



Kickstart Mini Commissions Connect – Collaborate - Create

About the Kickstart Mini Commissions:

Are you based in Luton with a creative idea that you would like to kickstart? It might be that you want to test out an idea, or put on a new event in Luton, collaborate with another creative, need a specific piece of equipment, or something else – you tell us what would make the difference.

There are 5 mini commissions available in this round of up to a maximum of £400 each (there is no minimum) and successful commissions will form the start of Revoluton's 'Stories of Luton' creative library, a digital collection of Luton stories and ideas.

So what are you waiting for?

Just check you meet the criteria and apply via written or video application to info@revolutonarts.com. The deadline is 25th Jan 2019. Please note that there will be other rounds from Spring 2019 if you are not ready yet.

Criteria:

- Be over 18 and live/work in Luton
- Have an idea for a creative project that will benefit Luton's communities or a requirement that will make a difference to the development of your creative practice
- Be able to share the output from the commission through 10 online pictures that will form part of Revoluton's Stories of Luton digital library
- Be able to deliver your activity by 29 March 2018 and present your project at Revoluton's April Creative Café
- Be willing to register and have a profile on The Matrix, Revoluton's online platform for Luton creatives, when it goes live in the new year
- Be able to have a conversation with Revoluton Arts Producers Hub, led by 1DegreeEast, about the future potential of your project

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To Apply:

Here's what you need to do to apply – on **no more than 2-sides of A4** or no more than 5mins in a video, tell us -

- A bit about you
- Tell us your idea and what you want to do
- How the Kickstart mini-commission could make the difference to your creative practice and/or Luton's communities
- How much are you applying for and what will you spend it on? Please note successful applicants will need to provide a budget.
- When will you do that by?
- Anything else that you want to tell us that you feel is relevant.
- Add your mobile and email contact details

Please also confirm that you are able to:

- Share your activity through 10 pictures online and in person at the April Creative Café event
- Be able to deliver this activity by 29 March 2019
- Are willing to attend a meeting with 1DegreeEast Producers Hub before the activity delivery date
- You are a registered company or self-employed with a valid UTR number (please note that Revoluton are unable to make direct payments to anyone without a UTR number, but might be able to support the delivery of a commission by purchasing items for it).

Deadlines:

Email your application to info@revolutonarts.com by 11.59pm on 25 January 2019.

Any more questions?

Email info@revolutonarts.com or attend the Creative Café on 11th December 2018.

Selection Process

Applications will be selected from a panel comprising of Revoluton Arts, 1degreeEast producers hub, and 2 community partners.

Successful applicants will be notified by email by 15th February 2019.

Successful applicants will be asked to provide a short project plan and budget.

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