

## Artist in Residence for Camp fyrefly - Saskatchewan 2022

### General overview of role and expectations

The Camp fyrefly Artist in Residence (AIR) program hosts emerging and established artists who have demonstrated a commitment to innovation, exploration, community outreach, and public understanding of 2SLGBTQ+ experiences and identities. The AIR program draws from all disciplines, including painting, printmaking, sculpture, photography, video, music, literature, dance, conceptual and installation art, and contemporary performance.

The Camp fyrefly AIR program is committed to strengthening the vitality of the arts and the powerful role they can play in the public education and the pursuit of human rights and social justice for all youth. Presentations provide a range of content (e.g. identities, social justice, navigating systems, understanding oppression, or community) delivered through different media (e.g. arts-based, presentations, story-telling, groups, panels, etc.). All artists are encouraged to apply.

### Requirements:

The AIR will commit to the full 4 days of camp (**August 18-21, 2022**) and the training session before camp (**August 16-17**). We are open to ideas about how and where artists would like to fit into the program. Working with the Camp Coordinator, the AIR will coordinate the development and execution of arts-based programming. Other requirements will include:

- Opening keynote address on the first evening of the camp
- Coordinating & hosting the youth Showcase event at camp
- Leading workshops for youth, culminating in Showcase entries or displays
- Generally being present during all camp activities, mingling with the pods/groups of campers during their quiet small group pod times to engage in conversations with the youth.

It is expected the AIR will be on site for the duration of the camp. The accommodations, including meals, will be at the Camp fyrefly facilities. The AIR will have a non-shared private room at the retreat centre.



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We require the AIR to provide a criminal record check and vulnerable sector check, obtained through the local Police Services or RCMP. UR Pride acknowledges that CR checks can be particularly stressful for 2SLGBTQ+ Folks. By law, we have to collect this information as we serve vulnerable sections. Is this something that you would be able to provide us, if hired? The Camp will in return provide an honorarium to the Artist in Residence, reimbursement for any travel expenses (economy class return airfare to Regina, or gas and mileage if driving from out of town), and out of pocket expenses related to workshops or sessions.

It is the intent that the 2022 camp will be an in-person camp; however, given the unpredictability of the current pandemic, the camp may need to be changed to an online camp if circumstances warrant. As well, attendees will be required to meet any requirements regarding COVID prevention that the province or the landlord of the camp venue have in place at the time. We will keep you up to date on these particulars.

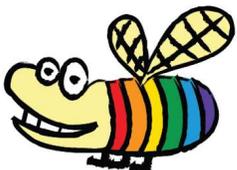
*UR Pride recognizes how oppressive structures such as racism, sexism, cissexism, and heterosexism may cause systemic barriers for people when gaining employment. For this reason, UR Pride strongly believes in equitable employment that prioritizes the hiring of those who are a part of equity groups. We also acknowledge that many people have fluctuating access needs and that text-only applications can be difficult. If there is anything in this application that is confusing or unclear, please contact the Coordinator at [campfyrefly@urpride.ca](mailto:campfyrefly@urpride.ca). We are happy to accept alternate forms of communication (ex. by phone or voice note) or respond to other access needs.*

## **Camp fYrefly-Saskatchewan – 2022 Artist In Residence**

**Name:**

**Organization (if applicable):**

**Street Address:**



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City:	Province:	Postal Code:	Country:
Phone Number:			
E-mail:		Website:	
Other forms of contact (e.g. instagram):			
1. A short biography (50 words max)			
2. Either a Curriculum Vitae (maximum 2 pages) or equivalent record summarizing relevant training, artistic accomplishments and public presentations of work. Additionally, please provide 1-10 portfolio items showcasing your work. [Alternatively, you may send an email with your Curriculum Vitae and portfolio items to <a href="mailto:campfyrefly@urpride.ca">campfyrefly@urpride.ca</a> with the subject line: Artist in Residence 2022 CV			
3. Statement of intent explaining what you would like to accomplish during camp, including why you are interested in being the AIR at camp and how your time at Camp fyrefly will be interactive and appeal directly to youth. (500 words max.)			



4. Provide a brief summary of what workshop(s) you would be prepared to present during the concurrent workshops at camp. (You will have further opportunity to develop them fully if chosen as the 2022 Artist in Residence)

**Equipment** (please indicate if you will require use of the following):

- Flip Charts
- Screen
- Projector
- Lectern
- Other?

**NOTE:** Please be prepared to bring your own computer if it is required for your presentation and/or workshops.

**Additional Requirements**

(i.e. are there any additional supplies you might need/want us to provide)



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Please list three references who can comment on your reliability, your ability to maintain confidentiality, your knowledge, skills and abilities, and your philosophy in working with gender and sexually diverse youth			
	Name	Phone	E-Mail
Reference 1			
Reference 2			
Reference 3			

Please check which (if any) of the following Covid-safety measures would make you feel comfortable attending an in-person camp:

- Mandatory masking
- Proof of vaccination
- rapid tests upon arrival to camp
- Daily rapid tests throughout duration of camp
- Other:

**Please submit your application by May 15, 2022.**

Applications may be submitted online, emailed to [campfyrefly@urpride.ca](mailto:campfyrefly@urpride.ca) or by mail to:

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