

# Stiwdio



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Stiwdio Maelor is an artist in resident program in North Wales, UK, founded in 2014 by visual artist Veronica Calarco.

As an independent, self-funded project, Stiwdio Maelor seeks to operate ecologically and sustainably on a not for profit basis. Residencies at Maelor aim to provide artists and writers the experience to develop their own practice whilst meeting other diverse artists at various stages of their careers. Print retreats at Stiwdio Maelor are run by qualified instructors and tailored to individual needs.

## OPEN CALL

STIWDIO MAELOR ANNUAL COMPETITION, 2021

**OPEN TO ALL MEDIA**

**DEADLINE: 19<sup>TH</sup> JULY**

- **1<sup>st</sup> Prize - 2 week residency**
- **2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – 2 day print retreat**
- **Student Prize – 1 week residency**

IMAGES (JPEGS) OR FILMS CAN BE SENT VIA EMAIL COMPLETED FORM TO:  
[maelorstores@gmail.com](mailto:maelorstores@gmail.com)

## ENTRY DETAILS

- 2021's Judge: **Evgenia Gostrer** – an abstract and experimental animator. (<https://vimeo.com/evgeniagostreer>)
- Entry Fee: £10 per work or £7 for students. Payment can be made by Paypal (using [stiwdiomaelor@gmail.com](mailto:stiwdiomaelor@gmail.com)). If you would like to pay into a UK or an Australian bank account please contact Stiwdio Maelor.
- An online exhibition of all entries, will be available on Maelor's Website. There will be a people choice competition on Stiwdio Maelor's Facebook page to promote artists and their submitted artworks.
- The winning work will be selected from **JPEG's and FILMS** submitted. Artists can submit up to **TWO** JPEGS per work if 3D.

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- When submitting a film please send us your film using a password protected link to vimeo or youtube.
- Applicants submitting 2D works are required to submit **ONE** JPEG image per artwork. However, if a detailed image is necessary to viewing the artwork **TWO** will be considered.
- Work can be offered for sale via the website. A 30% commission will be charged on sold works.
- Images (JPEGs) can be sent via email or a link via drop box or wetransfer with this application form.
- Email completed application form and images to: [maelorstores@gmail.com](mailto:maelorstores@gmail.com)
- Closing date: 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR ENTRIES!!**

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## Entry Form

<b>NAME:</b>
<b>ADDRESS:</b>
<b>Phone number:</b>
<b>Email:</b>
<b>Entry fee (£10/£7 per work):</b>
<b>Amount paid:</b> £ _____ PayPal
<b>Are you a student?</b>

*Please paste and copy box if submitting more than one work (can submit up to 3 works)*

<b>Title of Work:</b>
<b>Medium:</b>
<b>Dimension (hwx):</b>
<b>Date:</b>
<b>Price (including 30% commission):</b>

<b>Signature:</b> _____ <b>Date:</b> _____
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## COMPETITION REGULATIONS:

1. All work must be the original work of the competitor and must have been executed during the last two years.
2. There is no limit to the number of entries an individual may submit.
3. **DIGITAL ARTISTS** must submit using a password protected link on vimeo or youtube.
4. If any dispute arises, Stiwdio Maelor will make a decision, which will be final.
5. Images that are submitted by artists automatically give Maelor permission to use on social media platforms and publications, unless specified otherwise.
6. Awarding prizes is at the sole discretion of the judge and should the judge feel the work is not of a standard to merit an award, such award will not be given.
7. Closing date for submissions is 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021.
8. Applications will only be accepted which are on this form and fulfil all the specifications and are submitting prior to the closing date.
9. A 30% commission will be taken on any work sold.
10. The date for the residency will be negotiated between the winner and Stiwdio Maelor and will take place by the end of 2022. Once the agreed dates for the residency are confirmed the winner will not be able to change the dates.
11. Announcement of prize will take place in September 2021.
12. All expenses (such as travelling to and from Maelor, food and entertainment) are the responsibility of the artist.
13. Student is anyone who is studying or has completed their degree in 2020 and has answered the above question.

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The winning artists will be offered:

- Either a two-week residency, one-week residency or a print retreat at Stiwdio Maelor.
- A private room during the residency.
- Private working space during the residency.
- Access to shared spaces (kitchen, dining room, bathroom).
- Wifi
- The possibility of meeting other artists and creating connections through creativity.
- The promotion of projects and work through social media.

*(The competition residency does not include materials, travel or living expenses. Those are the responsibility of the chosen artist.)*

## **What does Stiwdio Maelor expect from the selected artist?**

- Regular and serious work during the residency.
- Representing Stiwdio Maelor through social media, press releases, etc. that may be related to the projects realised during your residency at Stiwdio Maelor.
- A blog post (visual / written or both) documenting your residency (to be submitted to the coordinator at the end of your residency)
- The selected artists can donate a work to sell. If the work sells they will then receive 50% of the sale price towards a return residency.