

## **Saltaire Arts Trail Contemporary Art Commission 2012**

Saltaire Arts Trail is an annual visual arts festival showcasing contemporary art and craft that takes place in the world heritage village of Saltaire, part of Bradford District in West Yorkshire. With support from Arts Council England through the National Lottery and working in partnership with Bradford's creative development agency Fabric we wish to commission an artist or arts group to create a new piece of work to be presented during the Saltaire Arts Trail in May 2012.

**Applications are welcome from contemporary artists in the early stages of their career, who live or work in the Bradford District. Bradford District includes those with a Bradford postcode or who are living in Bradford Met areas. Working in Bradford includes artists who have exhibited in Bradford, or who can show a connection through their CV.** If you wish to be considered for this commission please send a brief (1 side of A4) proposal, your CV and up to five images showing previous work to [ann.rutherford@fabricculture.co.uk](mailto:ann.rutherford@fabricculture.co.uk)

In your proposal you should describe your idea, what form it would take, how you would go about creating it and any ideas about where it might be shown as well as up to five images to support the proposal. If you wish to submit any moving image material as part of your proposal this should be via a link to where it can be seen online and should be no more than 10 minutes in length.

If you have any queries or require any further information please contact Ann Rutherford at Fabric via the email address above.

### **Schedule**

Deadline for proposals - Friday 10 February 2012

Artist Interviews - Monday 20 February 2012

Production - March & April 2012

Installation – Week beginning Monday 30 April 2012

Launch - Friday 4 May 2012

Event dates - May 5 - 7 May 2012

### **Budget**

The budget for this commission is £3,000 (inclusive of artist fees and expenses, materials, production, installation and de-rig/removal costs)

**For more information about Saltaire Arts Trail visit [www.saltiaartstrail.co.uk](http://www.saltiaartstrail.co.uk), <http://www.facebook.com/#!/saltiaartstrail>, <http://vimeo.com/26435268>**

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