

Manningham Art Gallery

Exhibition Guidelines

Manningham Art Gallery is a key feature of the local creative industry and presents a curated program of exhibitions that represent excellence in contemporary visual arts. Manningham Art Gallery is open Wednesday to Saturday from 11am to 4pm and is closed on public holidays.

Previous calls for entries have been highly competitive. Each application is carefully considered and reviewed by the selection panel consisting of the Arts Manningham team and previous exhibiting artists.

Applications will be assessed by the following criteria:

- Demonstrate a high level of creative and technical merit.
- Show strong conceptual consideration.
- Consideration around validity of the proposal within Manningham Art Gallery and overall feasibility of the proposal.
- Relevance to the Manningham community and different cultures/demographics/communities within it.

Successful applicants will be offered, in writing, an exhibition allocation period to fit the broader curatorial program. Some successful exhibition applicants may be invited to share the exhibition allocation with another complementary proposal. Decisions are final.

Manningham Art Gallery Specifications

Two exhibition spaces with a total of 192 square metres of floor space (see floor plan attachment) and 68 linear metres of wall hanging space.

- Gallery 1 – 77 square metres floor space / 26 linear metres wall space
- Gallery 2 – 115 square metres floor space / 42 linear metres wall space
- Varied ceiling height – minimum 3m to maximum 6.7m
- Multi-board/plaster walls with option to use hanging track
- ERCO LED lighting system
- Humidity and temperature control
- 3 Mountable projectors
- Distributed speaker system
- Variety of plinths and display cases



Selected applicants will receive the following

- 6-week exhibition duration with an accompanying \$1,350 + GST artist fee to exhibit.
- A curated exhibition and professional installation support.
- A set of professional photographs documenting the exhibition.
- Staffing of the gallery by volunteer and permanent staff for the duration of your exhibition.
- An artist video with an accompanying \$350 + GST artist interview fee.
- Promotional support through social media promotion, Arts Manningham newsletter, listings in Art Guide, Art Collector and Arts Hub.
- Exhibition signage.
- Insurance coverage for the duration of the exhibition.

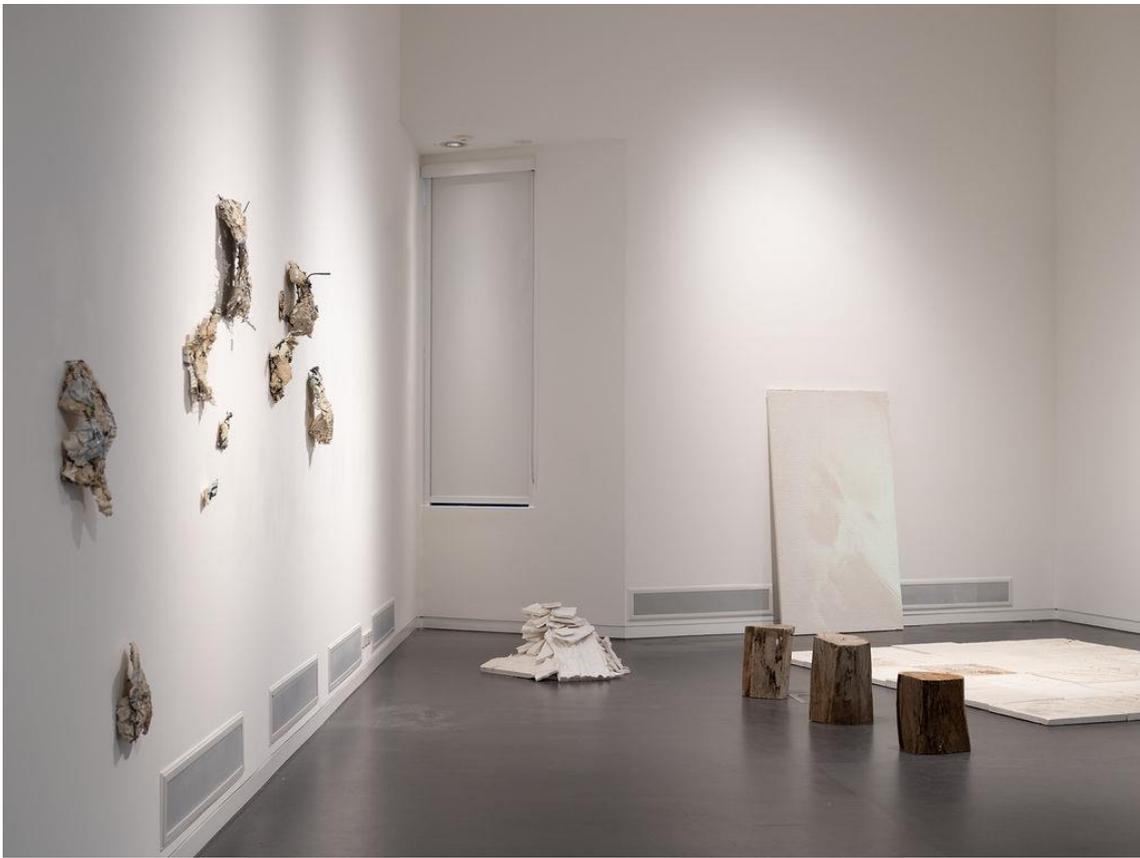
Successful applicants will be responsible for

- Artwork delivery by allocated dates arranged with the gallery team. Artworks must be delivered ready to hang with professional fixtures.
- Assisting gallery staff to design your exhibition. If you are onsite for install, we require you to hold appropriate insurance and undertake an induction. The gallery has final say over what is exhibited in the space, including the number of works and layout.
- Preparing and filming of artist video in the gallery.
- Providing information for promotional material no later than six weeks prior to your exhibition. This will include an artist statement, an artist bio, artwork information and high-resolution digital images (.jpg or .tiff only).
- If you are working onsite in the gallery you will need to provide a Certificate of currency evidencing personal accident cover (if appropriate) and public liability insurance to the value of \$20 million and undertake an induction.
- Pick up of works at the end of exhibition period.
- Sales of any artworks. Manningham Art Gallery does not take commission.
- Additional costs associated with advertising or promotions not listed above.
- Sign an exhibition agreement and provide completed signed paperwork.

Gallery 1



Gallery 2



Gallery 2



Artworks by Anni Hagberg and Rhys Cousins. Photos by Charlie Kinross.