**Traverse Young Writers**

**Bursary Application 2021**

The Traverse Theatre is passionate about supporting the NEW. New ideas, new conversations, new writers.  Traverse Young Writers is aimed at 18-25 year olds who wish to develop their playwriting skills. The course offers the opportunity to be part of a creative network, where aspiring playwrights can discuss, debate and create great new work.

As part of our commitment to supporting and developing new talent, the Traverse is able to offer a limited number of bursaries for those unable to cover the course fees.

**Application Information**

The information submitted as part of this application shall be held confidentially and shall be used for no other purpose than the selection process of Traverse Young Writers Bursary recipients, for the period September – December 2021. All application forms shall be securely destroyed after the selection process is complete and successful applicants are notified.

Please note, all information provided in this application should be correct and accurate. Selected candidates may be asked to provide evidence in order to qualify their application.

**Terms and Conditions**

Traverse Young Writers Course Bursaries are intended to support those who are unable to cover the course fees. Either the full or a percentage of the course fee will be covered directly by the Traverse Theatre.

**Bursaries are limited and we may not be able to support all bursary applications.**

**APPLICATION FORM**

**Name:**

**Address:**

**Email Address:**

**Telephone Number:**

**Date of Birth:**

**Are you currently:** *(double click to check box)*

**In full-time employment:**

**In part-time employment:**

**Full-time education:  (Please specify)…………………………**

**Part-time education:  (Please specify)…………………………**

**Unemployed:**

**Other:  (Please specify) ………………………..**

**Are you currently in receipt of any government awarded funding or state benefits? (e.g Job Seekers Allowance, SAAS etc)**

**Yes  (Please specify) ………………………………………………………….**

**No**

**Do you have any dependants?**

**Yes**

**No**

**Why are you interested in joining Traverse Young Writers? What would you hope to achieve or develop from participating in Traverse Young Writers? (Max 150 words)**

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**Tell us about a piece of writing you admire? (Max 150 words)**

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**Why do you feel you need the support of a Traverse Young Writers bursary? (Max 150 words)**

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**Please include a short example of your playwriting or writing in a medium of your choice. This should be a maximum 2 sides of A4.**

Please return your completed application to[**writing@traverse.co.uk**](mailto:writing@traverse.co.uk) **by 10am on Tuesday 14th September.**

If you have any further queries or questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at this email address.