

# **CIRCOLO SCANDINAVO IN ROME**

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES

*Residencies between September 1 2010 – July 31 2011*

### **Who can apply?**

Professional creative artists working in genres such as visual arts, literature, music, theatre and film.

In special circumstances arts workers (film practitioners, translators, photographers, dancers, curators, musicians, actors etc.) may be considered.

### **Duration of residencies**

Residencies are normally of 2 months duration, but with the possibility of shorter or longer stays.

### **Accommodation combined with studio**

The centrally located 15th-century building has five one-room studio apartments available: four studios of 20 m<sup>2</sup>, 26 m<sup>2</sup>, 27 m<sup>2</sup> and 32 m<sup>2</sup> respectively, and a smaller studio apartment of 11 m<sup>2</sup>. The studios have good natural light, high ceilings (3.5 m), separate bathroom, fast internet access (ADSL) and are equipped for basic work processes; please see extra facilities below! Shared facilities: kitchen, dining room, library, terrace, washing machine and telephone. The following technical equipment is available: projector EPSON EM-62, Behringer Mixer XENYS 502 (Premium 5 input, 2 bus mixer), 2 dB loudspeakers K70, a television and a DVD/VHS player.

### **Extra facilities**

Musicians have priority regarding use of the separate studio with piano (J. P. Löfberg, 7 octaves). A separate 8.5 m<sup>2</sup> studio for visual artists is available. There is no proper studio for visual artists.

### **Grants**

Grants to cover rent and other costs related to a residency are available for some nationalities and professions. Please see **Grant Guidelines**.

### **Rent**

Monthly rent: large studio apartment €470; small studio apartment €370. Supplement for accompanying guest: €20 per night for the first week; thereafter €10 per night. Due to the size of the artists' residence, we can only accommodate one person in the single room and two people per double room; unfortunately, we cannot accommodate children under the age of 14. No pets.

### **Application form**

Application form is obligatory.

Due to administrative procedures, applicants are kindly requested to fill in the application form in Danish, Swedish, Norwegian or English.

### **State your motivation for applying for residency**

The nature of the work that the artist wishes to undertake must be stated on the application form (work proposal, research etc.). A more detailed description may be enclosed (max. 1 A4 page).

The applicant is requested to provide information about: any special technical requirements; specific expectations as regards, for example, meeting/dialogue with Italian arts and cultural life; degree of proficiency, if any, in the Italian language; any arrangements already made for the public presentation of the result of the applicant's residency – a concert, exhibition or book publication, for example.

### **Enclosures**

NB The application form gives a list of obligatory enclosures for the applicant's particular artistic profession. The following documents should not exceed one page of A4 each: CV, list of works. The quantity of any further enclosures – for example, images, catalogues, books, CDs, scores, DVDs etc – should fit into an A4 envelope. **NB: enclosures will not be returned to the applicant!**

### **Selection procedure**

Applications are forwarded to the relevant national artists' organisations, after which an inter-Nordic committee makes the final selection (members of the selection committee: professional artists on the board of governors and the director of Circolo Scandinavo).

**Final application date for residencies during the period September 1 2010 - July 31 2011: April 1 2010.**

Notification of application results will be sent out June 2010.

Applications can be sent by post to:

*Skandinavisk Forenings Kunstnerhus / Circolo Scandinavo per Artisti e Scienziati*

*Via della Lungara, 231*

*IT-00165 Rome*

*Italy*

For applications sent by post: the date of the postmark is the valid date of application. Applications sent by email: attachments not to exceed 2 MB. Applicants are welcome to refer to a website address to be consulted.

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