

Please read through the details of the support available through this stream, and if it sounds like a good fit, then please proceed.

PRODUCTION

Who should apply to this stream?

Live performance sector workers who have been negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic who can make good use of the available production faculties and resources!

What is the Production stream?

The Production stream offering is essentially two 8-hour bookings in either the photography, video or sound recording studios.

Where are the studios?

All production bookings happen at the [Digital Media Lab](#) (DML for short) located at Artscape Daniels Launchpad: East Tower, 130 Queens Quay E 4th Floor, Toronto, ON M5A 0P6

When can I make these bookings?

Bookings are offered in predefined 8-hour timeslots and are subject to availability on a first-come-first-serve basis. We recognize that not all everyone will have the availability to make these times work, so we apologize in advance if this is the case. This opportunity is best-suited to applicants who have flexible schedules and can make use of 9AM-5PM booking slots, Tuesday to Saturday. All Backstage Pass bookings must be completed by the end of March, 2023. Please note that these 8-hour time slot are fixed and are inclusive of any load-in/load-out, set up, testing, reset and cleaning time. This means your actual usable production time may be considerably less, depending on the nature of the project, so please plan accordingly!

Why should I choose the Production stream?

This opportunity is ideal for experienced creatives who are ready to take their work to the next level and who can use the available resources effectively. See below for details by studio.

The **Production** stream provides access to studio space and equipment at Artscape Daniels Launchpad's Digital Media Lab. Successful applicants will receive two fully subsidized bookings in either the Photography, Video or Sound Recording Studios. To get the most out of your booking, we recommend scheduling the same studio for two days in a row and scaling your production to the available resources. The Production stream is best-suited for artists and industry professionals with a strong foundation in their respective creative discipline. The Digital Media Lab studios offer professional-grade facilities for creatives who are ready to take their work to the next level. Please note that all bookings are subject to availability and are only offered at predefined times. We cannot guarantee studio availability, and all bookings are offered on a first-come-first-serve basis.

The [Photography Studio](#) is ideal for fashion, portrait or product photography. The room features a white cycloramic curved wall and comes with the associated [Photography Equipment Kit](#), which includes cameras, lenses, strobe lights and accessories. Technical proficiency is required to use the equipment, but you are always welcome to bring your own. Please note that the Dressing Room is not included, but can be booked separately for an additional fee.

The [Video Studio](#) is our largest production space and can be used for a wide range of video, VFX or virtual productions. This booking comes with the associated [Video Production Equipment Kit](#). A relatively high-level of technical proficiency is required to get the most out of the facilities and equipment included in this booking. You are also welcome to bring your own equipment or use the studio space without the associated equipment kit. The Ray Ferris VFX Live Room features a green cycloramic wall with matching vinyl flooring and black drape. Please note that you will need to provide your own crew and technical support for productions in this studio.

The [Recording Studio](#) is a boutique professional sound recording studio, built around an SSL mixing console with a range of pro audio hardware and quality instruments ([Recording Studio Equipment Kit](#)). A Recording Studio booking includes the dedicated support of an in-studio audio engineer, so it is ideal for artists who are ready to work in a professional environment. This space is also perfect for audio producers and engineers who are ready to take their craft to the next level. The Recording Studio features a control room and a modestly-sized live room. We recommend working on a project that can be executed in two back-to-back bookings. Alternatively, if you require a larger live room for tracking, there is the option of booking both the Video and Recording Studios at the same time for a single day.