



CASA CLEMENTINA

CASA CLEMENTINA SUMMER RESIDENCY FOR NATURAL DYER AND PHOTOGRAPHERS

From August 13th to 22nd, 2024

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Casa Clementina has been a point of reference for natural dyeing for over 15 years. Located in the pre-Biella Alps between Milan and Turin, the headquarters is a wonderful old house that has remained original.

For many years we have welcomed designers, artists and photographers from all over the world.

PROGRAMME

Invited artists can arrive the day before the start of their residency: August 10th.

Day 1, August 13

On your first day, after a delicious breakfast, we will focus on welcoming you and introducing you to our staff and the working spaces.

Sissi and Stefano will provide each Artist with specific consulting to improve their understanding of your project and aid you in creating a work in line with your expectations goals.

In the same time they allow the Artists to get to know each other.

Lunch will be served on the veranda with local products and refined and healthy cuisine.

In the afternoon you will be encouraged to frequent the dye plant garden and our collection of dried plants that you can use for your work.

At 18, everything will have to be in its place, and we will prepare for the aperitif and the following dinner.

Day 2, August 14

The second day will be entirely dedicated to the creation of your Artworks.

After breakfast, you will start working on the task. The Curators will be available for anything you might need during the production.

Lunch it will be in the veranda at 12.30 and Dinner at 19.

Day 3, August 15

August 15th will be a special day dedicated to a trip to two wonderful mountain villages where we will see a procession in traditional costumes, we will have a picnic in the woods and we will visit another village with a market and the blueberry fair.

Dinner at home as always.

Day 4, August 16

Day dedicated entirely to work.

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner as usual.

Day 5, August 17

Day dedicated to work + aperitif in the farmhouse.

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner as usual.

Day 6, August 18

Day dedicated to work + visit to the Alta Valle Cervo House Museum, ethnographic Museum.

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner as usual.

Day 7, August 19

Day dedicated entirely to work.

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner as usual.

Day 8, August 20

Final preparation of the work which will be formalized in a box.

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner as usual.

Day 9, August 21

The ninth day will be dedicated to immortalizing the work, taking portraits of all of you in our greenhouse and presenting the box to some friends. In the afternoon, walk in the Alps and final dinner at the mountain refuge.

Day 10, August 22

The tenth and last day will be dedicated to goodbyes.

After breakfast to gather energy for the trip, guest will proceed to check-out and they will be accompanied to the Biella S. Paolo railway station from where they will reach other stations or airports.

PARTECIPATION FEE 1000 EURO VAT INCLUDED

What does it include?

The participation fee that each Artist is required to pay to join the Artist Residency Program 2024 includes:

Transfers from/to Biella Station;

Accommodation, Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner for the Artist for N.11 nights;
Use of the day room, plant garden and tools

Curatorial Consulting;

Staging;

What it does NOT include

Special personal tools or materials for the production;

Transfers from/to the airport;

Special meals;

HOW TO APPLY

From January 15th to April 5th, 2024

FILL THE ATTACHMENT FORM with your data;

Select your main Artworks in a PORTFOLIO;

Attach a CURRICULUM VITAE and a short BIOGRAPHY;

Prepare a PROJECT on natural dye that you would like to produce including visual notes and written notes;

SELECTION

From April 5th, 2024

Selected Artists will receive an email where they will be informed that they have been selected for Artist Residency 2024.

No later than three working days after receipt of the email communicating the Selection, the Artist must communicate her/his Registration in the Program and proceed with the payment of the total fee equal to €1000,00 with bank transfer to:

Associazione Casa Clementina, via Italia 6, 13843 Pettinengo (BI), Italy
BIC: UNCRITM1F93 - IBAN: IT 11 G 02008 37751 000101175355

Send an email with receipt of the Bank transfer.