

Application EtM Ridgewood Bushwick Composer Residency 2016-17

Please read the separate [Guidelines](#) for this program before you apply.

This program is open only to legal residents of the five boroughs of New York City. No amplified sounds are permitted. This residency is not suitable for percussionists.

General Instructions

Apply by email to rbscc@exploringthemetropolis.org with your full name as the subject line and at least two file attachments: (a) this PDF **application form**, saved with your information, and (b) your **résumé** (max. two pages) in PDF or Word format.

Two audio work samples should be submitted **either** as (a) **MP3 files** attached to your email along with your application form and résumé or (b) private **SoundCloud links** (URLs) copied and pasted onto page 3 of this application form.

If you are submitting **scores** (strongly recommended), please send them by mail or courier to Exploring the Metropolis, EtM Ridgewood Bushwick Composer Residency, 205 Lexington Ave Fl 17, New York NY 10016-6022.

Contact Information

Last Name First Name

Email

Alternate Email (optional)

Street Address

City, State, ZIP

Borough of Residence

Daytime Phone Alt. Phone (optional)

Website URL (optional)

Music Genre(s)

Professional References

Name, phone and email address of two professional references

Narrative Bio

Provide personal information in short paragraph form: where born/live/work, education, awards, genre(s) of music, as well as other professional activities. Please limit your bio to the space below.

Composer's Statement

Describe your work as well as your working practice in general. Please limit your statement to the space below.

Proposal

Describe your proposed composing project(s) for your residency and any technical requirements. (Projects can change in the course of your residency.) Please include in your proposal an explanation of your need for a dedicated space in which to do your work and how it would be of value to you. Please address why you would like to compose in the Ridgewood Bushwick Senior Citizens Council.

Optional: If you plan on working with any musicians – either other composers or performers – during the course of your residency, please provide information about the collaboration: how many instrumentalists (please specify type) or vocalists, style of music, etc. **Applicant agrees to clear any visitors or collaborators with RBSCC staff in advance of their visit.**

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Please limit your statement to the space on the following page.

Proposal (See instructions on the previous page)

Audio Work Samples

This residency is designed for composers of original music. Arrangements of preexisting material will not be accepted. We will not accept midi recordings.

Submit work samples either as MP3 email attachments or upload them to SoundCloud and provide the private SoundCloud links (URLs) below. **SoundCloud links must be set to downloadable.** (See Guidelines for more specifications.)

Name your files like this: Beethoven Ludwig 1.mp3 and Beethoven Ludwig 2.mp3 (i.e. Lastname Firstname #). The numbers "1" and "2" indicate the order in which you would like them to be considered.

Sample #1 (will be considered first)

Sent by email

At SoundCloud link:

Title of work and description (please limit to the space below) Your descriptions should provide panelists with some context for the work. For example, is it part of a longer piece? What is the musical idea you're exploring?

Applicant's name

Sample #2

Sent by email

At SoundCloud link:

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Will you be sending supplemental materials/printed score?

Yes

No

Please tell us how you heard of this opportunity.

Would you like to sign up for Exploring the Metropolis's e-newsletter? We'll use the primary email address you provided above. EtM will never sell or share your information with other parties.

Yes

No

Already subscribed

Certification

I certify that I am a resident of New York City and have resided herein as of October 31, 2016. I certify that I am 18 years of age or older and that I am not matriculated in a graduate or undergraduate degree program.

I certify that all statements made in this application are true to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that Exploring the Metropolis (EtM) is not liable for damage or loss of any materials submitted.

By typing my initials in this box, I certify the above statements.

All items must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, October 31, 2016.