

## OPEN CALL BIRCA ECO MATTER 28/4-11/5-25 DEADLINE APPLICATIONS 24/1-25



**BIRCA eco MATTER** is a joint residency of 2 weeks for 6 international performing artists, who seek to create new solo, shared and collaborative performance works.

The residency addresses interconnectivity through the ecology of environment, of social justice, of spirit and intellectual dimensions. By embracing the natural surroundings of BIRCA we want to create a vision for an regenerative future that nourishes intersection, communication, generosity and sharing as modes of being and creating. You can work on your own projects/practice at the same time as you are expected to enter into a dialogue with the other performing artists and remain open to the possibility of co-creation. We are creating a space for co-creation and exchange, where we aim for care, trust and safety with room for exchanging experiences of being a performing artist. We welcome queer and BIPOC artists and are open for kids and caretakers joining.

We want to be able to share and listen to diverse languages of the artistic and cultural conversations, and we want to create a shared open structure for the residency. There will be communal dining every day and collective meal planning and cooking. The project ends with a public work-in-process presentation.

**BIRCA eco MATTER** is taking place on Bornholm/Denmark and is led by **Susanne Danig/BIRCA** in collaboration with Danish performance maker **Tora Balslev** who will facilitate a joint workshop at the beginning of the residency. Accommodation and food expenses will be covered and we will reimburse up to 300€/2200DK in travel expenses and pay a fee of 1340€/10000DK.

Send an application before 24/1-25 with up to one page attach CV or website and send it all to [info@birca.org](mailto:info@birca.org). Please answer these questions:

How do you define your practice?

What are you curious about/invested in in your practice?

Which questions will you investigate at the residency?

What concrete plans do you have for your work at the residency?

Read more about practical things at BIRCA here: <https://www.birca.org/en/practical-information>

Questions about all residencies should be directed to Susanne Danig [susanne@birca.org](mailto:susanne@birca.org)