



110 Scott Street  
Newcastle East

## June 2021 to June 2022 Exhibition Proposals

Easel Art Space in association with Cstudios Art Gallery are now accepting Expressions of Interest for our Exhibition Program between June 2021 and June 2022. Proposals need to be submitted by 5:00 pm on 30 April 2021 to 21 May 2021.

Proposals must be submitted using this [form](#).

### The Easel Art Space Exhibition Program aims to:

- Provide high-quality, diverse arts experiences for local and online audiences
- Assist artists to profile and explore new work
- Support artists to engage and collaborate with their audience both local and online
- Facilitate learning and discussion about issues relevant to the audience both local and online.

### Exhibition Proposals are considered against the following criteria:

- Suitability - the exhibition is suitable for the intended purpose of Easel Art Space
- Committed Practice - the artist/s can demonstrate a prior exhibition record, and/ or can demonstrate prior commitment to their arts practice
- Concept - the concept or key thematic idea for the exhibition is clear, well considered and innovative
- Relevance - the proposed exhibition is relevant to current themes or issues and/or connects with Australia Council for the Arts and Create NSW strategies and goals.
- Connection – the proposed exhibition has a considered meaningful audience engagement activity as part of the proposal. That is, the group/artist are offering other engagement activity such as: workshops; artist talks; performing arts that are complimentary to the exhibition; and/or, any other meaningful engagement that has the potential to attract a wide audience including non-regular gallery goers.

## The Opportunity

There are many talented artists, curators and groups wanting to share their work and ideas. Easel Art Space is prepared support this by providing exhibition space, curation support and marketing.

We are currently seeking proposals from artists, groups and curators who would be interested in exhibiting their work in Easel Art Space between June 2021 and June 2022.

If this is something you want to be considered for you will need to complete the [proposal form](#) in as much detail as possible. Supporting images/ artist CV's/ floor plans will help your proposal immensely.

## The Space

Please look carefully at the [space specifications](#) and/or visit the space in person.

You will need to let us know if you can fill the space OR if you would like to be considered as an artist in a group exhibition. Think about the ways in which your work / proposal can best realise and compliment the potential of the space and any additional infrastructure and resources.

## Rationale/ Theme

In your proposal provide a rationale/ theme for your work.

## What we provide

- A site plan of the space, basic equipment for hanging and display
- 1-2 days (business hours only) for installation, with support
- 1 day for de-installation
- Promotion of the exhibition and associated events on the art space website, social media and our international website Trim Art along with other appropriate sites
- An opening event with beverages for sale
- A sales outlet at the space and extensively online.
- Gallery opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday and by appointment outside these business hours

Tuesday 11.00 to 3.00pm

Wednesday 11.00 to 3.00pm

Thursday 11.00 to 3.00pm

Friday 4.00 to 8.00pm

Saturday 12.00 to 6.00pm

Sunday 11.00 to 3.00pm

## **Please note**

- Completion of the application form doesn't guarantee that your request will be approved.
- Applications will be evaluated against the Exhibition criteria by our Exhibition Team.
- The Exhibition Team will select applications that best meet the Exhibition Programming Guidelines and offer our annual program a balanced representation of local community groups/artists alongside visiting and touring exhibitions/artists.
- Easel Art Space asks a fee to submit works in a group show or the show pays for hire of wall space.
- If a Not-for-Profit Community organisation we will negotiate separate hiring options with you.
- Easel Art Space retains a 35% commission on all works sold.