



Eirian Llwyd Memorial Award 2018-19

Guidelines

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Applications for funding are made online, but we remain committed to being accessible and to offering application processes that are open to everyone. So if you're unable to use our online process, please get in touch. We'll work with you to find other ways for you to apply that are more suited to your specific needs.

So as you work through these Help Notes please remember that whenever we talk about our online system it'll be possible for you to provide that information in another way.

We can also make arrangements to support applicants whose first language is not English or Welsh.

The Eirian Llwyd Memorial Award

1. What is the aim of this Award?

Eirian Llwyd was a distinguished printmaker and founder of Y Lle Print Gwreiddiol. She inaugurated a Memorial Trust, established in her name to provide financial awards for new and upcoming Welsh or Wales-based artists who specialise in the medium of printmaking. With this support, we are delighted to offer the award to one artist on an annual basis, receiving up to £2,500 for one year.

Gallery Curators and Print Centres in Wales have the opportunity to nominate an artist whom they feel would benefit the most from this unique opportunity and who has shown outstanding dedication and creative talent in their field of printmaking.

2. What will the Award pay for?

The award money is intended to enable the artist to develop and continue their printmaking practice, for example; purchasing printmaking equipment, a solo show, a residency in printmaking, or mentoring by a Master Printmaker.

3. Who is eligible to submit a nomination?

A curator of a gallery in Wales or a Print Centre in Wales which offers memberships and provides printmaking facilities for artists in Wales. A Gallery or Print Centre can nominate up to two artists for consideration for the award.

4. What are the eligibility criteria?

The nominated artist must:

- Be a Welsh or Wales based artist
- Be establishing their practice in printmaking or an artist who has begun experimenting within printmaking
- Demonstrate their commitment to continuing their practice in Wales.

5. What are the assessment criteria?

The assessment criteria are:

- Evidence that the artist shows outstanding creative talent in their related field of arts practice
- How the artist has shown dedication towards the medium of printmaking during their current practice
- How the artist has demonstrated their commitment to continuing their practice in Wales.

6. How will decisions be made?

The decision will be made by early December 2018 by a selection panel consisting of the Arts Council of Wales' Portfolio Manager for Visual and Applied Arts, a Development Officer and a National Adviser with expertise in Visual Arts, which includes printmaking. The nominator and successful artist will then be notified.

7. Nomination material

In addition to the nomination form, you will be required to provide documentation of the artist's work which includes the following:

- The artist's Curriculum Vitae (CV) and Artist Statement
- 6 8 images of recent work.

8. Recipient responsibilities following the award

Twelve months after receipt of the award, the recipient will be expected to produce a short evaluation report of their development throughout the year and explain how they spent the award money.

9. How to apply – and when is the deadline?

Visit www.arts.wales/apply and at Eirian Llwyd Memorial Award click the How to Apply button.

If this is your first online application you'll need to create an account. Click on the **Cyfrif Newydd / New Account** link to register your email address and password. These will be your login details. Once you've registered you'll be taken to your application form.

The application deadline will be at 5.00pm on Friday 2 November 2018.

10. Where should I go for advice?

Our Information Officers can help you with your nomination.

You can contact us:

- by phone from 9.00am to 5.00pm, Monday to Friday on 0845 873 4900
- by email to <u>information@arts.w</u>ales.

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