

INSTRUCTIONS RELATING TO THE ONLINE INTERVIEW FOR M.A. VISUAL ARTS CANDIDATES

1. Prior to the interview date, candidates are requested to email their portfolios to the Programme Coordinator of MA Visual Arts at santhoshs@aud.ac.in

Please ensure the following:

- a. Combine all pages/images into a single pdf file, if possible. If not, you may attach them as a zip file or as individual files.
- b. If sending audio/video work, kindly send only as link.
- c. The portfolio file names should carry the candidate's full name.
- d. The total size of the attachments should not exceed 25mb.
- e. The Subject of the email should be 'MAVA Portfolio' followed by the candidate's full name.

2. The duration of the online interview will be approximately 15 to 20 minutes. Once candidates log in using the meeting link provided by the University, they may need to wait in the app's waiting room until it is their turn to appear for the interview.

3. During the interview, candidates need to turn their video camera on. They need to ensure there is adequate light/visibility in the place where they are seated. At the start of the interview, candidates will be requested to show a photo identity card to the camera to establish their identity.

4. Candidates will be required to present their portfolio using the presentation/screen share facility available on the online meeting platform/app.

5. The interview panel members will test candidates for their:

- a) Interest and preparedness for a practice-based Masters level programme in Visual Art;
- b) Awareness regarding the field of contemporary art practices;
- c) Ability to present their artwork and practice persuasively with concrete examples;
- d) Organization and presentation of the portfolio of their own artworks.

6. Please note MA Visual Art is a practice-based programme and a certain amount of practical skills and familiarity with contemporary art practices and the field is a prerequisite. Kindly consult the list of courses offered within the programme by visiting the AUD Website & MA Visual Art, so that you are well aware of the nature of the programme and the courses offered.

7. The programme is conducted with the aim of meeting equity with excellence and full efforts are made to ensure that all students are able to sustain and enjoy the courses.