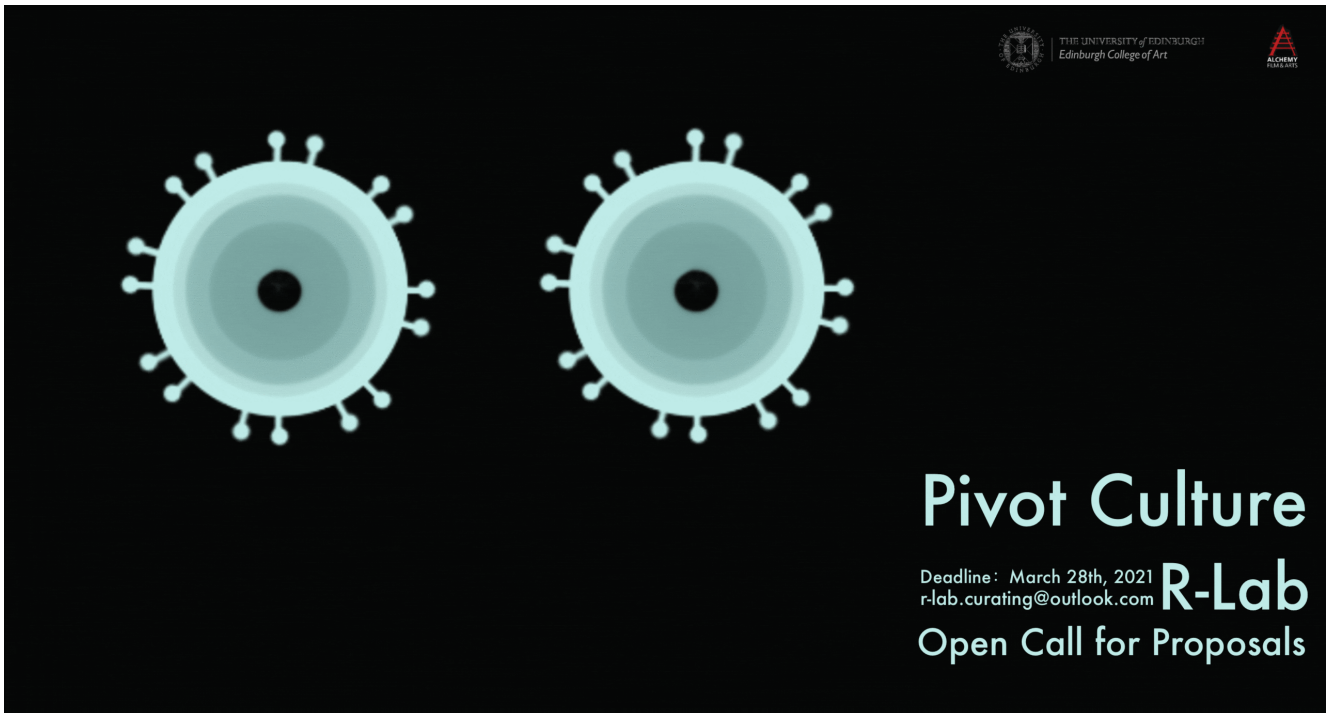


# Pivot Culture – Call for Proposals



R-Lab is a contemporary art organisation run by postgraduate Contemporary Art Theory students in Edinburgh College of Art, The University of Edinburgh. We aim to collect and present a multitude of ‘pivots’ that might enact societal and artistic change post-pandemic. We seek to explore how different artworlds have adapted and survived during the pandemic. Reflecting the membership of our R-Lab, we seek to reflect upon Chinese and European cultural experiences during the pandemic. We hope that exchanging Chinese and European visions of post-pandemic possibilities can have a long-lasting impact.

R-lab 是一个由爱丁堡大学艺术学院当代艺术理论专业研究生运营的组织。我们旨在收集并呈现一系列“支点”，以期在新冠疫情后促成社会和艺术的变革。我们探索不同艺术世界在疫情期间是如何适应和生存的。鉴于 R-Lab 的成员构成，我们希望反映中国和欧洲在疫情期间不同的文化体验。我们希望通过交流中国和欧洲对疫情后可能性的看法，产生持久的影响。

## What

R-Lab Open Call is an invitation to Chinese and European art practitioners or those based in China and Europe to share with us their experiences, stories and/or artworks which document how they have pivoted – in one way or another – to cope with the pandemic period (March 2020-March 2021). We will curate and present the most vibrant responses as part of our online platform, launching in the latter half of April 2021.

We are open to supporting as wide a range of media as possible. We want to hear your ideas and proposals!

“R-Lab 开放邀请” 旨在邀请中国及欧洲的艺术从业者或居住在中国及欧洲的人士分享他们的经历、故事和/或艺术作品，记录他们如何以某种方式或另一种方式应对疫情（2020年3月-2021年3月）。“R-Lab 开放邀请” 将于“R-Lab 开放邀请” 平台于2021年4月下半月启动。

## Who

Artists, curators, and art organisations based in China or Europe can participate in our project, so come and join us!

Your contribution will be hosted on our website R-Lab – an online platform supported by the University of Edinburgh that we share with our partner organisations. The R-Lab platform will be a safe space, caring for and respecting your contribution.

中国及欧洲的艺术从业者、策展人和艺术组织可以参与我们的项目，所以请加入我们！

您的贡献将在我们的网站 R-Lab 上展示，该平台由爱丁堡大学支持，并与我们的合作伙伴组织共享。R-Lab 平台将是一个安全空间，关心和尊重您的贡献。

## When

The call is now open. Proposals for R-Lab should be submitted

by **28th March 2021 (23:00 CET)**. Any proposals submitted after this time will not be considered.

We will be in touch after the submission date to let you know if we intend to pursue your proposal further.

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## How

To submit simply send an email to [r-lab.curating@outlook.com](mailto:r-lab.curating@outlook.com) with your proposal. **Please keep your proposal brief (300-word max)** and include images if relevant. If you have a website, please provide the URL.

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