

ASIA SOCIETY SWITZERLAND

CURATOR RESIDENCY

2023
IN TAIPEI

ABOUT

For three months, a curator from Switzerland is embedded in an Asian art hub, closely associated with a local art space, and supported in meeting artists, curators, and cultural practitioners from the city as well as the region. The residency includes an additional research trip to a second city in Asia.

In 2023, the Asia Society Switzerland Curator Residency is collaborating with **TheCube Project Space** in Taipei. The independent art space will act as a base as well as a catalyst into the Taipei art scene. The residency will cover travel to Taipei and back, local travel, accommodation in Taipei, and

travel to and accommodation in a second city in Asia.* The curator-in-residence will also receive a per diem of CHF 50 for 90 days.

The residency should take place between September 2023 and May 2024 – ideally coinciding with the 13th Taipei Biennale, taking place between 18 November 2023 and 24 March 2024.

* All travel has to be organized by the curator and will be re-imbursed by Asia Society Switzerland. International insurances covering travel, health and liability is the responsibility of the curator.

APPLICATION

Please hand in:

> A brief letter outlining your motivations to travel to Taipei; your specific questions and intentions for the residency; your connection to Switzerland; what the second city in Asia would be and why (max. 800 words)

> Your CV

> Images of work examples: Curatorial projects, exhibitions, project spaces or similar (Up to five images, no larger than 2MB in total)

Conditions:

> At least 2 years of experience in curating projects and exhibitions; and a Bachelor's degree in Art or Art history

> Application must be written in English

> Applicants need to have a connection to Switzerland

Learn more:

<https://asiasociety.org/switzerland/call-applications-curator-residency-2023-taipei>

JURY

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MORE



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DEADLINE:

30 APRIL 2023

KEY DATES

30 April 2023: Applications Close

30 May 2023, 10:00-11:30: Interviews with 3 finalists

13 June 2023: Announcement of winner of the Curator Residency 2023

April 2024 (depending on travel dates): Debriefing with Jury and Asia Society Switzerland

April/May 2024: Public event

PATRONAGE

The Asia Society Switzerland Curator Residency is generously supported by Esther Heer-Zacek and Dominik Keller.

