

# Artists Submissions

## Submission Criteria and Guidelines

**Exhibition proposals are evaluated according to the following criteria:**

- **Quality** The standard and calibre of work; level of innovation; level of originality
- **Relevance** to Oriel Davies Gallery's audiences
- **Potential for education programme** of related workshops / events / activities
- **Cost** implications to the gallery and whether the proposal is likely to attract sufficient funding for its realisation
- **Practicalities** The degree of practical considerations involved in hosting the work or exhibition
- **Broader Interest** In the case of exhibitions developed for touring - the likely level of interest from other galleries/venues. (Exhibitions developed for touring will require a minimum of 2 years lead-in from conception to realisation.)

**If you would like the gallery to consider your work or proposal for exhibition please follow these guidelines:**

- Send slides or prints (no more than 15), and/ or CDs, clearly marked with title, date, medium and dimensions, your name and address together with a slide list
- Do not send original artwork to the gallery as we cannot be responsible for loss or damage in transit and we do not have space to store the work
- Send an up to date CV, an artist's statement and if relevant, an exhibition proposal/concept
- Enclose an SAE for the return of your items. If you require these to be returned by a particular date, please specify in your covering letter

**Send your submission / proposal to:**

Alex Boyd  
Curator  
Oriel Davies Gallery  
The Park  
Newtown  
Powys  
SY16 2NZ

If you wish to discuss the exhibition programme informally you can contact Alex Boyd on 01686 625041 or email: [alex@oriel Davies.org](mailto:alex@oriel Davies.org). **Please be patient when submitting your work and allow up to 3 months for it to be considered.**

*Your work / proposal may alternatively be suitable / eligible for Oriel Davies' Test Bed programme, dedicated to showcasing new and experimental emergent work from Wales and the Borders. Please visit the 'Test Bed' page of the website for more information.*