



## Multilingual London festival

### Call for proposals

#### Background

The Museum of London is partnering with SOAS, University of London as part of their European Research Council research project *Multilingual Locals and Significant Geographies*. We are planning a festival celebrating multilingual literature and learning to take place at the Museum of London on Saturday 25 April 2020. The festival will bring together writers and poets, creative practitioners and children and young people attending supplementary/complementary schools to showcase the beauty and emotive power of language.

#### Freelancer Role

We are looking for a wide range of proposals from experienced freelance practitioners to devise and deliver exciting, family-friendly workshops that enables participants to engage with language and cultural heritage in London in a creative, thought-provoking way.

#### Brief

To create a family-friendly workshop on the theme of **cultural heritage** and **community languages** spoken in **London**. By focusing on community languages we want to reflect the diversity of what is spoken in London yet not widely taught in mainstream schools and colleges e.g. Arabic, Chinese, Farsi, Hindi, Pashto, Somali, Tamil, Urdu, Yoruba.

The workshop can use any creative discipline e.g. visual arts, poetry, performance, music, spoken word etc. keeping in mind that the audience will largely be families and groups of young people who attend supplementary/complementary schools.

Workshops can also be inspired from the Museum of London's collections and displays.

## Freelancer Responsibilities

- Developing workshop idea ready for public engagement
- All resources and materials required to deliver your workshop
- Creating your own risk assessment
- Set up, delivery and pack down of workshop

## Freelancer Requirements

- Public Liability Insurance
- A valid DBS check

## Fee

The fee for this work is £600 inclusive of all expenses i.e. materials, travel. Workshop delivery time will be between 12pm–6pm.

## Schedule

Deadline for proposals: **Tuesday 28 January 2020, 4pm**

The proposal selection process will take place shortly after the deadline by the Multilingual London festival committee consisting of SOAS and Museum of London staff.

Shortlisted candidates will be made aware by **Friday 31 January** and further contacted to meet for an informal interview/chat before final decisions are made.

## How to apply

Please send your CV (no more than 2 A4 pages) including references with your proposal which can include visuals as well as written information to [SMamseri@museumoflondon.org.uk](mailto:SMamseri@museumoflondon.org.uk) by Tuesday 28 January by 4pm.