

VILLA VAN EYCK

15 January – 15 December 2027

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS VILLA VAN EYCK

Villa Van Eyck programme

For the sixth consecutive year, the Institut français NL and the Jan van Eyck Academie are partnering to support the participation of an artist from the French overseas territories in the Jan van Eyck Academie's 11-month residency programme in Maastricht.

JAN VAN EYCK ACADEMIE

What is it?



Jan van Eyck Academie



Maastricht

The Jan van Eyck Academie's mission is to **explore the civic role of art, design and other creative practices in relation to the climate crisis and the collapse of biodiversity**, as well as their impact at societal, geopolitical, cultural and economic levels.

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What is it?

The Jan van Eyck Academie offers a **post-academic residency programme**, welcoming an international cohort of some **36 artists in residence** for 11 months.

11 months



The Jan van Eyck community offers the **time, space, and the expertise** needed for international artists, designers, curators, architects, writers, and other researchers to further develop their artistic practices in depth.

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What is it?

The **multi-disciplinary** and **intersectoral** approach, the **multiform** organisation, and the **diverse** resident cohort form the **plurality** which lies at the core of the Jan van Eyck Academie. Every year, the Jan van Eyck Academie commits to fostering a **broad, diverse coalition of participants, advisers, and collaborative partners.**

A framework that embraces a **diversity of practices** and allows for a **multitude of voices.**



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What is it?

ARTISTS IN RESIDENCE HAVE ACCESS TO

2 departments:

- Nature Research
- Education & Development

Programmes:

- In-Lab and more
- Open Studios

A library



The support of advisers

5 labs:

- Photography & Audiovisual
- Material Matters
- Food
- Printing & Publishing
- Future Materials

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ARTISTS IN RESIDENCE BENEFIT FROM

A monthly stipend of €1500/month

An annual working budget of €2000/year

Individual studio space

Private apartment (€950/month; deducted from monthly stipend)

Full reimbursement for a return journey to the Netherlands

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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

01

Born or residing (for more than 5 years) in the French overseas territories

02

Creative practice as artist, curator or designer coming from any field

03

Applications from duos or collectives are not eligible

04

Working language is English
Strong proficiency in English is required

05

Apply now

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REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

01

CV

English

02

Portfolio

(English, max. 25 pages, work
from the last 5 years)

03

Residency Project Proposal

(English, max. 2 pages)

04

Artist Statement

English

05

Copy of ID

06

OPTIONAL

Letter(s) of recommendation
from an arts professional

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Applications must be
submitted in English by email to
culture@institutfrancais.nl
no later than 26 July 2026
(23:59 CEST).

***Incomplete applications or applications
submitted in French will not be considered.***