



MFest Writers Lab Application 2020

A writing development programme for Muslim writers in the early stages of their career. Are you an aspiring writer who has ideas for stage, screen, comics and books? Are you trying to work out what medium works best for you and how you might build a writing career?

A cohort of 12 Muslim writers (18+) will receive 9 weekly sessions across Autumn 2021 on different writing mediums from playwriting, comic-writing, screen-writing and novel-writing with a range of different partners including Soho Theatre, Spread the Word, SelfMadeHero and We Are Bridge.

The course will end with an all day workshop at London's Soho Theatre (travel and accommodation covered) on Saturday 4th December. Participants must be able to attend this session and will have to be available for all sessions.

Please note we will be prioritising Muslim writers from marginalised backgrounds

First and last name:*

Email address:*

Phone Number:*

What region of the UK do you live in?

Age (mark 'x' in the relevant box):*

18-24	
25-34	
35-44	
45-54	
55-64	
65+	

Can you tell us why the MFest writers programme is right for you at the moment? (400 words max)*

How do you experience marginalisation and has that had an impact or been a barrier to you pursuing a writing career? (400 words)*