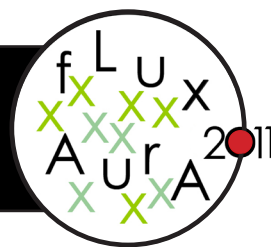


Call for proposals for Flux Aura 2011!



Flux Aura is an international environmental art event, which realizes interesting artistic perceptions about the co-existence of the city and the river running through it. The event is part of the Turku 2011 European Capital of Culture year, and it is organized by the Turku Artists' Association.

Flux Aura calls for proposals for environmental art works to be realized in summer 2011 on the river Aura, by its shores and in the river valley. The application period is from January 19th to April 30th, 2010. The accepted works are to be completed between June 1st and August 31st, 2010. The proposed art works may be either temporary or permanent. Their themes should be related to the Aura river - to running water, to the city and to life and nature around the river. The event is open for artists from Southwest Finland. At least 50% of the member of an artist group should be from Southwest Finland.

Partners

Flux Aura encourages artists to find new ways of cooperation and new networks. For this purpose each artist or group from Southwest Finland proposes a partner from either Finland or abroad to work with. These partners can take part in Flux Aura either with one collective art work or two separate pieces. The separate art works should be in dialogue with each other.

- the partner should be an artist or an art group
- the partner can be either from Finland or from abroad
- the artist and the partner may submit either:
 - 1) a proposal for a collective art work, and fill in one application form, or
 - 2) two individual proposals, and fill in two application forms

Flux Aura 2011 appreciates the following in the proposals:

- new art works created for Flux Aura
- detailed plans for the art work
- new partnerships
- a broad view of art
- art works with total expenses from 1000 € to 25000 € (Flux Aura can cover expenses of the art works)
- also small art works are suitable for Flux Aura!

Submitting a proposal

Submitting a proposal costs 20 €. Information on payment is attached. The deadline for proposals is April 30th, 2010 (post office stamp). The proposal is submitted by mail or by bringing it to Gallery Å (open Tue-Fri 12-18, Sat-Sun 12-16). The proposals may not be submitted by e-mail.

The proposal should include

- the filled in and signed application form (one proposal per form)
- CV of the artist or of all the artists in a group
- CV of the partner
- a visual presentation of the art work
- a receipt for the application fee
- you may leave more than one proposal

Flux Aura will contact the artists by June 16th. Members of the jury may not submit proposals themselves. The Turku Artists' Association will keep the submitted material in its archives. The material will not be returned.

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