



Call for Applications – Artist in Residence at Haleco

Deadline: December 31, 2025

Residency Duration: 1 year

Location: Haleco, 997 de la Commune St. W, Montréal, QC

Demain Montreal is launching a call for applications for a one-year artist residency within the iconic Haleco building, located at the intersection of Old Montreal and Griffintown. This initiative aims to support artistic creation in alignment with Haleco's core values of sustainability, innovation, and inclusion.

About Haleco

Haleco is an innovative real estate development project. Winner of the international Reinventing Cities competition organized by C40, Haleco embodies a vision of sustainable and inclusive urban living. The project aims to transform an underused site into a mixed-use space that includes residential units, offices, a circular economy hub, and an urban farm. The building's façade features artworks by Marc Séguin, who will also provide mentorship to the selected artist.

Haleco stands out for its exemplary ecological approach, having achieved LEED Platinum certification thanks to a design focused on energy efficiency, biodiversity, and water conservation, among other principles. The project represents a strong commitment to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and promoting a sustainable lifestyle for Montreal residents.

For more information about the Haleco project, please visit our website: haleco.ca.

The Residency

Haleco will offer, for a period of one year, a studio space within its commercial area. Applicants must demonstrate a strong artistic practice and a creative vision aligned with Haleco's values of sustainability and innovation.

They are invited to propose an artistic project — in any discipline — with complete freedom of subject and form, as long as it resonates with the project's ambitions: to create a vibrant, inclusive space oriented toward socio-ecological transition. This resonance—whether thematic, material, social, or symbolic—will guide the evaluation of applications.

In line with Haleco's values, the selected artist will be encouraged to build connections with the communities that interact with the project—either by leaving a lasting contribution or through cultural mediation activities and the sharing of their artistic



process. The nature of this engagement is flexible: applicants are invited to specify in their application how they wish to engage the community.

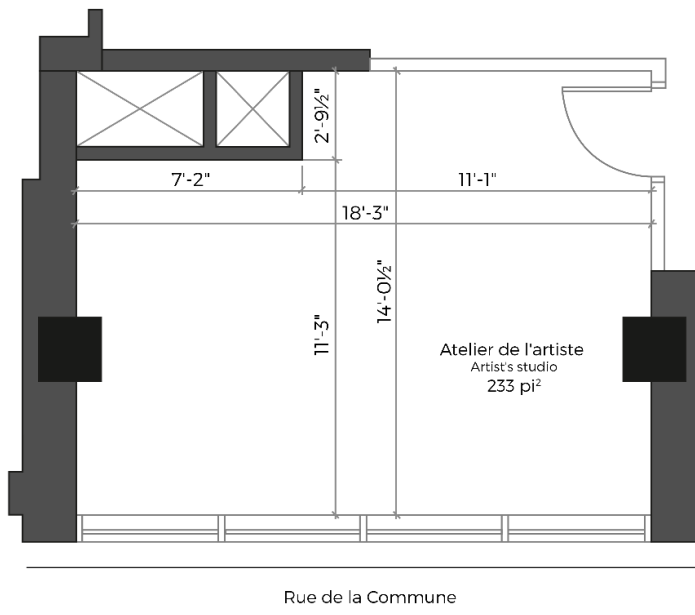
Finally, the artist agrees that their image may be used in communications related to the project.

The space includes

- Workspace of **233 sq. ft.**
- Equipped area: desk, chair, cabinet, electrical outlets
- Access to the space according to a schedule to be agreed upon with the owner (flexible)
- Access to common areas during opening hours
- No additional specialized ventilation available (e.g., extraction hood for work involving harmful substances, fumes, or flames)

Ceiling heights and details

- Concrete slab: 11' 6"
- Gypsum soffit: 10' 0"
- Under-fixture height: 8' 2"





Application Materials

Interested artists are invited to submit an application package including:

- A portfolio of recent works
- A CV outlining their professional and artistic background
- A motivation letter detailing: (1) their artistic approach and how it may connect with the project or its environment, and (2) their residency project, including how they wish to engage with the community and/or leave a lasting impact
- The desired start date for the residency (before July 1, 2026)

Applications should be submitted through the following form:

<https://forms.gle/eeFzxPYFWFgiDhyt5>

Submission

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Applications will be reviewed by a jury composed of members of Demain Montréal and Marc Séguin.

If you have any questions about the application, you can contact artisteenresidence@haleco.ca.