

#### **Dutch Design Month**

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# **Designer In Residence**

The Dutch Design Month plans to invite international designers to Rotterdam from 1 till 24 december as parts of its Designer in Residence programme.

### **Programme**

The Designers in Residence programme is a core part of the Dutch Design Month's activity, and exists to provide established designers, across any discipline, with time and space away from their regular environment to reflect, research and consider new ways of developing their practice.

### Conditions,

The programme is directed towards international designers of at least 50 years with proven track record in one of the four themes of the Dutch Design Month:

- Object and Industrial
- Media, Graphic and Interactive
- Architecture, Interior and Urban
- Human, Fashion and Food

Language skills in Dutch, Italian, German or English are required.

## Designer in Residence benefits,

This year, a residence is made available for each area and designers will be able to use a dedicated studio to create their works. Visitors will be able to see the designers during the week twice a day at work and interact with them during those allocated times slots. Once each designer has completed their residency of 24 days, they will collectively form a showcase of their work in House Of Craziness!

This opportunity will provide designers the time and space to focus and develop a project independently, with the help of the Dutch Design Month and its network of established practitioners. Moreover the Dutch Design Month aims to empower the selected designers, creating an infrastructure that balances support with self-sufficiency, enabling them to thrive in their own creative practices. Support within design, could be structural, spatial or social, from co-design, to service design, support is about a thorough understanding of the audience or user. The multi-disciplinary platform will unite designers by exploring topics of shared interest that relate to the theme.

In addition, each residence holder will receive 250 euro's to cover the travel costs. A special allowance can be made available for material costs. The results of the residence will be presented at a group showcase at the final weekend of Dutch Design Month on 22, 23 and 24 december.



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### Application,

Please send applications by post to:
Dutch Design Month
»Designer in Residence«
Haringvliet 401
NL 3011 ZP, Rotterdam
Netherlands

Applicants may make a maximum of three application attempts. After a residence has been granted a further application is not permitted. There are no registration fees. The deadline for applications is Friday November 1, 2019. The date of postmark is authoritative.

Confirmation of a residence will be made mid-November 2019. We recommend that residence holders take out insurance at their own cost for dispatch. During their stay the work which is submitted to the exhibition will be insured against loss and damage.

### Documents,

Applicants have to submit the following documents:

- Curriculum vitae including details of previous grants, awards, prizes
- Proof of final degree
- Work samples: products / models for viewing, photographs or other picture material of the design work (folder, catalogue)
- Description of the project idea / item to be designed in the residence period (in writing and/or with sketches)
- The application can be made in Dutch, German, Italian or English. After the selection process has been concluded the documents of the applicants not considered will be returned to the applicants. On request products / models will be returned at the applicant's expense.

## Jury ,

Erik Van Loon, director of the Dutch Design Month

- ...., architect
- ..., object
- ...., textile designer
- ...., graphic designer

The decision to award the residence will be made by the whole jury. There is no legal right to a residence. The applicants will be advised in writing of the respective decision, whereby the grounds for the decision will not be explained.



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# **Application for Designer in Residence**

The documents must be received by November 1, 2019

Name,	first name ,
Place of birth,	Date of birth,
Street and House number	Zipcode and City
Country,	Phone
Email	Website
Completed studies (university, subject, year of completion	n)
Residence	
(Only one choice possible)	
Object and Industrial	Architecture, Interior and Landscape
Media, Graphic and Interactive	Human, Fashion and Food
Statement of participation	<u> </u>
I am the author of the submitted work. I accept the co	onditions of the application.
Date	
	Signature