

## DR. SUN YAT-SEN CLASSICAL CHINESE GARDEN ARTIST-IN-RESIDENCE APPLICATION

Applications must be submitted at least 18 months in advance. Successful candidates will be selected by an evaluation committee and approved by the Executive Director of the Garden.

Our Artist in Residence program is currently set until the end of 2022. We are now accepting applications for the first residency term in 2023. To apply, please send the following materials to [communications@vancouverchinesegarden.com](mailto:communications@vancouverchinesegarden.com) with the subject heading Artist In Residency Application

- Resume
- Portfolio
- Cover letter
- Exhibition Proposal, including topics and requested exhibition locations

### Residency Guidelines

- Prospective applicants must have previous exhibition and/or curatorial experience, and an existing portfolio/body of work to submit for review by the evaluation committee.
- A working contract between the Garden and the Artist must be signed before the start of the residency term.
- The Garden is an important cultural heritage site and care must be taken to avoid damage. In case of damages sustained as a result of the exhibition, the Artist will be responsible for the full cost of repair.
- The Artist is responsible for organizing the curation and set up of the exhibition (including the transport of all artwork to the exhibition site), as well as the printing, copy, and design of any exhibition promotional materials (posters, flyers etc.), though these are subject to the approval of the Garden.
- The opening reception for each exhibition will be jointly organized by the Artist and the Garden.
- The working language of the Artist in Residence program is English, and will be used in all correspondence, including emails, documents, and all promotional materials (posters, flyers, etc.) If the Artist is not fluent in English, it is their responsibility to organize translation services.
- The Artist must obey all rules and regulations of the Garden, respect all staff, and be cooperative with the Program Manager.

- If the Artist breaches contract, or does not comply with the regulations of the Garden, the Garden reserves the right to terminate the residency before full completion of the term duration.