

OPEN CALL FOR ARTISTS



ARTWALK 2023 : “Palimpsest”

by ECHOLOT

We are excited to announce an open call for artists to participate in the Palimpsest ARTWALK, which aims to **make the invisible visible, the inaudible audible, remember the forgotten, notice the ordinary, and reminiscence about the remarkable**. This exploration of the layers of history and memory embedded in the former Ankerbrotfabrik building and its surrounding environment invites artists **to create non-permanent site-specific artworks** that engage with the layers of history and memory embedded in the site.

Palimpsest is a metaphorical term that describes a manuscript or document that has been written on and then scraped off or washed clean to be used again, leaving behind traces of the past. In the context of the ARTWALK, "Palimpsest" refers to the multiple layers of history, culture, and identity that are present in the former Ankerbrotfabrik building and its surroundings. The factory has a rich political and cultural past that has shaped the city of Vienna, and its transformation into a vibrant cultural hub has added new layers of meaning and identity to the site. There are also some dark chapters hidden under the polished surface we like to scratch. We encourage **artists from all transdisciplinary genres, including installation, video, sculpture, visual art, painting, digital art, textile, and olfactory art, to submit their proposals for consideration**.

The ARTWALK will take place from **May 26-28 at six locations** throughout the former Ankerbrotfabrik at the 10th district. The deadline for application is to be announced, so please stay tuned for further updates. If you're an artist looking for an opportunity to explore the layers of history and memory that are present in the former Ankerbrotfabrik building and its surroundings, we welcome you to submit your project proposal for consideration.

Key Information:

- *Dates: May 26-28*
- *Deadline for application: 16.04.2023*
- *Locations: Six locations in the former Ankerbrotfabrik at the 10th district*
- *Genre: Artwalk*

To apply, please submit your project proposal to echo@lot.wien by the deadline to be announced. We look forward to seeing your creative interpretations of the Palimpsest theme and collaborating with you on this exciting project.