**APPLICATION FORM**

*Guidance notes:*

1. *Please save the completed application form in PDF format.*
2. *All* ***additional materials*** *should be in one separate single PDF format document, rather than separate files (see the paragraph 6). Both PDFs should be sent in one email.*
3. *Please use image files that are high quality but small in size (less than 250KB each is preferable).*
4. *Please do not change the formatting of the application form and do not exceed the word count.*
5. ***About You***

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| Last name: |  |
| Date of birth: |  |
| Place of birth: |  |
| Nationality: |  |
| Address: |  |
| Telephone no.: |  |
| Email address: |  |
| Website address: |  |
| Current employer (if relevant): |  |

1. ***About your work***

Please write a statement describing your practice and include what interests and inspires you, as well as your significant past, present or on-going projects. *(maximum: 500 words)*

1. ***Motivation***

**How will this residency benefit you?** Please include in your answer: (a) how this experience may benefit you and your practice at this stage of your career, (b) how you would use your time in Liverpool at Bluecoat and (c) how you plan to share your experience with your peers and/or audiences when you return. Your proposal does not have to be definitive and can change during the course of the residency.

If you have visited the UK before, please also explain how this opportunity will be different from your previous experience(s), whether this was visiting, living, studying, exhibiting, or taking part in an event *(maximum: 500 words)*

1. **Have you taken part in an international residency programme before?** If not, please go to the next question. If yes, please use the space below to tell us about the programme(s) that you have taken part in and how you hope this residency will add to your previous residency experience(s). *(maximum: 200 words)*

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**5. Additional Material**

With this application form, please submit the following additional materials with your application form as a **separate single pdf**:

* A CV detailing recent solo and group exhibitions, workshops and residencies
* Any relevant documentation (e.g. articles or papers about work, exhibitions, publications, etc)
* Images – please submit at least 10 good quality images of your recent work. The images should include captions or short descriptions.
* Videos/films - we recommend providing links to your own website, *Vimeo* page, *youtube* page, etc. Please do not send video files. Relevant links to videos:

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**Please send all materials in one email only and reduce the size of your files accordingly. No email should exceed 10MB.**

**Please send all documents in PDF format and using your own name, please label your files: Lastname\_Firstname\_Application and Lastname\_Firstname\_Materials.**

**Submission address:**

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**Deadline for applications: September 20th, 2019**