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THE COMMONS CURATORIAL RESIDENCY

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

2012-2013 SEASON

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Please answer the questions below using a maximum of 250 words each and submit with your project application. Please include your name, address, email address and project title on all Commons Fund application pages.

1. **Impact on Project (max. 250 words)** How will a Commons Curatorial Residency benefit your proposed exhibition?
2. **Impact on Artistic Development/Career (max. 250 words)** Describe how a SOMArts Main Gallery residency and the accompanying grant will advance your artistic career. Does the project represent a significant shift or evolution in your work? If so, how?
3. **Community Engagement** Describe your vision for community engagement, including the goals, location and timeframe of all public programming elements; key participants and engagement of marginalized communities (including number of individuals to be served). What is their role? What will they learn or gain from the activity? What is your related experience? How will you market the project and attract audience members to your show? (max. 600 words)
4. **Experience** What experience do you have executing similar projects?
5. **Collaboration** Describe the role of any confirmed artistic collaborators in the project. How will the collaboration enrich the project? What is their role? Have you worked together in the past? If so, how?

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