Research information should include: the research duration (6-12 weeks), the preferred time period (between August and November 2015), the title, a detailed description, as well as the goals, methodologies and the approach to the project.
Please note that your text cannot be longer than the respective field.
12. not obligatory project information: we would like you to write a summary of the production or the project that is eventually linked to the research. Please, also write a list of any further significant project dates as well as any potential cooperation partners. Further, please submit an outline of the financial costs.
13. The results of the research will be presented at an official event at the end of the residency.
14. Please submit in attachment to your email: a significant CV // a photo of the participant(s) // References and press clippings.
15. You can submit your application via Email until February 15th, 2015.

16. The jury meeting is scheduled for April 10th, 2015. The result will be announced afterwards.

PLEASE NOTE: Only applications on the fully filled out application form provided will be accepted.

Note to complete and save the PDF application form:

- PC Users can complete and save forms with the latest version of Acrobat Reader (currently 11).

- MAC Users may need an app from the AppStore to save the form at the end of the completion. In a test we had good results with SamucoPDF ©.