

RESIDENCY PROGRAMME IN DIRECTING 2025

Eligibility

- Singaporean
- Previous directing experience, preferably in professional settings. Experience in other production areas is an advantage.
- Serious intention to pursue a professional career in directing.
- Full-time availability for the duration of the residency period .

Programme Description

Singapore Repertory Theatre's Residency Programme offers the opportunity to be actively involved in the day-to-day workings of one of the leading theatre companies in Asia. Residents receive immersive hands-on training in their chosen specialities by working closely alongside local and international colleagues on a wide range of projects.

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The Directing Resident will be assigned to several shows during the residency period and will assist the directors of each show. This will include The Little Company, Main Stage and The Young Company, as well as Shakespeare in the Park. The nature of the assistantship will vary with each show and the demands and needs of the director, and may include rehearsing understudies, running warm-ups, preparing promotional appearances, general show maintenance, etc. This will include The Little Company, Main Stage and The Young Company.

The Resident will also assist SRT's Deputy Artistic Director with programming, research, casting and other aspects of producing SRT's season.

Programme Commencement

July 2025

Programme Duration

This is a full-time engagement for 24 months. A monthly stipend will be provided to assist the Resident with living expenses for the duration of this training programme.

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Application Procedure

Please submit the following materials:

1. Current CV
2. A 800-1000 word statement addressing the following questions:
 - What motivates your interest in directing?
 - What training have you done that has developed your directorial practice?
 - Describe a director who inspires you and the aspects of their work that you particularly admire.
 - Describe one of your first projects as a director, what you did, the challenges you faced, and how you addressed them.
 - Describe your most recent project as a director and how your practice has developed since the project from the previous question.
 - Describe the experiences you hope to have in the Residency and what knowledge or skills are you looking to develop.
 - How would you characterise the work SRT does and how does that align with the work you hope to do in the future?
 - What impact do you hope to have on the theatre industry in Singapore?

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Please submit the above materials to Daniel Jenkins, Deputy Artistic Director of SRT, at daniel@srt.com.sg

Shortlisted applicants will be asked to attend an interview.

If you have any questions about the residency or the application, please email daniel@srt.com.sg

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