

FAQ

- **I'd like to send an inquiry.**

Please contact us via email (see "Contact" on the Application Guideline). We do not accept inquiries through our social media channels.

- **How do I apply?**

Please read our application guideline on the Fukuoka Asian Art Museum website (<https://faam.city.fukuoka.lg.jp/en/residence/requirement/>) carefully, fill in the application forms per requested format, and upload each file on the Google form.

- **Can I apply as a member of a group/collective AND as an individual artist separately?**

Yes, applicants may apply as a group/collective and as an individual artist separately.

- **We are applying as a group/collective. Should each of us submit our previous works and recommendation letter?**

Please select your previous works (whether collective or individual piece), so that you can write them in one format. However, total number of works and their images should not exceed the designated number (5 works/10 images). One recommendation letter will suffice the application as a group/collective.

- **I am not sure if my application was successful.**

After submitting your application on the Google form, you will receive an automatic notification (with your form answers) that confirms your application is well received. If you did not receive any notification, please contact us by email or kindly check your junk mail box.

- **I would like to modify my forms/ I forgot to attach something. Can I apply again?**

Each applicant can apply only one time. If you would like to modify your forms or make an additional submission, please contact us by email. Modification and re-submission will not be accepted after the deadline.

- **I still haven't got a response to my inquiry.**

We may take some time for internal confirmation as we receive many inquiries during the open call. If you did not get a reply for more than seven days, please contact us again. We sincerely appreciate your understanding and patience.

• I could not submit my application before the deadline because of unexpected circumstances (e.g. lack of a document, illness, poor network connection, technical issues). Can I still apply?

We kindly ask your understanding that applications submitted after the deadline will not be accepted under any circumstances. If you are applying from countries/regions outside Japan, please note that the deadline is scheduled in Japan time (GMT+9).

• I'd like to stay for shorter days than the specified invitation period (e.g. 30 days).

You are eligible to apply, however, those who are available to stay for the whole term will be preferred for selection. Dates of invitation are to be finalized after the selection.

• I work in the field of theatrical art/performance/sound/ceramics. Am I eligible to apply?

Yes. However, please note that we may not be able to provide specific equipment or facilities such as audio devices or ceramic kilns. Additional devices and facilities may be considered for purchase or rental upon consultation with the museum and within the budget regulations for each invited artist.

• I'd like to use the facility and equipment available at the Kyushu University or Kyushu Sangyo University.

Use of facilities and equipment at the partnering university shall be temporary and be discussed after the selection. Invited artists are expected to work primarily in the studio located in Artist Cafe Fukuoka.