

OPEN CALL FOR UPV/EHU ALUMNI

Experimental Sculpture Competition for UPV/EHU Students

The MEM International Experimental Art Festival in Bilbao, celebrating its 25th anniversary and in collaboration with the Sculpture Department of the Faculty of Fine Arts at the UPV/EHU, is holding an Experimental Sculpture Competition for UPV/EHU students.

The prize consists of exhibiting the selected work at one of the MEM festival venues in November 2026.

The aim of the competition is not to produce a new work, but rather to exhibit a previously created work within a professional setting: the MEM festival.

The winner will also receive €50 for exhibition rights. No production, transportation, or other expenses will be covered.

The winning work will be selected based on originality, experimentation, hybridization, multidisciplinary, etc.

WHAT'S MEM ?

MEM

MEM festival happens in November in Bilbao (Basque Country Spain). There you can find dance, theatre, music, environment art, video, film, net-art, performance, readings, master classes and a lot of fun.

MEM support transgressor projects in a moment in which creation don't take many risks.

MEM combine high technology with a counter-culture view, punk heritage, "do it yourself", and thought and criticism.

MEM state a Bilbao between two worlds, a reminiscence of industrial pollution and a new Bilbao of the information era and new technologies.

MEM combine international and local views, looking for a fruitful dialogue among all different participant artists.

MEM show aggressive and experimental projects that other festivals hardly hold in, but it's hardly valued the conceptual reflection, artists meetings and ludic moments. MEM is critical, transgressor and funny festival.

MEM has also his own webspace: www.musicaexmachina.com and his own publication: MEM Codex (in spanish, basque and english).

Each year the **MEM** makes a presentation of the festival in a different town in the world. It's a way to London, Bruxelles, London, Copenhagen, Sydney, Taipei, Singapore, Amsterdam, New York, Scotland, Montreal...

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