

## **'At Home' Filming Template**

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Due the current COVID crisis, we're navigating and expanding our capacity to be creative virtually.

Please consider creating a short film (or series) no more than 15 minutes total that speaks to our theme of 'home' and how you as an artist navigate this idea in your own work.

We are asking other artists to do this as well (including ourselves) and these self-created films will ultimately be edited together into a cohesive set of films. This means we may not use everything you send us and we will be editing them to serve the bigger picture of the project.

We've recommended three actions you could film and included some parameters for filming to help. Please take as much creative license for each action suggestion.

<b>Action 1: Cooking</b>	<b>Action 2: Walking</b>	<b>Action 3: Objects that mean something to you (including your own artworks)</b>
<p>Film yourself preparing a dish that connects you to home in some way.</p> <p>This might mean you cook or prepare something from your home country, or it might be an adaptation of a dish from the country you live in now.</p> <p>Consider how we can experience the ingredients and actions of making this dish. Or perhaps you just want to give us close-ups and/or a birds-eye view of the dish once it is complete and tell us a story about home while we look at the food?</p>	<p>Film yourself walking somewhere (a place you are able to walk in the current situation) which connects you to an idea of home.</p> <p>Consider how we experience this walk as you do. What and how do we see/hear etc?</p>	<p>Film an object(s) that is meaningful to you</p> <p>This could include an artwork you have created, or performed. This could happen in several ways- perhaps you want to film an object you created, or film yourself in the process of making something. If you are a performer, perhaps you want to film yourself delivering poetry or stand up comedy, etc.</p>

## Parameters:

- Film in Landscape, not Portrait Mode



- Make sure your camera lens is clean and free from fingerprints
- When filming anything try to hold your frame for at least 10 seconds
- Use the highest video quality setting your camera allows
- Please limited any single recording to 10 minutes maximum
- Try not to speak whilst filming, unless you're doing a piece to camera
- Please direct the camera's focus to the area you are highlighting
- When filming handheld please use the STEADYSHOT mode if you have the option
- For fixed shots, please use a tripod/easel/books etc to secure your camera
- Try to film in well lit areas; this will enhance the images you film and give a sharper focus (you may need to add a light source)
- Please don't add any effects to your videos or stills, as this gives us more range in the editing process
- Please send us your raw untreated footages/stills to us via [WeTransfer: cdefrin@gmail.com](mailto:cdefrin@gmail.com) (Mp4 and Mp3 files are ideal)

Film references/inspiration:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z\\_3VhrDJgJM&feature=youtu.be](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z_3VhrDJgJM&feature=youtu.be)

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