

Frac Bretagne, Rennes

<https://www.fracbretagne.fr/fr/>



Duration: 2 months

Availabilities: January 6 – March 2, 2027

The Magnetic 5 residency, led by the Frac Bretagne, offers 7 weeks of research immersion at <<La Galerie (Binic-Étables-sur-Mer) and 1 week of professional networking in Rennes.

About Frac Bretagne

The Frac Bretagne, founded in 1981, is a leading art institution in the western region of France. Through an ambitious program of exhibitions, dissemination and documentation of the collection as well as numerous programs for the public, the Frac Bretagne's artistic and cultural project, entitled "Making archipelagos", aims to question the ways in which the institution can address the legitimate aspirations of our contemporary society. Inclusivity, diversity and openness towards other fields of discipline in Brittany and the rest of the world are important facets of its mission, developed through a horizontal and participative mediation policy, the inclusion of the Frac in international circulations, and its dedication to co-productions with other institutions. It is also committed to addressing gender equality and issues of ecoresponsibility.

About <<La Galerie

<https://www.binic-etables-sur-mer.fr/galerie-municipale/>

<<La Galerie located in Binic-Étables sur Mer is a 248 m² contemporary art space dedicated to the creation and exhibition of visual arts. Since its opening in 2014, it has established itself as a key cultural venue for the town, affirming its central role within an open and shared municipal cultural policy.

<<La Galerie maintains an ongoing dialogue with the cultural centre L'Estran, the Renée Guilloux Library and the Korrigan Cinema, fostering connections between artistic disciplines and encouraging the movement of audiences between venues. Each season is built around a common theme, designed to create bridges between the visual arts, music, dance, theatre and literature, offering visitors a rich and multilayered experience.

The municipal programme of << La Galerie presents work exclusively by professional artists, both established and emerging. Three exhibitions take place each year, accompanied by a creative residency, which makes this venue a genuine meeting point between artists, the local area and its inhabitants.

1/ FOCUS

A family friendly- seaside resort on a human scale, Binic-Étables-sur-Mer offers a rich variety of landscapes: 8 km of coastline, five very different beaches (-family oriented, unspoilt, lively, secluded), as well as coves, cliffs- and wooded valleys. <<La Galerie is part of this vibrant environment, where residents, walkers and holidaymakers meet and mingle.

2/ PROGRAMME RESOURCES

The residency offers:

- Artist fees of 2500 €/month.
- Furnished private accommodation in Binic-Étables-sur-Mer (22) and Rennes (35).
- Curatorial support by Morgane Esteve, collection manager at Frac Bretagne and Béatrice Jouan Gautron, manager of <<La Galerie.
- Liaison with regional actors (associations, institutions, curators, artists, etc.).
- Round trip UK / France and local transports will be covered.

3/ ACCESS

<<La Galerie in Binic Étables sur Mer is located right in the town centre, forming a cultural triangle with the cinema and the library, close to the main town hall. It is accessible to people with reduced mobility.

However, the accommodation provided for artists, situated 350 metres from <<La Galerie, is a studio accessed by several flights of stairs and has no lift. Located on the top floor, the studio includes a single bed, a small kitchenette, and a bathroom with a toilet.

This floor is shared with other flats made available by the municipality for various cultural associations. It is possible to accommodate an assistant or family members, with the agreement of <<La Galerie team and subject to availability.

The workspace provided is located at <<La Galerie.

The town of Binic-Étables-sur-Mer is served by public transport (buses departing from the town centre or the commercial area).

The nearest SNCF railway station is in Saint Brieuc, 20 km away.

Bicycles are available for hire.