



# Kingston Sculpture Trail

**Calling all 16 to 18 year olds**

**Are you creative and interested in the arts?**

**Join our Kingston Sculpture Trail judging panel and be part of a unique event!**

This summer Canbury Community Trust, Kingston Council, Kingston First and Kingston University will join forces to create a new and exciting sculpture trail for Kingston. The trail will encourage visitors and residents to explore our historic town centre and riverside.

We are looking for two creative young people to help us judge the entries for six new temporary sculptures, alongside the community and professional artists. This is a great opportunity to share your ideas by joining our selection panel and for you to represent the young people of Kingston.

You don't have to study creative subjects, but you should have a genuine interest in arts and culture and understand how you could benefit from this experience.

## **The Project**

Kingston Sculpture Trail will feature six new temporary sculptures/artworks around the town that will build upon the borough's proud tradition of supporting the arts. The opportunity will be advertised through a competitive call out to Kingston University, the Royal Society of Sculptors, Kingston-based artists and artistic networks. The public will be invited to vote for their favourite work of art, which will be bought by Kingston Council and installed as a permanent new piece of public art for the town.

The temporary artworks will be chosen by a selection panel of artists and community partners, chaired by renowned Sculptor, David Mach (RA), creator of Out of Order - Kingston's iconic red telephone boxes.

## **The Role**

As part of the judging panel we will guide you through the selection process. This will involve discussing shortlisted applications and then taking part in our judging panel. We are also interested in students who can contribute their ideas to how we excite and engage young people, particularly in encouraging them to vote for their favourite sculpture.

The selection panel will meet in May to discuss the entries and the sculptures will be installed in June, so you should be able to commit time for a minimum of two meetings.

## **About You**

You do not need to study creative subjects but you will have an interest in art and design. We are looking for enthusiastic applicants who are keen to learn and able to contribute in a meaningful way. This a unique opportunity, therefore you should think about how this will benefit your personal and creative development.

To apply please fill in the form below and send to [sculpturetrail@kingstonfirst.co.uk](mailto:sculpturetrail@kingstonfirst.co.uk) More information about the project is available from [www.kingstonfirst.co.uk](http://www.kingstonfirst.co.uk)



**Application Form**

Your Name.....

Age.....Current Place of Study (School/College).....

Home Address.....

Please tell us why you would like to be part of the judging panel and how you think this experience will benefit you. Explain below in no more than 150 words, or you can send a video (MP4 file) to accompany this form, instead of a written statement.

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Name of Guardian/Parent (please print).....

Guardian/Parent Email.....Mobile .....

I consent to the above applicant participating in the Kingston Sculpture Trail Judging Panel.

Signed.....Date.....

I do/do not (please delete as appropriate) give consent for my child to participate in any publicity (including photos, social media, press) relating to the project.

Email Your Completed form to [sculpturetrail@kingstonfirst.co.uk](mailto:sculpturetrail@kingstonfirst.co.uk)