



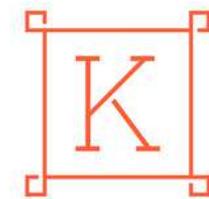
ARTIHOST

ART & CULTURE RESIDENCY

15 DEC 2021 – 14 MAR 2022, PANEVĖŽYS, LITHUANIA

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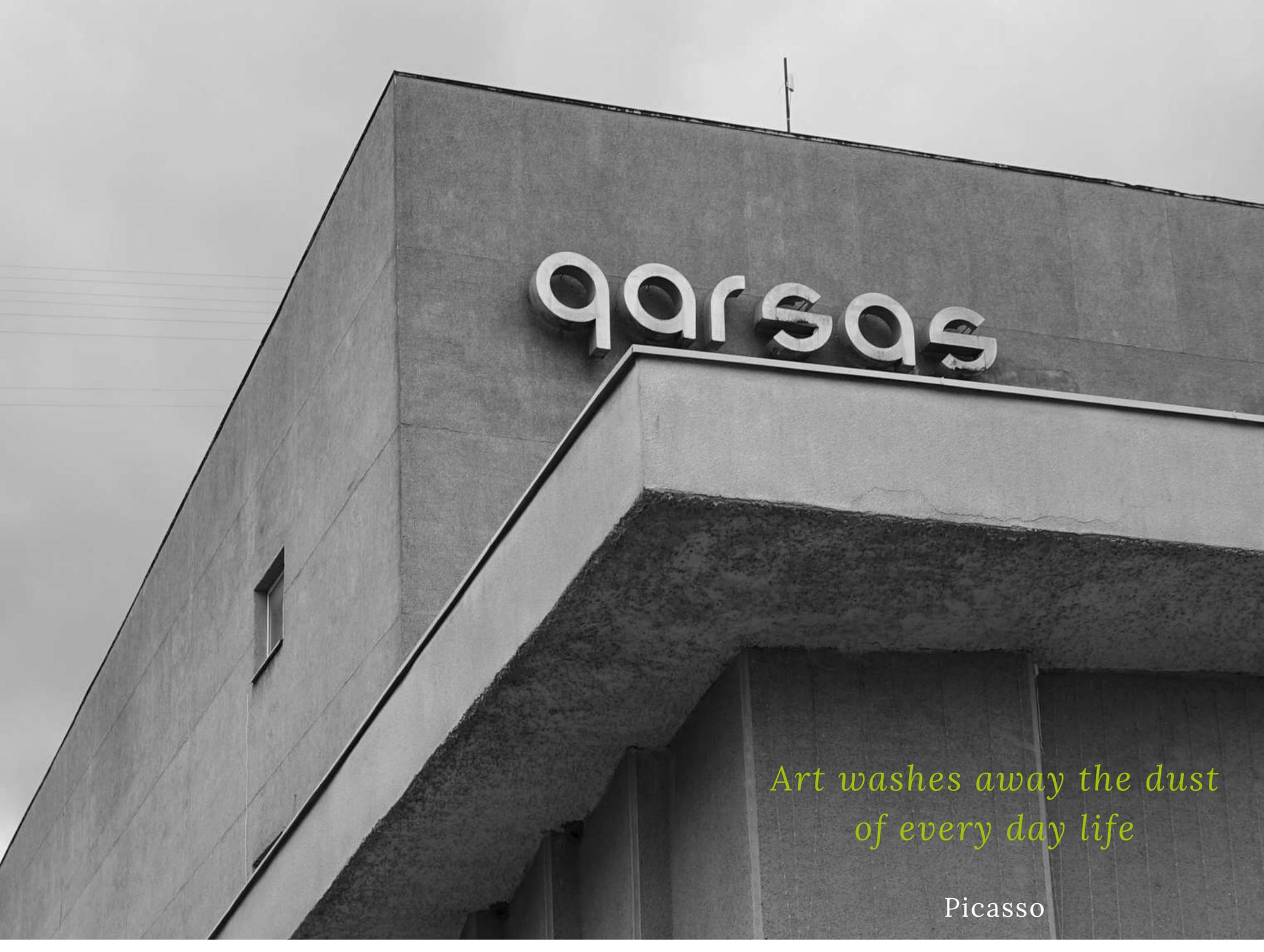
THE ONLY IN THE WORLD HOSTEL
& CO-WORKING SPACE TO OFFER
ART & CULTURE RESIDENCY



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*Art washes away the dust
of every day life*

Picasso

CONTEXT

The Artihost residency program is the first attempt in Panevėžys (Lithuania) to create a permanent, continuous and professional art and culture residence. Continuity is expected through the implementation of a globally unique residency program based on the establishment of the first hostel in Panevėžys, cooperation with local and international partners, innovative non-formal programs.

The project aims to ensure balanced cultural development in the Panevėžys region by promoting the diversity of creative expressions, cooperation and strengthening the local cultural identity.





OVERALL FOCUS

The aim of the Artihost art and culture residencies project is to enable 2 art and culture representatives to create, conduct research and present them in Panevėžys (continuing internationally) in 3 months, involving and collaborating with other artists and culture representatives, art and cultural organizations, the community (Artihost guests, visitors to art events), thus promoting diversity and collaboration of creative expressions and strengthening local cultural identity.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Artihost residency program is intended for Lithuanian and international art and culture creators/representatives: literary arts (poetry, drama, story, etc.), the visual arts (painting, drawing, filmmaking, etc.), the graphic arts (painting, drawing, design, etc.), the plastic arts (sculpture, modeling), the decorative arts (enamelwork, furniture design, mosaic, etc.), the performing arts (theatre, dance, music, etc.), music (as composition), architecture (including interior design), researchers, academics, and all other forms of culture and art creators.

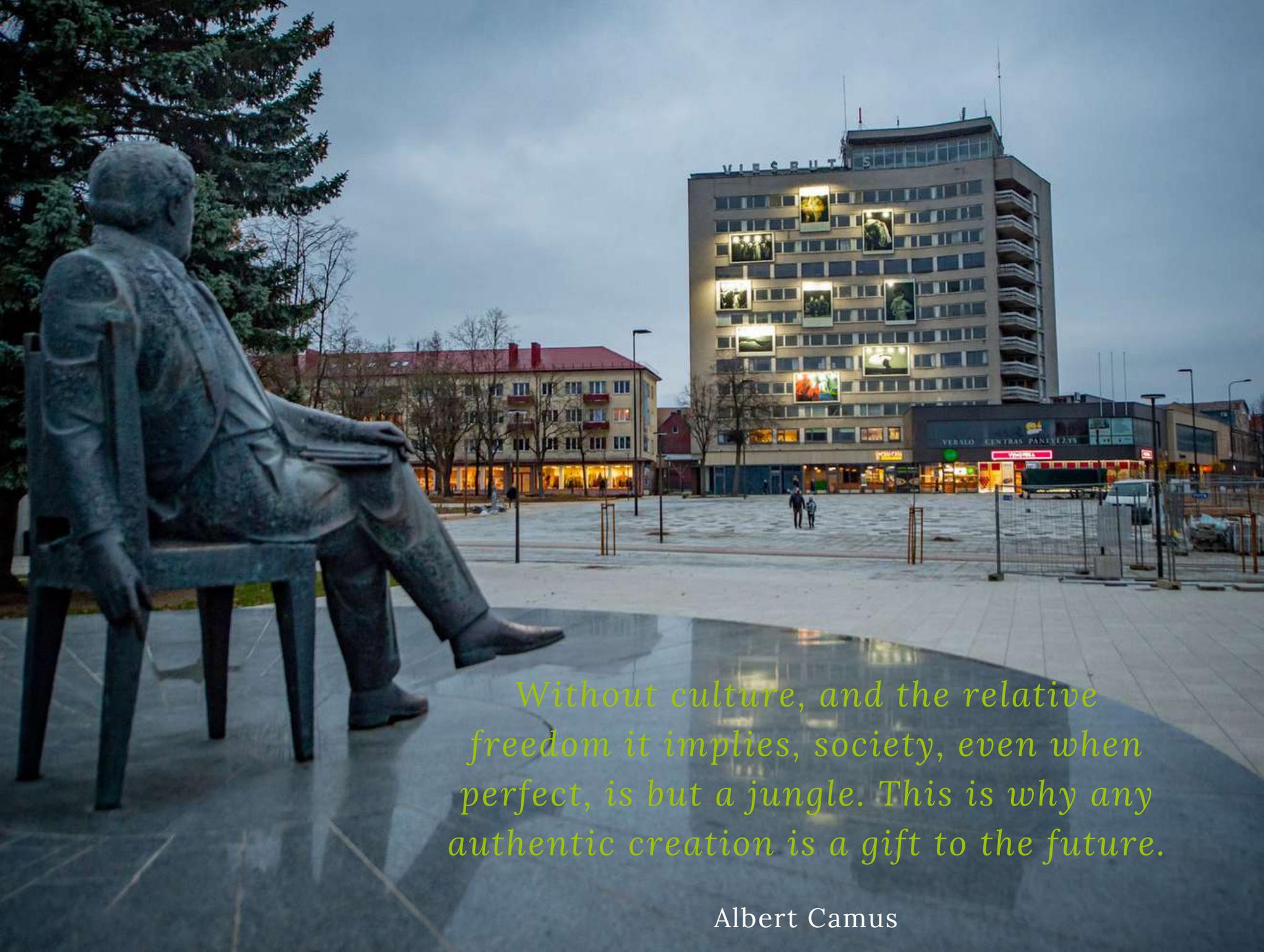




PROGRAMME

Residents are provided with a comfortable physical infrastructure (opportunity to work and present works in the most famous cultural spaces of Panevėžys and introducing them with local contacts) and a rich package of artistic and cultural self-expression and development, through education and mentoring. We strive to make the residencies convenient and extremely valuable for both the residents themselves and the city. Arthost residents are provided with administrative assistance, tools and periodic meetings of curators, mentors and partner representatives. The Arthost team and an international partner (Abroadship.org from the UK) will provide letters of recommendation applying for additional and further funding for their residency project.

• **The programme is subject to change**



Without culture, and the relative freedom it implies, society, even when perfect, is but a jungle. This is why any authentic creation is a gift to the future.

Albert Camus

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

- Attract 2 residents, of whom one would come from Lithuania and one from abroad.
- To contribute to the professional and artistic development of the participating artist-participant:
 - To raise creative-cultural-artistic competencies
 - Encourage the mobilization of developers
 - Inspire the resident for personal development
 - Disseminate the creativity of the resident's works and increase awareness
 - To increase the skills of residents' cultural management and communication with the community
- To implement cultural and art projects in a non-traditional environment
- To educate the society on artistic and cultural issues
- To develop the identity of the place (Panevėžys as a city of culture and art, especially theater)
- To improve the living environment by implementing projects that benefit the local community
- Attract visitors
- Promote cultural and artistic tourism activities and flows
- Involve vulnerable groups in society - seniors, young people, children with fewer opportunities in various fields (economic, social, educational, geographical exclusion)





FINANCIAL COSTS

- Programme is FREE, no fee is taken.
- 100% of accommodation and breakfast, exhibition materials and space, programme materials are covered by the grant from Lithuanian Council for Culture, Panevėžys Municipality, Abroadship.org and Artihost space.
- Traveling costs, food (lunch and dinner) and other expenses are covered by the participant.
- We encourage to bring additional co-funding to make projects widescale.



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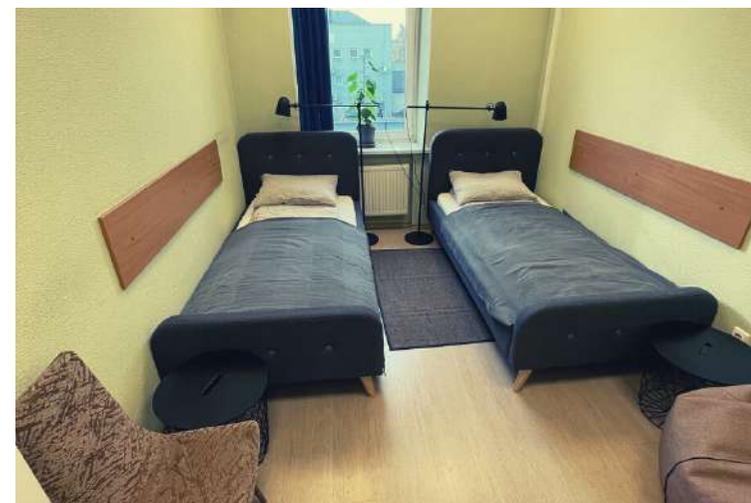
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SPACE

Artihost residence is located in Panevėžys Old Town, Savanorių Square, which until 1929, was the poorest quarter of the Jewish slum Slabada. Residence is nearby central Freedom Square, historic Courthouse, Municipality, Bus station. Located on the top floor of a house built in 1937, the Artihost artists' residence has 4 living-working, 1 creative-exposition-performance space (64 m²) and 1 meeting space for artists, a total of 212 m². Each resident is provided with a study, which, together with the common creative space, is allowed to be used as a creative and research space throughout the residency. All studios have furniture and Wi-Fi access.



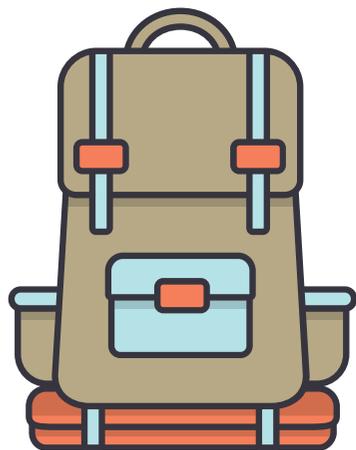
Arrival Day: 15 December 2021

Programme: 16 December 2021 - 13
March 2022

Departure Day: 14 March 2022

WHEN TO GET HERE?



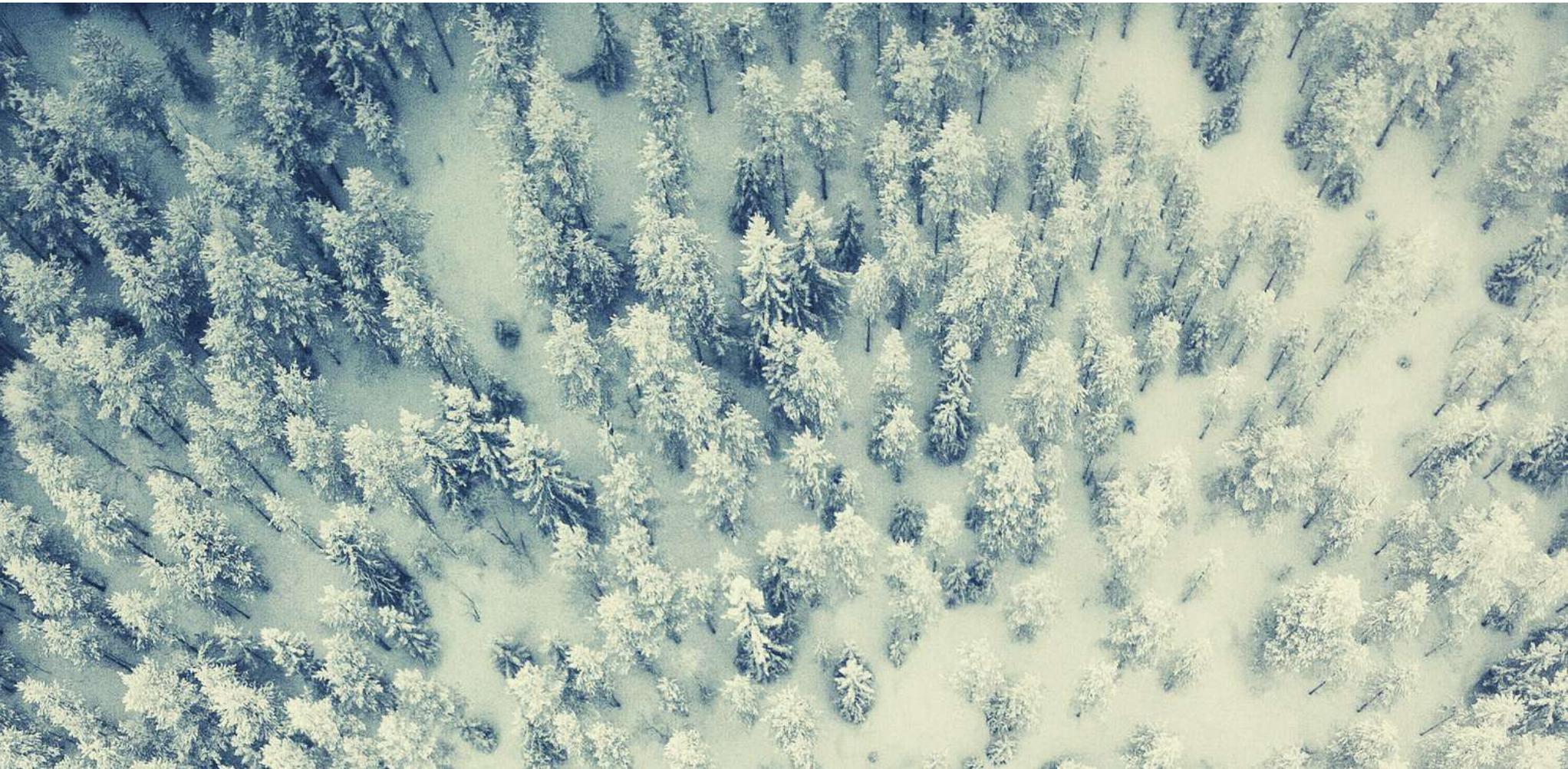


PRACTICALS - WHAT TO BRING!

- Prepare for a 3 months stay bringing whatever is needed for a comfortable stay.
- Bring materials needed for your artistic and cultural creation. You will have some materials available here at the residence, so please check in advance the list available.
- Bring Passport or ID card
- You will have to be vaccinated from COVID-19 with approved vaccine (Pfizer, Moderna, Astra Zenecca) and have a certificate.
- Insurance - this is critical! Please bring European Health Card and Insure in other ways because we do not provide and are not liable for any incidents
- Food and traditions to represent for intercultural evenings
- Bring best photo camera, video recorder you have, and of course lots of memory storage.

WEATHER

- In December-February temperature in Panevėžys, Lithuania ranges from -6 to -1 degrees on average, but can get as low as -37 (recorded in 1956), daylight lasts about 2 hours and of course of course of course beautiful snow is a constant friend and a mandatory discussion subject in all conversations.
- Check the weather forecast [here](#).





MEDICINE, ALLERGIES & DIET

If you have illness, physical limitations and/or use the medicine, we need to know about, please let us know.

If you are vegetarian or have special diet, let us know, indicating what you can and cannot eat, so that we can arrange the suitable food.

HOW TO APPLY

Fill in the application
form available

<https://forms.gle/dGPhv1d9myHwYFpA9>



For information, clarification, logistics,
general questions, please contact us at:
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