Rewired Creators Academy

More information and application

Thank you for your interest in being a RewirEd Creator. Below you will find more information about this opportunity and the application form to apply. If you have any questions, please contact comms@restlessdevelopment.org.

Application criteria

We are looking for young people who;

- Are between the ages of 18-30, from any country in the world
- Have a passion for social change and an interest in changing education
- Have access to or interest in finding compelling education and livelihoods stories
- Have some creative skills but would benefit from the creators' training we are offering (i.e. amateur/semi-professional/part time creatives)
- Ideally have access to a smartphone and computer with internet access for the trainings and conducting interviews (data and internet usage will be covered by a stipend)
- Completion of a short written application and if shortlisted attendance to a 30 minute interview

Shortlisted applicants will be invited to a 30 minute interview between 6th - 7th May either by telephone, Whatsapp, or video conferencing such as Zoom.

Your commitment

We want this opportunity to be fulfilling and worthwhile, but also manageable and realistic.

- Candidates must be able to commit roughly 8 days (60 hours) of time between May and December.
  - **Five hours** for training in May and June.
    - Completion of two core training modules, each lasting two hours (Story safeguarding and powerful stories).
    - At least one elective module covering specialist skills from video production, written storytelling, podcasting, or visual arts lasting one hour (although you can do as many as you like)
- **7 days** for content development and collection between July and September. This includes submission of your story idea. We expect roughly:
  - 1 day to develop your initial story submission and work with our team to develop your idea and plan
  - 6 days to capture and produce your story

- **Three hours** for content dissemination between September and December

**Timeline**

- Complete at least 1 of the 4 elective modules, which will focus on technical skills required for storytelling/content production in your chosen medium
- After completing these modules, you will work with our team at Restless to plan your content. You will be paired with one of the youth researchers from the RewirEd Talks research project to help coordinate, and ensure the content speaks to the research findings and is useful for campaigning purposes.
- You will produce a two page proposal (and an accompanying itemised budget) covering what, when, how, why and who of the creation process, as well as a rough plan for content dissemination.
- You will produce two pieces of work, your main piece for example a blog or short video and a second piece, which could be another blog or a social media graphic to advertise your main piece.

**Intellectual property**

Your ideas and content are yours and you will be able to share them as you like. Restless Development and partners will also have the right to share your work, with the aim of amplifying your stories to raise awareness of the issues surrounding education and work.

Work from this project will fall under a [CC 4.0 license (commons)](https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/), which means it is free for anyone to reproduce or share anywhere.

If you are sharing someone else’s story or experience, you must comply with Restless Developments ethical story-telling guidance, which ensures they have ownership over their own story and approval of how it is told.

The skills you learn will be yours to keep forever!