Dumfries & Galloway Arts Festival **EQUALITIES & DIVERSITY MONITORING FORM**

Thank you for taking the time to fill in this form. The information you give provides us with statistics about who are our applicants are. We place equality at the heart of our organisation's programmes and activities. The details you give also form a part of our various funding applications to Creative Scotland, as well as trusts and foundations.

We include questions on age, gender, ethnicity, disability, and sexual orientation - all defined 'protected characteristics' in the Equality Act 2010. We also include a question on Gaelic language. In providing your completed response along with your application form, you are giving explicit consent for us to use this data purely for statistical reporting. The data is managed confidentially, is not personally attributable, is processed in accordance with the Data Protection Act, and will not have any bearing on your application for funding.

Please mark an X in the relevant boxes. If you do not know some of the information or you prefer not to provide it, please indicate this in the *Prefer not to say* box.

Age - How old are you?

16-24 years	
25-44 years	
45-65 years	
65+ years	
Prefer not to say	

Sexual orientation - Which of the following options best describes how you think of yourself?

Heterosexual/Straight	
Gay/Lesbian	
Bisexual	
Other	
Prefer not to say	

Gender - What is your gender?

Male	
Female	
Other	
Prefer not to say	

Gaelic Language - Do you speak Gaelic?

Yes	
No	

Disability - Do you have any of the following conditions which have lasted, or are expected to last, at least 12 months?

Non-disabled	
Visual impairment	
Hearing impairment/deaf	
Physical disabilities	
Cognitive or learning disabilities	
Mental health condition	
Other long term/chronic condition	
Other (please specify)	
Prefer not to say	

Ethnicity - What is your ethnic group? Please indicate which best describes your ethnic group or background.

White Scottish/White British	
Irish	
Gypsy/Traveller	
Polish	
White Other (please specify)	
Asian/Asian Scottish/Asian British	
Chinese/Chinese Scottish/Chinese British	
African/African Scottish/African British	
Caribbean/Caribbean Scottish/ Caribbean British	
Black/Black Scottish/Black British	
Arab/Arab Scottish/Arab British	
Mixed or Multiple Ethnic Groups, please specify:	
Other (please specify)	
Prefer not to say	