BORDERLIGHT FRINGE FESTIVAL 2022 FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ)

This FAQ sheet was created as a supplement to the "READ ME FIRST" document, **not** a substitute. It is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED that you read <u>ALL</u> of the "READ ME FIRST 2022 APPLICATION GUIDELINES" document.

When will applicants know if they have been selected to the 2022 BorderLight Fringe Festival? All selected applicants will be notified by March 22, 2022.

What is the Production Fee and what is it used for?

Production fees vary from \$100 to up to \$250 depending on type of show, technical needs, number of shows, and size of venue. These fees directly fund Festival venue costs, tech & box office support, and help make the Festival sustainable.

Why does the Production Fee vary?

Production fees are decided upon the needs of the Company's production needs, venue cost, venue size, and the amount of support needed from the BorderLight staff. For smaller productions, like short, pop-up productions, the production fee will be smaller than for a performance that requires more technical support.

Are the Application Fee and the Production Fee the same?

No, there is a mandatory application fee of \$25 to apply to the Fringe Festival. This fee is nonrefundable. Production Fees will be established after participants are selected for the Festival.

I cannot figure out how to save my application.

The portal used for the online applications does not allow you to save as you go. You must complete the entire form in one sitting. Please use the **SAMPLE APPLICATION** to fill out your questions ahead of time. Please also read through the **"READ ME FIRST: APPLICATION GUIDELINES"** document.

Can I email the application?

We do not accept emailed applications. Please fill out the application online. It helps keep us organized and better serve the 40+ performances we support.

What are your COVID-19 restrictions/requirements?

All Companies, their artists, crew, technical team, etc. will be asked to provide proof of up to date COVID immunizations. Company/Lead Artist is required to provide proof of vaccination within the application. If selected, they must then provide proof of vaccination for their team.

What do you accept as proof of COVID immunization?

Vaccination cards that include date and type of immunization provided. No exceptions.

Will I have to wear a mask when I perform?



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Artists are permitted to perform without masks. This is one reason BorderLight is requiring vaccinations of participants.

What COVID safety precautions are you taking to protect artists and crew in indoor venues? We will adhere to CDC and Event Safety Guidelines in place at that time. This will include signage,

masks, and additional CDC recommendations for safety adherence.

Are there important dates/deadlines I should consider?

- December 21: BorderLight Fringe Applications Open
- February 20: BorderLight Fringe Applications Close
- March 22: Festival acceptance / waitlist / decline notices sent by this date
- July 20- 24: 2022 BorderLight International Theatre + Fringe Festival*

* Tech rehearsals will be scheduled over the 2-3 days prior to the 7/20 opening of the festival.



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