

ART CIRCLE Slovenia ART CIRCLE FALL 2023 - ART EMBASSIES

Open Call for professional artists from the following countries:

Brazil, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, France, Hungary, Ireland, Japan, Mexico, Romania, Slovakia, Serbia, Switzerland, Türkiye, Ukraine and Slovenia.

Residency Period: October 7 – 14, 2023

Location: Vipava Valley and Goriška Brda, Slovenia

About

ART CIRCLE is a non-profit organization founded in Slovenia in 2011 with the goal of organizing art festival/art residencies and cultural events to connect the culture of visual arts with tourism, economy, and diplomacy. Since then, ART CIRCLE has hosted hundreds of artists from around the world at up to seven events a year in Slovenia and abroad. The key connecting part of the circle is the Art Embassy, a special form of art residency. More recently, the organization has expanded to organize events in Italy, Austria, Sweden, Australia, and Germany under the umbrella of ART CIRCLE International.

Primary goals of ART CIRCLE

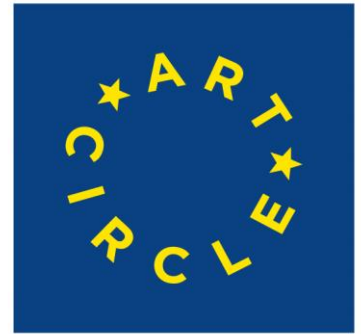
- raising awareness of the importance of culture and the arts
- education in the field of culture and arts
- connecting culture with the economy and tourism
- international cooperation
- generating connections/networking of cultural figures

Art Circle Slovenia provides

- Free accommodation and meals during the residency period
- Free cultural program during the residency period
- Canvases 100 x 120 cm (horizontal) and 40x40 cm
- A group exhibition of the created works at the end of the residency period

Artist obligations

- Transport to and from a specific Art embassy
- Specific art material such as paint, paintbrushes, tools, glue, etc.
- The studios will be open to the public daily from 14:30 –17:30. All participating artists are required to be in the studios working during this time
- Art works produced during the residency period are donated to ART CIRCLE Collection



Locations: <https://artcircle.si/en/art-embassies/>

ART EMBASSY of (country) ▶ host

- 1 Brazil ▶ Tourist house Larya
- 2 Bulgaria ▶ in the selection process
- 3 Czech Republic ▶ Vila Brinovka
- 4 France ▶ Dolfo Wines
- 5 Hungary ▶ in the selection process
- 6 Ireland ▶ Burja Estate
- 7 Japan ▶ in the selection process
- 8 Mexico ▶ Vina Bric
- 9 Romania ▶ Villa Vitovlje
- 10 Slovakia ▶ Saksida Estate
- 11 Serbia ▶ Marjan Simčič Wines
- 12 Switzerland ▶ in the selection process
- 13 Türkiye ▶ in the selection process

INDEPENDENT LOCATIONS

- 14 Atelje Šempeter ▶ art studio
- 15 ALMA MEDANA ▶ art house

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 15.6.2023

Selected artists will be notified by email until 30.6.2023.

The invited artists are free and independent in choosing the subject, style, and technique of their work for their art production during their stay at ART CIRCLE.

Artists can apply for the art residency at the Art embassy of their respective country of origin. Slovenian and Ukrainian artists will be appointed to various art embassies/ locations.

Please submit this form and all attachments to artcircle2011@gmail.com by the end of **June 15, 2023**.

Applicants will be selected by a professional jury and will be notified by June 30, 2023.



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APPLICATION FORM

Please fill out this form and all other documents in English.

APPLYING FOR: ART CIRCLE FALL 2023

ART EMBASSY OF _____ (COUNTRY)

PROFESSIONAL TITLE:

NAME, SURNAME:

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN/NATIONALITY:

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

HOME ADDRESS (POST):

LINKS/WEBSITE, FB AND INSTAGRAM:

MANDATORY ATTACHMENTS:

1. Short professional biography (max. 250 words)
2. PDF of 3 to 10 photos of your recent art production

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