

## SWG3

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## Clydeside Initiative for Arts seeks new Board members

Clydeside Initiative for the Arts (CIA) is a limited company and is the registered charity arm of SWG3.

We have in the last 15 years supported creative practitioners, cultural programming and cultural facilities in Glasgow and internationally. The organisation does not receive revenue funding at present but it has recently been awarded several capital grants to further develop the land and buildings which make up the SWG3 cultural hub.

In the next five years we aim to grow into a new landmark cultural destination and visitor attraction for Scotland. A Creative Place that fuses art, design, music, fashion, retail, food, gardens and everything in between; where *inspiration is infectious*, where *experimentation thrives*, where *memories are made*.

We will do this by:

- Making SWG3 a Top 20 cultural destination in Scotland
- Retaining and growing 558 jobs in the creative and food economy
- Being greener; hitting net zero carbon emissions
- Using arts, creativity and nature to tackle poverty with our neighbouring communities
- Transform Glasgow Riverside Innovation District into a striking Street Arts District

We are looking for people with a commitment to the arts, creative and cultural industries and making these accessible to audiences and practitioners locally, nationally and internationally.

We are especially interested in individuals who have experience and interest in:

- Finance and fundraising including in the circular economy
- Growing cultural businesses while aiming to be carbon neutral
- Running arts projects in collaboration with members of local communities

Members are appointed for three years in the first instance, with an option to extend the appointment for a further two years. Members of the Board are unpaid but expenses will be reimbursed. We encourage anyone to apply if they believe they can add value to our work irrespective of age, gender, sexual orientation or ethnicity.

The Board meets four times a year – usually at the SWG3 offices in Glasgow, but more recently online. Board members may also be involved in other meetings and events when required.

Candidates are invited to apply in writing, setting out what they believe they can contribute to the Board and enclosing a short CV, by 5pm on Friday 15th October 2021, by email to [hr@swg3.tv](mailto:hr@swg3.tv) or in writing to **Clydeside Initiative for the Arts, SWG3, Eastvale Place, Glasgow**.

You can find information about Board members' responsibilities, and about the work of the CIA, at [swg3.tv](http://swg3.tv) or by contacting:

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