

## **Guidelines for grants at Forum Neues Musiktheater der Staatsoper Stuttgart**

The Forum's grants are subject to certain rules and requirements.

### **Services Rendered by the Forum Neues Musiktheater**

Each season, approximately 30 grant recipients are accepted as participants.

Participants may use the Forum's facilities, spaces, sound studio, and computers free of charge whenever it is compatible with the Forum's day-to-day operations. The Forum Neues Musiktheater arranges events, workshops, and seminars on the themes of the principal projects.

In special cases a grant of up to EUR 850 per month may be awarded.

### **Length**

Participation and monetary grants generally last five months and are timed to mesh with the Forum's performance season and instructional schedule. Partial grants are also possible, and grants may be extended.

### **General Information on the Award Procedure**

There is no legal right to be accepted as a participant or selected to receive a grant.

The Forum Neues Musiktheater reserves the right to award fewer than the total available number of monetary grants in any given season as well as to leave some participant slots unfilled.

### **Obligations of Participants and Grant Recipients**

Grant recipients are required to participate in the Forum's events. If a grant recipient does not fulfill his obligation, his grant may be terminated immediately.

Grant recipients must show proof of medical insurance; they are responsible for providing their own medical insurance while at the Forum Neues Musiktheater.

### **Special Regulations for Grant Recipients**

The Forum's grants are publicly advertised. Their purpose is to help artists continue their training.

Grant recipients must have completed their professional training within the past ten years.

The award of a grant does not constitute a contract of employment.

### **Application Procedure**

For application, the following documentation is required:

- Resume with supporting documentation and a description of applicant's career history as an artist
- Brief audio or video documentation (if available)

Awards are also decided on the basis of accompanying materials that document the applicant's artistic career history.

The Forum can only return application materials if the applicant encloses a self-addressed stamped envelope with their application. Please do not send originals. All submitted documents must be clearly marked with the applicant's name. The Forum assumes no responsibility for lost or damaged material. Awards are decided by a committee of the Stuttgart Staatsoper.

The selection of applicants takes place on a three-month cycle.

Applications may be submitted at any time and are included in the next round of selections.

### **Binding Character of These Guidelines**

By applying, the applicant indicates that they accept these guidelines as binding.

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