



Keshet Makers Space Experience

Application Form – 2024 Cohort

Applications accepted Sept 10-Oct 31, 5:00pm MST, 2023

Submissions will be collected online via a simple google form.
For your convenience, here are the questions you will be asked.
Questions 5-6 and 8-11 have the option for a video/recorded answer.

1. General information – please provide the following info:

Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____
Date of Birth: _____
City/State/Country of current residence: _____

2. While the Keshet Makers Space Experience is structured for individuals, occasionally artists bring collaborators with them. **How many artists will be involved in your Makers Space Experience?** Please provide an exact number of how many people will be participating (If it is just you participating, the answer is “ONE”).
3. **Please further describe your answer to question #2 above by selecting one of the following:**
- a. I am applying as an individual artist, and no collaborators will be joining me at Keshet.
 - b. I am applying as an individual artist, but I will have collaborators joining me at Keshet.
 - c. This application is for a collaborative team of artists, not an individual.
 - i. if this is the case, please complete question #1 information for all artists who are part of the application, and please answer the rest of the application questions from the perspective of the collaborative team, not one person.
 - d. This application is for an entity (company, organization, formal collective).
 - i. If this is the case, please complete question #1 information for all artists who are part of the application. Please indicate the name of the organization/company along with the individual filling out the application. Please answer the application questions from the perspective of the organization/company and representatives that will be participating.
4. How did you hear about the Keshet Makers Space Experience?
5. **Artist/s Biography** – this can be a more formal/traditional biography (100 word limit)
6. **Tell us a little bit about yourself/selves** – not your formal bio above, but why do you dance/ choreograph, what are you working on currently (professionally and/or personally), what interests you about the Keshet Makers Space Experience, what do you hope to gain from this experience, what do you hope to offer to the Keshet/Albuquerque community during your time in this experience? If you are a local applicant, how do you envision your work connecting to the local community beyond the MSE time frame? (750 word limit or 3min video limit)

7. **Work Samples** – please include links for no more than 3 work samples, each no more than 5 minutes in length. Please describe each work sample and how it supports your application.
8. **For what will you use the space?** i.e. general time/space for movement exploration, current piece that you are developing, fine tuning of an existing piece. There is no right answer here. (500 word limit or 2min video limit)
9. **What would be your ideal amount of studio use time?** (How many hours per day? Mornings? Afternoons? Daily vs days off in the mix? (You may want to refer to the FAQs document, for more details on the overall schedule format).
10. **What 90-minute Peer-Led Class would you propose to offer during your MSE?** As part of the Makers Space Experience community exchange, each Maker will teach one, 90-minute class during their time in the MSE; in which you and your peer Makers can learn from and with each other. Please list class title/s and brief description for each proposed class offering. You can list one class that you definitely want to teach, or you can list a few class options. If you list multiple options for class offerings, Keshet will select one of these to include in the MSE class offerings during your cohort period. (100 words or 1min video limit)
11. **What arts business skills are you interested in learning while you are participating in the MSE? (you will be able to select all that apply, and add other options if you don't see a topic you are interested in learning about).** Some ideas: grant research/writing; branding/marketing; intellectual property law; business plan writing; budgeting and/or cash flow management; contract law / contract negotiations; working with a presenter; any other ideas? We will build the schedule of arts business classes that will be occurring during the MSE cohort period from the interests identified by the selected Makers.
12. **If you are selected to be a participant in the Keshet Makers Space Experience, you will be asked to do the following:** a) Secure your own travel to and from ABQ; and ground transportation to and from Keshet during the 10-day residency period; b) Arrive in time for the orientation period listed for your cohort schedule; and stay through the indicated time period for your cohort group. If you have any collaborating artists noted (see questions #2 and #3) these artists will also be expected to make the full time commitment to the MSE cohort dates; c) Fulfill the Peer-Led Class teaching requirement by teaching 1 class that will be open to your peers and the broader Keshet/ABQ community; d) Complete a background check (via email link), and additional pre-experience registration paperwork; and e) Complete a feedback/evaluation from within 1 month of your Makers Space Experience culmination. **Please indicate that you understand and agree to fulfill each requirement of the residency. (You may want to refer to the FAQs document, for any questions on each one)**
13. **Keshet's Makers Space Experience provides housing in ABQ for individual makers coming from out of town, if needed/desired.** Will you need housing?

Questions: Contact Ana Lopes Aréchiga, ana@KeshetArts.org, 505-224-9808

Application Submission and Program Calendar – 2024 MSE

Sept 10 – Oct 31, 2023	Makers Space Experience Open Application Period
Oct 31, 2023, 5:00pm MST	Deadline for application submissions
December 1, 2023	All applicants will be notified of their application results <i>NOTE: If you do not see an email from Keshet regarding the status of your application by Dec 1, 2023, please check your spam, or reach out to us. ALL applicants will receive correspondence.</i>
December 15, 2023	Deadline for MSE acceptance confirmation and completion of related program participation paperwork by selected Makers.
Early February, 2024	90-minute Orientation Zoom Meeting with Cohort 1 (REQUIRED)
Feb 28-Mar 9, 2024 Fri, Mar 8, 2024	MSE Residency Period – Cohort 1 Choreographers' Showcase Performance/s (participation optional)
Early/Mid March, 2024	90-minute Orientation Zoom Meeting with Cohort 2 (REQUIRED)
April 5-15, 2024 Sun, April 13/14, 2024	MSE Residency Period – Cohort 2 Choreographers' Showcase Performance/s (participation optional)

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