

re : connections

Shadow Artist Opportunity

We are looking for a shadow artist to work with us on our Re:connections project in the Lee Bank area of Ladywood, Birmingham. Re:connections is a creative exploration into people's sensory connections to where they live, through playful arts activity which prompts dialogue. We have received funding from Birmingham City Council and Arts Council England to deliver a range of activities including:

Dialogues: A series of artist led walks with residents exploring sensory connections to the area (these took place in October 2018)

Assembling Dialogues: 2 immersive/participatory events with local residents, artists and urbanists

Presenting Dialogues: An event for artists and urbanists to debate the artists role in place making and the potential value of Re:connections to wider housing and regeneration discussions.

The **shadow artist** will support the work of the commissioned artists and producers Emily Warner, Claire Hickey, Kaye Winwood, Jieling Xiao and Jenny Peevers in developing and delivering Assembling Dialogues and Presenting Dialogues. The selected artist will gain experience of artists development processes, engaging with a broad range of local residents and local organisations and supporting the curation of immersive events.

We are looking for a shadow artist who:

- Lives in Birmingham (we particularly welcome responses from artists living in Edgbaston or Ladywood constituencies)
- Is friendly and welcoming
- Will be available on 25 and 29 March and 10 April 2019

Fee

£600 (6 days at £100 per day, inclusive of travel and expenses)

Please email Jenny Peevers mail@jennypeevers.co.uk a paragraph explaining why you are interested in this opportunity by **22nd February 2019**.

www.re-connections.uk

Re:connections is a project devised by Jenny Peevers in partnership with Creative Health CIC