

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

(amended May 15, 2020 due to the provisions and ordinances of the Swiss authorities in relation to Covid19.)

Sponsorship

The International Alps Art Academy is supported by the association of the Beverin Nature Park. The park is involved in the sustainable development of the Safien Valley in the areas of nature, culture, commerce, tourism and agriculture and is furthermore responsible for the Art Safiental and supporter of the publication Landscape.

Academy

The Alps Art Academy is open to all artists who are interested in working with landscapes and the environment, as well as theoreticians, facilitators and curators engaged in research on the subject of land and environmental art. The minimum age for participation is 20 years. The academy requires a minimum number of 20 participants. The maximum number of participants is 30.

Fee

The tuition fee is CHF 1'200.–, USD 1'200.–, EUR 1'100.–. The Alps Art Academy strives to keep the participation fee as low as possible. The program costs are subsidised by the Alps Art Academy and other partners. For participants who need financial support are invited to apply for a scholarship.

The tuition fee covers the cost of taking part in all course modules at the academy under the direction of a qualified artist, mediator, curator or art critic as well as transport during field trips, accommodation in double room, meals and participation in various other events at the Alps Art Academy. The cost of travel to and from the Academy, materials and private expenses are not included in the fee.

Stipendium

The academy is committed to a broad mix of participants (age, gender, origin) and lower-income applicants from economically disadvantaged regions can apply for a reduction of the tuition fee and / or a travel scholarship. In addition to the regular documents, applicants should provide a letter of justification with the application form.

A committee consisting of the project's directorate will decide on the granting of scholarships. Applicants have no legal entitlement.

Notification / Payment

All participants will receive confirmation via e-mail of the receipt of their application. If you did not receive an e-mail by March 15, 2020, please contact us at info@alpsartacademy.ch.

All selected participants will be sent notification by e-mail latest by middle of May, 2020.

Selected candidates must confirm their participation in the Alps Art Academy by July 15, 2020. The participation fee must be paid

by August 15, 2020. If the payment has not reached the academy office by August 15, 2020 the commitment will be forfeited and the academy place will be passed on to a candidate on the waiting list.

A list with the participants will be published on the website after end of August 2020.

Cancellation

In case of cancellation after July 31, 2020, a fee of CHF 200.– will be retained for expenses incurred. A refund of the full tuition fee is only possible in proven cases of „force majeure“ (illness, accident, death in the family, official regulations regarding Covid19, in the event of a new outbreak of the pandemic). An immediate cancellation with written proof of the reason is required, otherwise the full course fee is payable. Other reasons as eg program changes do not entitle the participant to a refund. After the start of the Alps Art Academy, cancellation is no longer possible.

The Alps Art Academy is entitled to make program changes or cancel courses, especially if the number of participants is insufficient or in connection with Covid19 circumstances. If the minimum number of 20 participants is not achieved by August 31, 2020, or if the Alps Art Academy has to be canceled due to official regulations in connection with Covid19, the participation fee will be fully refunded, further claims are excluded. Any expenses incurred for travel will not be reimbursed and costs cannot be claimed from the Naturpark Beverin association.

Insurance / Liability

The Alps Art Academy is not liable for any accident, theft or damage of any kind occurring during the Academy (24.09. - 03.10.2020). Personal liability, health and accident insurance is the responsibility of the participants.

Safety

Participants visit the artistic interventions and excursion sites at their own risk.

Validity

These terms and conditions are valid from January 15, 2020. Due to the global situation in connection with Covid19, the terms and conditions were adjusted as of May 15, 2020. Further adjustments are expressly reserved and communicated to the participants. Ancillary verbal agreements require the written approval of the Alps Art Academy project management team and these terms and conditions will remain generally applicable.

Applicable Law and Jurisdiction

On all questions related to the contractual relationship between the parties Swiss law is applicable. The place of jurisdiction is the courts of the canton of Graubünden.

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