

OPEN CALL

TO THE EXHIBITION

„SPACE IS THE CASE“

BACKGROUND

Space is the Case is the title of the 2023 annual program of the GEH8 art and culture center. Under this motto, we ask about the significance of space in relation to social participation. Our underlying thesis is: No space no place. Because only the availability of space enables self-development and participation. We consider the preservation and strengthening of participation to be essential for social cohesion and the identification of the individual in the social fabric.

EVENT

From **29.04. - 04.06.2023**, in line with its annual theme, GEH8 is organizing an exhibition project entitled **„SPACE IS THE CASE“**.

For the group exhibition, GEH8 is looking for artistic positions that deal with the theme of space in the broadest sense. We are looking for artistic positions that deal in their work with creating new spatial narratives, opening up spaces and connecting separate ones, building imaginary into real and real into imaginary spaces and thus creating links between reality and possibility.

In short, we are interested in artistic works and projects that negotiate given space in an exploratory and experimental manner, provide or transform space or have a positive transformative effect on the urban context, and last but not least, activities and projects that speculatively project fictional spaces and new narratives.

Participation is especially encouraged for artists who work with other disciplines in a researching or practically intervening and cross-genre way.

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APPLICATION FORMS

A maximum of **3 works** (unique pieces/series/concepts) can be submitted.
The following documents are required:

- 1) Curriculum vitae in tabular form, max. 1 DIN A4 page [pdf]
- 2) Images of the works [JPEG, 300 DPI] or expressive concepts for artistic works
- 3) Artist Statement, max. 400 characters [pdf]
- 4) participation form

The documents are to be bundled in a folder and sent as a downloadable link to **kunstraum@geh8.de**.

DATES

The deadline for entries is **February 26, 2023**. Selected artists will be informed by mail in **March 2023** and invited to the exhibition.

All further information about the time schedule will follow.

TERMS OF PARTICIPATION

1. GENERAL

The Open Call is open to all artists residing in Europe. All artistic disciplines are allowed.

Participation in the exhibition includes an expense allowance per artist or group, from which, among other things, travel/accommodation costs can be financed. There is the possibility to ask for overnight accommodations in the circle of GEH8.

2. RIGHTS

The submitter is responsible for clarifying any necessary rights for the use of the works in the context of the exhibition. He/she declares that he/she is authorized to allow GEH8 to use the works and that they do not violate the rights of third parties (e.g. copyrights, personal rights, trademark rights) and, in particular, that the rights to any third-party material used (music, film, photos, texts, etc.) have been clarified for use. In this respect, the submitter indemnifies GEH8 from all claims of third parties due to a use within the exhibition and documentation. This also includes the necessary and reasonable costs of a legal defense. There is no insurance coverage for the exhibited works. The exhibition will be supervised during opening hours.

3. DATA PROTECTION

The protection and security of personal data is a high priority for us. Therefore, we strictly adhere to the rules of the current EU General Data Protection Regulation [DSGVO]. We use the collected data exclusively in the context of the exhibition and its documentation.

The entrant agrees to the processing of the data and storage of his/her personal data (only for the purpose) of the application and possible participation in the exhibition.

PARTICIPATION FORM
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NAME, FIRST NAME

E-MAIL / PHONE

WEBSITE

INSTAGRAMACCOUNT

1st WORK

TITLE / YEAR

MATERIAL / DIMENSIONS

CONTENT DESCRIPTION

(max. 400 characters including spaces)

2nd WORK

TITLE / YEAR

MATERIAL / DIMENSIONS

CONTENT DESCRIPTION

(max. 400 characters including spaces)

3rd WORK

TITLE / YEAR

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CONTENT DESCRIPTION

(max. 400 characters including spaces)
