



# 2020 Artist in Residence

Spring Session: May 1 - June 1, 2020

**Applications due: January 1, 2020**

## **Overview**

The residency program hosted by the Art Institute of the Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum is for visual artists with training in the visual arts at the post-secondary level, or equivalent experience and exhibition/publication record, whose practice complements our mission of "Conservation through art education" - art related to the appreciation of our natural environment.

## **What is required?**

- Stay with us for a month in one of our quaint and comfortable casita surrounded by the magic of the Arizona-Sonora desert and get artistically inspired.
- Teach a 1-day workshop for the public related to your creative practice.

## **What do you get?**

- 1-month residency
- Paid travel
- \$750 stipend
- Accommodations for 2 - comfortable casita on museum grounds
- Exhibition space through your term to display work you bring or work you make
- 1-month All-access membership for 2 (\$100 value)

## **How to Apply**

1. Upload resume, letter of interest, teaching example and portfolio items to a Dropbox folder and email to [jlindquist@desertmuseum.org](mailto:jlindquist@desertmuseum.org)
  - **Resume:** A resume or C.V. highlighting academic, professional, and other relevant experience - include link to website and/or LinkedIn (2 page max)
  - **Letter of Interest:** In 250 words or less, explain how your artistic process complements our mission and what you hope to achieve in your month here
  - **Proposal/example of engagement activity:** In 500 words or less, share ideas for what you might do for a one-day workshop related to this residency and share one example of something you have done in a teaching capacity
  - **Portfolio:** 5 jpgs of your artwork. 2 images showing a teaching activity that you led.
2. Finalists will be interviewed by Zoom

Applicants will be notified of their status as soon as adjudication is complete, approximately one month following the application deadline.