

OPEN CALL

VITRINE PROJECT

SOLO SHOWS



Season I

THE CELL

Deadline

November 10th. The results of the selection will be published no later than November 15th.

Open call

5 separate 2-day long solo exhibitions by contemporary artists, artworks of all mediums considered.

Location

Atelier Fernanda Chieco - Stølegaten 10A 5003 Bergen/NO

Cost

Free.

Note: Selected artists must cover their own travel and accommodation costs, as well as any extraordinary production costs, per diems, transport etc

About the Project

5 contemporary artists will be offered the opportunity of a 2-day solo exhibition to be installed in the vitrine window room at Atelier Fernanda Chieco.

VITRINE PROJECT will be an annually recurring series of wintertime exhibitions. The

intention is to use the winter darkness to shed light on contemporary art. Each series will consist of 5 short weekend exhibitions, occurring once monthly during the darkest months of the year. The exhibition will only be visible from the street through three large vitrine windows.

This year's curatorial concept for the VITRINE PROJECT is inspired by Louise Bourgeois' *Cells*.

Technical details

This year, VITRINE PROJECT offers the following:

- Exhibition space
- Promotion through free advertising sources and social medias
- Digital documentation of the work
- Installation assistance
- Equipment and support within limited resources available

Exhibiting artists will be responsible for installing their work themselves on Friday morning and dismantling on Sunday afternoon. The exhibition space must be left in the order in which it was found. A floor plan and external photographs of the space are shown below.

Note: The artist's physical presence may not be necessary for some installations, for example video works which can be sent electronically.

Dates

- 2019 - 6th/7th December
2020 - 3rd/4th January
- 7th/8th February
- 6th/7th March
- 3rd/4th April

Submission Guidelines

Submissions are free and the deadline is midnight on the 10th of November 2019. Please send an e-mail with your proposal to vitrineproject@fernandachieco.com

- 1- CV and brief artist bio.
- 2- A short but concise project description, including images and/or exhibition sketches (pdf format max 3 A4)
- 3- Portfolio (pdf format max 10 pictures/5mb)
4. Link to website and video works if relevant

About Atelier Fernanda Chieco

Inaugurated in February 2019 on the ground floor of an old colonial shop in Stølegaten dating from the late 1700s.

Before Nye Sandviksvei was built in about 1870, Stølegaten formed part of the main transport road connecting Bergen with its districts to the North. The route is narrow

and steep, rising from Øvregaten, up Nikolaikirkeallmenning to Steinkjellergaten and then Stølegaten and the crossroad with Helgesens gate and Ladergårdsgaten.

During the 1800s up to 18 000 people used the route daily and the street remains the busiest pedestrian access route into Bergen from Sandviken. (Bergen Byleksikon).

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