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# EDN | Carte Blanche Artist Exchange: What Makes You Disabled?

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# Applications are open until the 13th of April 2023.

Artists, choreographers and other dance professionals are invited to join a 4-day collective and collaborative exploration of disabling conditions and systemic barriers set by prevailing ableism in contemporary dance.

The EDN Carte Blanche Artist Exchange is mediated and facilitated by disabled artists collective Al.Di.Qua and hosted by Lavanderia a Vapore in Collegno (Turin), Italy, from 22 to 25 May 2023.

Inspired by Al.Di.Qua's manifesto, the participants are invited to open a space of possibilities and sow new visions, expand the imaginary relating to disability, grow new skills and raise awareness to generate structural changes and promote greater leadership by people with disabilities and a greater equity for all:

“Our body is not the problem, nor our physical, motor, sensory, neurological, cognitive abilities. We can no longer accept that our bodies, our histories, our changing identities are reported and flattened under a single convenient medical-scientific term. We are not talking about disabilities, but about Disabling Experiences imposed by a society built on a model that only benefits the western, male, white, able, healthy, cisgender and straight human being.”

EDN will reimburse up to a fixed amount of travel contribution, 5 per diems at 30€ per day, book and cover up to 5 nights of accommodation for up to 10 participants. Priority will be given to EDN members and their associated artists. The participation fee of 150€ will be invoiced to the participant or their dancehouse/organisation.

Deadline: 13 April 2023

Register and find more information here.

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