



Riverside Arts Strategy Consultant

Job title: Consultant

Salary: £2,700 flat fee – please note this fee will change if the successful candidate does not have self-employed status

Based at: Impact Arts Glasgow

Travel: You will be expected to cover travel costs as part of the overall fee

Reporting to: Head of Delivery

Duration of contract: Deadline for final report is the 17th of May 2019

Working Hours: Desk space will be available at Impact Arts during office hours, it is expected the consultant will also have to work out with this time to lead on community consultations.

Experience: Minimum of two years experience delivering consultation work preferable linked to Arts Development/Strategy

Other Essentials: Competent IT skills including MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Outlook

Subject to PVG check.

To apply:

Please send an up to date CV along with a statement on how you will meet the outcomes laid out in the brief (no longer than two sides of A4 paper). Please include two referees relevant to the application who we can contact.

All completed applications should be sent to jobs@impactarts.co.uk for **Monday the 18th of March** by 12pm

Interviews:

w/c 25th March 2019 **Expected Start Date:** 1st of April 2019



Purpose

Overview:

Impact Arts are working with McTaggart Construction and the Link Group to create an Arts Strategy for their new Riverside Dalmarnock Development in East End of Glasgow.

The 22-acre site, formerly occupied by Dalmarnock Power Station, has been vacant since 1980 until it was acquired by Link Group in 2015. Since then Link Group and Laurel Homes have developed Riverside Dalmarnock, an initiative to create a tenure neutral designed development of flats and houses.

The Riverside Dalmarnock development is situated adjacent to the neighbouring Commonwealth Games Village, meets key strategic priorities that are outlined in the Council's Local Housing Strategy including promoting regeneration and enabling investment in the delivery of energy efficient new build homes across all tenures.

Impact Arts have been delivering a series of community consultation projects over the past 7 months, engaging children and young people across Glasgow's East End to develop evidence for key themes to flow through the 5 year Art Strategy for the development.

<https://www.impactarts.co.uk/news/blog/creative-pathways-glasgow-in-the-home-straight-of-sculpture-project/>

<https://www.impactarts.co.uk/news/blog/creative-pathways-riverside-development-project-showcase/>

Purpose of the Strategy:

- Create a unique project wide identity that expresses the importance of the Riverside Development
- Celebrate the Dalmarnock Communities relationship with the River
- Engage and inspire diverse audiences locally, City wide and Nationally
- Collaborate with new and existing communities and promote participation throughout
- Enhance public spaces
- Place community at the heart of the programme
- Commission a broad range of programmes to engage the widest possible audience
- Create a lasting Legacy for existing and new Riverside residents



Key Tasks:

The successful consultant will be responsible for bringing together the existing research and evidence, together with new findings to support the creation of the 5 Year Art Strategy. Key tasks will include:

- Review of existing evidence - April 19
- Review of arts activity across Dalmarnock and the East End – April 19
- Local Network mapping - April 19
- Review of Funding and Local Resources – April 19
- Desktop Research on Creative Content – April 19
- 1-2-1 consultation meetings with key community connectors - April 19
- Delivery of one Community Open Day that brings together children, young people, families, the wider community and other stakeholders within the Dalmarnock/Glasgow East End area. – April/May 19
- Feeding research into Impact Arts' creation of final 5 year Arts Strategy which will include – Vision and Thematic Overview, detailed 5 year Delivery plan, artists briefs, community connection plan and Funding Matrix. – 17th of May 19

The Team:

The consultant will be supporting the Head of Delivery, Natalie McFadyen White who leads on all creative consultation and Arts Masterplanning within the organisation and who will be overseeing the creation of the final Strategy

Additional support will be provided by our Development staff, West Coast Programme Management and Co-ordination Teams.

Technical Skills and Knowledge

2 Years experience of engaging with communities and delivering consultation work

Experience of community mapping and networking

Understanding of community regeneration, public art and participatory/community arts

Excellent written and verbal communication skills

Competent IT skills including MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Outlook



Personal Skills and Qualities

Excellent interpersonal skills

Ability to develop good working relationships

Approachable and empathetic manner

Energy and commitment

Excellent communication skills

Excellent self management, organisational and planning skills

Good time management skills and ability to meet deadlines

Self motivated and able to work on own initiative, analysing and solving problems

Strong team player, allowing everyone to play to strengths

Please note the successful candidate will be subject to a full PVG check