

Studio available in Bonner Kunstverein's Atelierhaus

Situated in the city's Altstadt, the Bonner Kunstverein Atelierhaus comprises eight artist studios. The workspaces are available to young artists for up to 30 months. Priority is given to artists living in Bonn and the surrounding area.

Artists in the Atelierhaus automatically gain membership to the Kunstverein and are a core part of the institution's community. Together with support from the Kunstverein the Atelierhaus hosts an annual open studio event with an accompanying publication. Artists from the Atelierhaus are also invited to contribute to the Kunstverein's Jahregaben and the programme for the Jahregaben weekend in December. The Kunstverein is also seeking to develop and extend its programme for studio holders in the coming years and applicants are warmly invited to work with the institution to promote exchange between artists and institutions in the region.

Two studios are available for young artists, who have already completed their undergraduate studies or have equivalent, proven experience as a professional artist:

Atelier 5: approx. 60 sqm, Rent: 231 € / month (subsidised by the city of Bonn) + additional costs
Available 1 February 2020 (possibly 1 January 2020)

Please send your application (with a note on which studio you prefer) by email by 24 November to Cennet Maggiarosa, c.maggiarosa@bonner-kunstverein.de

For further information or to arrange a viewing appointment please contact: c.maggiarosa@bonner-kunstverein.de

1. Notes for Applicants:

The studio house is located at the rear side of Dorotheenstr. 99 in 53111 Bonn. The two-storied building complex includes an atrium with an open glass roof. Each studio has its own entrance from the atrium, a water connection with a sink (under the kitchen sink, a water heater), sufficient power connections (separate meters) and is connected to the bell system of the door to the atrium. The sanitary facilities (two toilets and a shower) are centrally accessible on the ground floor. Walls and ceilings have a base paint, the floors are simple screed. All rooms are connected to the central heating. The property is owned by Mr. Alfons Aigner - Hotel Aigner, Dorotheenstr. 12. The parking in the yard, between the front house and the studios, is used for his hotel.

2. Terms of Use

The rent includes a subsidy provided by the City of Bonn. Since the subsidy is subject to the general conditions of the Kunstverein's annual funding, a corresponding provisional clause is included in the leases. Charges including running costs (heating, electricity, water) are charged separately and payable 2 monthly directly to the owner. Use of the studios for residential purposes and subletting is strictly prohibited. The use of the shared atrium is subject to the mutual agreement of

the other resident artists and the landlord. There is no parking on the property.

3. Principles of awarding the Ateliers

Applications are reviewed by a committee who makes recommendations to the Kunstverein's board of trustees. The Commission comprises:

- the Director of the Bonner Kunstverein
- a member of the Kunstverein's Board of Trustees
- an artist from the Atelierhaus
- a curator from the Kunstmuseum Bonn

Applicants are asked to demonstrate:

- Several years of work as an artist and / or an appropriate professional training,
- Active participation in exhibitions and the cultural scene
- Verification on working as an artist primarily
- Willingness to participate in events such as open studios as well as dialogue between artists and the public
- An interest in the Kunstverein's programme and support for its activities in general.

The decision of the board is final. Previous applicants are welcome to reapply.

4. Deadline

The deadline for submitting applications is 24 November, 2020. The jury will be held in the following week. Applicants will be informed shortly after.