

Call for applications

«Going back through memory lane»

Call for applications for web designer

Deadline: 20 January 2023, midnight (Cameroon time)

The Forest Creative Loft is pleased to announce the opening of a call for a web designer to create a digital platform, an online archive of their Going back through memory lane project which will run from January to September 2023.

The Forest Creative Loft is an experimental creative space that opened in May 2020 in Bali, Douala, Cameroon. A site of infinite signs and potentialities, The Forest uses itself as a symbol and a place of infinite possibilities; both for its positive and opposite traits.

Through its programming, The Forest enables the exchange of knowledge between artists, global and cultural citizens to participate in challenging stereotypes, creating new and rewarding narratives of alternative imaginaries for the African continent.

As part of its activist, social and artistic activities, The Forest has committed itself, with the support of its friends, to participate in the aftermath of the Anglophone crisis by providing moral, mental and financial support to some of the internally displaced people and it is in this context that the Going back through memory lane project is being developed.

Going back through memory lane is a project that aims to participate in the reparation of individual and collective memories through the creation of a digital archive. The project involves field trips to collect voices and stories, a series of workshops and public presentations.

The web designer will be selected in January 2023 via a call for applications, followed by an interview by a committee consisting of the project director, manager, curator and administrative officer.

This call is open to anyone of Cameroonian origin who is fluent in English and French. Knowledge of Pidgin would be an additional advantage.

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Key roles and responsibilities

-The Forest is looking for a web designer for a fixed term from January 2023 until the end of September 2023.

- The candidate will be responsible for the design and implementation of the digital archive, the main goal of the Going back through memory lane project.

- The candidate will participate in the reflection and design of the project's graphic charter.

- The candidate will be responsible for translating the curatorial proposal into a platform that meets the requirements and complexity of the project.

- The candidate must demonstrate experience in designing digital platforms for artistic projects of this scale.

- The candidate will demonstrate the ability to propose an innovative format that responds to contextual use.

- The candidate will work closely with the project curator, the archivist and the communication officer.

- The salary already determined will be communicated during the interview.

Requirements:

Each application should include:

- A letter of motivation that demonstrates an understanding of the challenges of such a project (maximum one page)

- a curriculum vitae (maximum two pages)

- A project portfolio showing 3 creative projects completed in the last 3 years.

NB: Applications should be sent (in PDF) no later than 20 January 2023, midnight (Cameroon time) to the following email address: theforestcreativeloft@gmail.com with the subject line: Call for Web Designer.

For any question, related to the call, please contact us by e-mail: theforestcreativeloft@gmail.com



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