

Call for expressions of Interest

Freelance Interpretation Consultant for Theatr Brycheiniog

We would like a visual arts and interpretation specialist to provide us with expert consultancy to review our public displays and artifacts, examining our visual art role and developing our artistic policy.

Theatr Brycheiniog is mid Wales' principal civic space for Theatre, the Arts and Culture.

We present inclusive and diverse arts programmes through a newly redesigned high-quality and unique visitor experience (that is currently being redeveloped). We engage, entertain and challenge audiences.

The Theatr is situated in Brecon, within the national park, and boasts impressive attendance and visitor numbers. We host a wide-ranging offer, of both professional and community partners' work, in the 470 seat (or 600 standing) flexible theatre auditorium, large studio space, 2nd floor gallery, 1st floor theatre bar, and canal side café with soon to be created shop & ticketing centre.

We would like suitably qualified individuals to express an interest to help us further interrogate our role with visual art and how we display items in the public areas of Theatr Brycheiniog as our spaces are currently involved in a significant refresh.

We are redeveloping quickly and recently benefited from the European Regional Development Fund via the WCVA Social Business Growth Fund, and this scheme has now been joined by the Arts Council of Wales through their capital programmes.

Specifically, we would like a freelance contract to deliver the following:

- Working with our interior designers plan how we can use our spaces to present and display art and the public artifacts at the Theatr
- Work and liaise with our presenters, local organisations, hire groups and community representatives to manage the building's public artifacts and displays
- Redesign how we present visual art and artifacts within a contextualisation and interpretation that makes sense of them, and allows us to use them more fully and engage new audiences in their exploration
- Work on a public visual art statement, artistic policy and programme for the long term that delivers our artifacts and visual arts in the appropriate spaces and evolves the programme to suitably reflect the other activities in those spaces.
- Propose the programming and artistic plans on our behalf with a plan for ongoing management of the artistic offer

We anticipate this work requiring between 1-2 days per week in January to February and then reducing to 3 days per month up until May 2022.

The fee is anticipated to be between £5,000 and £8,000 depending on level of expertise and anticipated time commitment.

We are inviting interested parties to send us a short statement on how they would approach this project and how suitable their experience is to support us with evidence of similar activity with an indication of their hourly/daily fee.

Please email this to David@brycheiniog.co.uk by midday on Friday 31st December 2021

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