

RESEARCH COOPERATIVE CALL FOR APPLICATIONS RESEARCHER 2024

Created in 2012, the ESACM Research Cooperative is part of the 3rd cycle art research program offered by French art schools since 2010. The Cooperative is a working and experimental space where researchers deploy, create and share their practices, methods and tools in contact with students, teachers and all the ESACM teams.

The Cooperative currently brings together researchers and projects based on affects and situated experiences, which attempt to make minoritarian knowledge and experiences visible, to bring together embodied, transdisciplinary and non-hegemonic practices.

For the year 2024, the Research Cooperative is recruiting two researchers whose practices are rooted in this approach.

TEMPORALITIES

From 2024 onwards, working hours at the Research Cooperative will be based on the calendar year.

It is divided into two blocks of 5 months, from January to June and from September to December.

At the Cooperative, researchers are required to be present for a minimum of one week per month. This time may vary and be adapted according to the articulation of individual and collective research activities. On-site exchanges and sharing are strongly encouraged, as they enable researchers to gain a better understanding of each other's work, facilitate the start-up of their research, and contribute to the collegial functioning of the Cooperative.

Successful candidates will be hired for one year, at the end of which they will be able to :

- Engage themselves in a Higher Diploma of Research in Art (3rd cycle),
- Continue their research without the aim of a diploma,
- Stop their research at the ESACM.



ELIGIBILITY

(No degree required, no age limit, French or English language required).

This transdisciplinary call for applications is open to people working in the fields of visual and plastic arts, performing arts, dance, music, sound engineering, literature, poetry, humanities, social and political sciences, art history, therapeutic practices, laughter... regardless of discipline, medium or practice, who are fully engaged in research and wish to carry out or continue a research project.

TO APPLY

The application file must be written in French or English and sent as a single file in PDF format (files sent by post will not be examined).

The application must include :

- A free proposal, which can take the form of writing, images, drawings, sound, film... (in the form of links appearing in the PDF) presenting the research project envisaged and how it fits in with the Cooperative (written: 1 to 2 pages max - sound/video: 4 min max).
- Documentation of work (portfolio of 10 pages max. or links to sites, platforms or any other media enabling the work to be appreciated).
- A curriculum vitae (2 pages max).

Applications should be sent to the following address :
cooperative@esacm.fr

Deadline for receipt : **15 of November 2023**

For any further information, please contact : **cooperative@esacm.fr**



CONDITIONS FOR HOSTING RESEARCHERS

An agreement is signed at the beginning of the year with each researcher, who benefits from the following hosting conditions :

- A research grant of € 9,000 paid in two instalments or monthly from January to June and from September to December.
- ESACM will pay for one round trip per month, up to a maximum of €150.
- Access to the Research Cooperative (approximately 100 m2 of shared work space) and to the school's premises (workshops, technical facilities, seminar rooms, exhibition hall, library, etc.), as well as to the school's human and technical resources, within the framework of the student's project or joint projects with other researchers.
- The school provides accommodation in Clermont-Ferrand, shared with the other researchers (this accommodation is also subject to an agreement).

LINKS

[The Research Cooperative](#)

