



**BACKLIT**

## **BACKLIT Studio Application Form**

BACKLIT aims to represent a broad spectrum of arts practices that engage with the contemporary arts world.

Please fill in the following questions.

### **1. Basic information**

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**Name:**

**Date of Application:**

**How long would you want a studio for (approximate):**

**Home Address:**

**Phone number:**

**Mobile number:**

**Email address:**

## References

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Please give the contact of a referee who could provide us with information about your practice in support of this application.

Referee's name:

Referee's email:

Referee's phone number:

Nature of relationship with the referee (preferred to be professional), please specify:

## Your arts practice

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Please provide a brief description or statement about your arts practice. Consider key themes, concepts or ideas, medium/material, working method and process. If your application is successful this will become your profile on the BACKLIT website (max. 300 words).

### 3. Professional Development and Engagement

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The ethos of Backlit strongly encourages professional development. The nature of our studio environment allows artists to build relationships and networks whilst supporting their development as artists/practitioners. An active engagement with the programme and events is strongly encouraged. The following questions address the level of involvement you are looking for, and your reasons for wanting a space at Backlit.

- Have you had any professional development training or self-initiated involvement in the arts since leaving college or deciding to be an artist/arts professional? If so, please elaborate.
  
- How do you think you will engage with Backlit community as a Studio member? How do you think this engagement will benefit yourself and others?
  
- What issues most concern your professional development?

- How might you like to see these issues dealt with or addressed?

- Where did you find out about Backlit studios?

Please submit your application via email or post, along with a maximum of 10 images of your work/projects (as jpegs, on slide, photograph or print-out) to:

Studio Applications  
Backlit studio  
Alfred House  
Ashley Street  
Sneinton  
NG3 1JG

Or

[info@backlit.org.uk](mailto:info@backlit.org.uk)

Once your application has been reviewed you may be invited to attend an informal interview at the studios,

(Enclose an SAE if you would like your visual material returned)