

## 2019 Architecture Residency



### Introduction

The Art Omi: Architecture residency is the first of its kind in the nation, inviting 10 early- to mid-career architects from around the world to further develop their work during a full two-week residency on Art Omi's campus. The Art Omi: Architecture program aims to nurture architects to experiment at the intersection of architecture, art, and landscape.

Residents will be chosen through a competitive juried process and are invited to attend and participate, at no cost to themselves, except for travel expenses. Abundant, chef-catered meals and spacious, comfortable accommodations are provided in a scenic setting in Columbia County, New York. Art Omi is located near the town of Hudson, about two hours north of New York City by train or car.

### Selection

The ten Architecture Residents are selected on the basis of their individual proposed project and portfolio. Residents receive individual accommodations, dedicated desk-space in a shared studio setting within the campus. All completed projects will be presented in an informal critique setting at the end of the

residency period, with visitors invited to see the proceedings.

### Guest Architecture Critic

Each year a distinguished Architecture Critic is invited to join and meet with the residents during the last weekend of the residency and lead the final project presentations, along with other invited architects, where the public can observe this key aspect in the process of making architecture.

### Eligibility

Application is open to architects from any part of the world that have been professionally active for at least the past six (6) years since professional licensing or obtaining an M. Arch. degree in the U.S. or international equivalent. Applications will be accepted from early and mid-career architects in active professional practice or in academia with an architectural design teaching concentration. We do not accept applications from students currently enrolled in any B. Arch, M. Arch, or PhD program. Please note: having a Master's degree in Architecture and/or an architectural license IS a minimum requirement. Space is very limited and a diverse and international group is sought, consistent with all Art Omi Residency programs and aligning with the mission of the Art Omi: Architecture program. Architecture Residents are required to remain on campus during the entire two weeks.

### Proposed Project

Applicants must submit and describe a project they wish to work on, on their own, while at Art Omi. Projects of any scale may be conceptual or practical in nature, and may be an on-going or existing project that requires completion or a new design scheme to be initiated and completed by the end of the residency. Projects may not be client based nor directed. While the campus and the dedicated Architecture Fields may serve as background

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inspiration or for documentation, the projects cannot and will not be built on premises. In all instances a visual presentation and a final work product is required. This may be in the form of drawings, study models, maquettes, collages, digital images and the like. Written manuscripts and essays are not to be worked on nor initiated while at Art Omi. Each resident is expected to bring all their own design tools, with some limited printing and up to a \$50 allowance for materials provided while on campus.

### Selection Jury

All completed applications adhering to the submission requirements will be reviewed by a distinguished panel of at least four architecture professionals. Among the jurors will be practicing architects, architects in academia, and architecture curators.

### Submission Requirements

Please submit the following four (4) documents, individually and separately uploaded as attachments, in a single email, not compressed nor "zipped" to: [architects@artomi.org](mailto:architects@artomi.org). Please no more and not less than four (4) items, divided as follows:

#### ITEM 1: Statement

An Architect's Statement, preferably in narrative form, about your work without any images nor outside links. This is a fundamental document for our jury to fully understand your architectural practice. When filing your emailed application, you will need to submit this as a 1-page attachment with a 150-word maximum text. If you send a text longer than 150 words or insert URL links, only the first 150 words will be read to our jury. Submit either in PDF or Word Document format only. Please title this document: lastname, firstname, statement, with no commas, dots, or

spacing. Example: `jonesmarystatement.pdf` or `jonesmarystatement.docx`.

#### ITEM 2: Project

The Proposed Project for the Architecture Residency. Submit in a PDF file with: a one-page written description and pertinent information followed by up to four-pages of images with captions, describe the work that will be carried out while on campus during two weeks. If you send more than 5 pages only the first 5 pages will be reviewed. Please DO NOT use font size smaller than 11 points, including captions. If video links are provided in any of these pages, the Jurors will only be shown the first one minute (Max. video links: 3).

Please title document: lastname, firstname, project, with no commas, dots, or spacing. Example: `jonesmaryproject.pdf`

#### ITEM 3: Portfolio

Submit a selected portfolio of your work with up to ten (10) pages in PDF format. All project(s) images and drawings must be captioned and in the case of large-scale projects what was the applicant's role in the team. Please DO NOT use font size smaller than 11 points, including captions. Please title this document with your lastname, firstname, number, with no commas, dots, or spacing: Example: `jonesmaryportfolio.pdf`

#### ITEM 4: Resume

Your Resume and/or Curriculum Vitae. Submit either in PDF or Word Document format. In the last page applicant must provide the names, mailing addresses, phone numbers and email addresses of three (3) professional references and indicate your relationship to them. Please title this document with your lastname, firstname, resume, with no dots, commas or spacing. Example: `jonesmaryresume.pdf` or `jonesmaryresume.docx`

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**IMPORTANT:** All PDFs and/or Word Documents in the four (4) attachments, combined, must NOT EXCEED 25MB. All submitted attachments will be printed onto 8.5" x 11" inches (A4) paper only. Please do not submit: Compressed or "zipped" files, any links to Google Drive or similar, PowerPoint presentations, loose JPEGs, TIFF, GIF or PSD files. If you do so your application will not be considered.

**Send to:** [architects@artomi.org](mailto:architects@artomi.org)

**Subject Line:** Residency Application 2019

**Application Period:** Sept. 20 – Oct. 20, 2018

**Residency Dates:** Feb. 22 – March 10, 2019

Submit any questions in writing via email and, if appropriate, answers will be posted on the Art Omi web site in the 2018 Architecture Residency section prior to the submission deadline. No phone calls please.