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A MULTI-DISCIPLINARY RESIDENCY FOR ARTISTS TO CONVERGE, SHARE SKILLS & CREATE NEW WORK



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LDN Convergence is a two-week residency presented by TAP Centre for Creativity for London artists of all disciplines to collaborate, test ideas, and develop new, interesting work. This initiative is built as a rapid creation “convergence,” which will include side projects, workshops, rehearsals, an Umbrella Project, and an Open Lab presentation. It is inspired by a network of other convergences, which began with the Indy Convergence in Indianapolis.

Founded in 2007, the Indy Convergence developed a special way of taking artistic projects to their next step by fostering an immersive, collaborative, process-driven environment that allows artists to experiment freely with no pressure to produce polished finished projects. TAP is proud to have received the support of the original convergence, beginning to grow the roots of this concept in London, Ontario.

Our goal is to build bridges between London’s theatre, visual and performing arts scenes, and in doing so lay the groundwork so that in future years we can invite even broader participation.

TAP CENTRE FOR CREATIVITY

Driven to transform the community by supporting emerging artists in all disciplines, TAP provides quality facilities and innovative programs that nourish passions, mentor creators, and overcome barriers to creativity. Located in London’s downtown core, TAP has a gallery, professional artist studios, a black-box theatre, and multi-use workshop spaces all under one roof.

The **LDN Convergence** will be immersed in every inch of our space and will fully embody TAP’s mission by connecting different types of artists through skill sharing, presentation and development of new work.

LDN CONVERGENCE DETAILS

WHEN? July 2 - 13, 2019

WHERE? TAP Centre for Creativity - 203 Dundas St.

WHAT’S INCLUDED?

Workshops - Sessions led by community members, in which the public can also participate.

Side Projects - Individual projects that the artists develop during the convergence.

Umbrella Project - An interdisciplinary collaborative piece in which everyone participates and contributes.

Open Lab - A public presentation of the artists’ projects from the two weeks.

6 to 8 “Convergers” will be selected through an application process, and will incur no cost during the LDN Convergence.

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WHY YOUR SUPPORT IS IMPORTANT

Supporting our **LDN Convergence** means being involved in a unique initiative not yet seen in London and ensuring our participants have the best experience possible. You are providing artists with the freedom to commit to our two-week convergence and realize their creative potential without financial barriers. By supporting **LDN Convergence**, you are investing in local artists and their professional growth, while connecting community members to these artists and the interesting work they are creating right in the core of London.

TAP needs to raise a total of **\$6,000** in order to undertake this initiative. This cost includes:

ITEM	COST
Workshop Facilitators' Honorariums	\$500
Program Facilitators' Honorariums	\$400
Artist Materials and per diem	\$2,200
Workshop Materials	\$400
On-Site Breakfasts & Snacks	\$300
Operational Costs	\$2,200
TOTAL	\$6,000

Your generous support will allow us to grow London's arts scene in a way that has never been done before in this city.

Thank you for your time and consideration – we look forward to speaking with you.

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