



PAC Home

A supporting network for artists, writers and curators

Information pack and new members form



What is PAC Home?

PAC Home is a membership network for artists, curators and writers, who operate from Plymouth, Devon and Cornwall. It is an initiative by Plymouth Arts Centre, aiming to support and foster a strong visual arts sector by developing and raising engagement in contemporary art; supporting production through critical review and connection to a professional and global network.

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Who is it for?

PAC Home is for visual arts practitioners in the region, who want to engage with their peers, make contact with organisations and artists outside of their normal reach and get advice and support to develop their work. Through these opportunities projects, collaborations and exhibitions often grow.

Members are practicing artists, writers or curators outside of undergraduate education or in their final year. If you want to access a series of opportunities to develop your career and you also want to be proactive in developing the networks you need to support your practice and professional development then PAC Home will welcome you as a new member.



What does membership include?

Talks

Talks presented by visiting artists, curators and writers, reflecting the programme at Plymouth Arts Centre and the needs of the membership. PAC Home members can contribute suggestions for speakers.

Crits

Normally held once a month, group critiques are a chance to share projects and get feedback. Projects and work can be brought to the informal sessions with peers, chaired or facilitated as needed and occasionally taking place offsite in studios or at exhibitions.

Away Days

Regional and national trips that include visiting other venues and making contact with other artists and projects. All PAC Home members are eligible to apply for travel bursaries.

Residencies

Exclusive opportunities for PAC Home members to make new work, either in the residency studio at Plymouth Arts Centre or offsite with a partner venue or organisation.



What does the membership fee pay for?

Membership costs £5 per month and members are required to pay for a minimum of six months. The fee goes directly towards sustaining the PAC Home programme: speaker's fees, travel bursaries, administration costs and maintaining the PAC Home Space and Reference Library.



PAC Home Space

A dedicated space at Plymouth Arts Centre for use at any time during opening hours. With Wi-Fi access and a catalogued resource library the space can be used for meetings or drop in quiet study and is the base for most PAC Home events.

1-2-1s

Tailored sessions for individual PAC Home members with professionals and guests. These can be portfolio sessions, studio visits, advice on grant writing, feedback on new work etc. Members should contact the PAC Home Coordinator to arrange a session.

Website listing

All PAC Home members are listed on the PAC Home page of Plymouth Arts Centre's website and linked to their own website, generating traffic to see your work.

How do I become a PAC Home Member?

Complete the membership form on the reverse and take it to the Plymouth Arts Centre Box Office. If you have further questions about PAC Home email the address below.

To help shape the PAC Home programme you should also forward your current CV and a short email stating what you hope to get out of the PAC Home programme to: pachome@plymouthartscentre.org



PAC Home membership form

To join, first simply choose your method of payment and complete Section 1 returning it to Plymouth Arts Centre. If you prefer to pay by Standing Order please complete Section 2 and send it to your bank.

Section	1	Membership
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Name	Please tick method of Payment:
Address	In person at the box office (cash/card)
	Standing Order
Postcode	Six months £30
Phone number	Twelve months £60
Email	
Website/blog	Box Office Use Only:
	Payment processed
Signature	Membership card issued
Date	Form forwarded to Programming

Section 2 Standing Order mandate

Please only complete this section and send to your bank if you wish to pay by standing order.

Account number

Name

Name and address of your bank

Please pay: Plymouth Arts Centre

Lloyds Bank TSB, Royal Parade, Plymouth. Sort Code: 30 – 96 – 68 Account No. 03872456

the amount of £

on this date

& thereafter annually

& thereafter six monthly

Signature

Sort code