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Creative Lab ‘Artistic practice shaped by disabled experience’

Creative Lab event in Germany aims to examine how lived experiences of disability shape artistic practice and what potential lies in disabled leadership.

Date: Thursday, 07.05.2026

Location: Akademie der Kulturellen Bildung (Academy of Cultural Education), 42857 Remscheid, Germany

Who is it for: Art and culture workers of all disciplines, from venues and the independent scene

Read more and register [here](#).

About the event

Our [Creative Lab](#) gathers selected national and international experts from the inclusive cultural sector with cultural practitioners from Germany.

From May 7–10, 2026, the Creative Lab will take place in Remscheid, Germany, and will be focused on the questions:

- How do lived experiences of disability shape artistic practice?
- And what potential lies in Disabled Leadership?

The Creative Lab brings together selected international experts from the inclusive cultural sector with artists and cultural practitioners. Together, they will create space for exchange, artistic exploration and structural questions around disabled-led practice. Disabled-led refers to artistic and organisational practices where disabled people hold the key creative and decision-making roles.



Who is it for

The event is open to artists and cultural practitioners of all disciplines, from institutions and the independent scene.

Costs (all included: accommodation in single or double room and full board)

€210 / €250 / €290 (self-assessed sliding scale)
Personal assistants free of charge

Languages

German and English spoken language as well as German Sign Language (GSL)

Find information about the Creative Lab [here](#)

- [Registration form](#)

- [Audio Flyer](#)

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