

NEW GENEROUS

AUGUST 15-16 2024

OPEN CALL

Deadline: 14th of June

NEW GENEROUS seeks artists with an interest in exploring the club space as setting and context for their work. We invite original ideas from artists with practices linked to that of movement, performance, dance or other bodily focuses, and we look for courage, playfulness and a challenging of form that can explore and expand the club space with a focus on community, care and physical togetherness.

The call is open to artists curious to present a new or pre-existing performance piece / action / event within the club space – therefore requiring minimum technical equipment and a flexibility in terms of space and time. The performance will be presented as part of a larger curated program including various DJ sets that takes place over two days at Basement in Copenhagen.



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WHAT IS NEW GENEROUS?

NEW GENEROUS is a two day event taking place at BASEMENT in Copenhagen on August 15-16th 2024. It's a movement, a dance, a party that wants to create new meetings between dance, art and people. We value the importance of club culture and embrace techno culture and dance floor energy.

NEW GENEROUS is set to explore and broaden the club space with an aim to create a dance-centered community-feel club scene. But our vision goes beyond nightlife – it applies to all spaces and situations in society. With curiosity and openness towards the moving sensing body we want to expand awareness in the collective space. We wish for unprejudiced thinking and insist on greater kindness, playfulness and generosity.

WHAT NEW GENEROUS OFFERS

NEW GENEROUS is a platform as well as a community. Being volunteer-led, NEW GENEROUS invites the contributing artists to share the ownership of the event and help shape and form the outcome of NEW GENEROUS 2024. Leading up to actual dates of NG 2024, we invite the contributing artists to take part in a shared afternoon of sparring and curational workshopping towards setting the program of the event days. Furthermore, we invite artists, organizers and volunteers to dine together the evening of the 14th of August leading up to the launch of NEW GENEROUS 2024.



PROJECT FEE

As NEW GENEROUS is a volunteer-led initiative supported by Vesterbro Lokaludvalg, we can offer a symbolic fee of 2000 DKK pr. performance. This fee is non-adjustable and is the same amount no matter the amount of performers/artists involved in the project.

WHAT SHOULD THE APPLICATION INCLUDE?

- Short pitch (approx. 250 characters)
- Motivation for wanting to participate in NEW GENEROUS (max ½ a page OR a 2-minute video link to Vimeo/Youtube)
- Performance / idea description (max ½ page OR a 2-minute video link to Vimeo/Youtube)
- Brief CV of the people involved (max 1 page each)
- Send your application to newgenerous@gmail.com

APPLICATION PROCESS AND IMPORTANT DATES

June 14th: Deadline for applications

June 16th: Response to all applications

June 18th: Possibility to visit Basement venue

August (exact date TBC): Meeting between performers/organizers + process sharing/sparring

August 14th: Dinner for the whole NEW GENEROUS team

August 15-16th: NEW GENEROUS 2024 at Basement

