

INTERNATIONALES KULTUR CENTRUM



The ufaFabrik is happy to invite you to the Engine Room Europe seminar

"Creative Strategies of Sustainability 2"

9th – 14th of September 2013 ufaFabrik, Berlin, Germany

A week of debate and action around the theme "Culture and sustainability", and more specifically on the "Creative strategies of sustainability for artistic and cultural centres in Europe"!

About the seminar

This week programme for cultural operators proposes a common reflection and a time of intense experiences sharing around the potential "creative strategies of sustainability" that the participants might initiate for their own centres. It is a unique opportunity for exchange, discussion and discovery of some practical examples of existing practices. It will be composed by six full-days of activities including workshops, lectures, exploring sustainable places and projects in Berlin, initiation about straw bale building, artistic expression, social interaction and more.

The seminar 2013 will be a mixture out of the "Best of 2012" programme and new challenging inputs and actions. A limited number of people who joined the seminar 2012 are welcome.

For the participants all travel and accommodation costs will be covered. There might be a small fee for food (related to the financial standards in your home country) and extra costs (upgraded hotel standard) etc.

Attention : The number of participants is limited to 20 people!

If you are interested, please send an email to <u>csos@ufafabrik.de</u> or fill in the application form below and send it back soon, latest 14th of june 2013.

Programme

The programme is already well prepared. However, it is still open enough to integrate some aspects that the participants are highly interested in. You will find a report about the seminar 2012 on the TEH website: (http://www.teh.net/news.aspx?itemid=401)

What is provided during the seminar ?

All the costs concerning the daily programme, trainers, visits, activities and materials are covered.

<u>Travel costs</u>: We will cover your moderate travel costs. For coming to Berlin, you have a lot of possibilities from all over Europe: train, plane, boat, bus, carpool, or by bike ...

<u>Accommodation</u>: Six nights in a **shared** double room are provided for free in the guesthouse of the ufaFabrik. Don't worry, the rooms are big and all have a loft, so that you will not sleep close aside to someone you don't want to! The idea is to enjoy the familiar atmosphere of the guesthouse, to share and get to know each other better. If you desire a single room in a pension in the neighbourhood you have to pay an additional fee.

You have also the possibility to take care of your accommodation by yourself. In this case, all the costs will be on your charge.

<u>Food</u>: We will charge everybody a small fee related to the financial standards in the home country, based on the International List for Travel Costs Refund.

Application

Please fill in the pdf. template, save it under your name and send it to: <u>csos@ufafabrik.de</u> The deadline for sending back the application is the **14th of june 2013.** You will get an answer by 24th of june 2013.

Looking forward to hear from you Sigrid, Hélène and the team of ufaFabrik

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"Engine Room Europe is a three-year programme (April 2011-May 2014) of activities dedicated to independent cultural workers and their creative processes. It is initiated by Trans Europe Halles (TEH) and co-ordinated by Melkweg (Amsterdam, The Netherlands) in association with 10 co-organizing TEH members.