**TCP FAQ:**

1. **Question:** It states that the role can be for people based outside of London – is this something that you have done before?

**Answer:** Most of the current staff team are based outside of London and we are used to working in a hybrid way as part of our culture. Sometimes the team meet in other locations that aren’t London and we coordinate times where everyone is in the office.

1. **Question:** In terms of the day to activity of the TCP, what do you expect from the TCP in terms of success?

**Answer:** This is a new brand role for Extant and the job description is open because it’s a training role and it’s new. In terms of training, this will be a conversation with the TCP and identifying their training needs are. We are also working two producer-centred organisations to supplement our in-house knowledge.

1. **Question:** Is there a reasonable expectation that there will be further opportunities after the traineeship?

**Answer:** Extant are currently reviewing our practice and structure with Evolve. We are asking big questions and trying to work out the best fit for the company. It’s an exciting time and the TCP will be part of these holistic discussions and new developments. Extant is a great place to come and be part of the development of the future of the company.

1. **Question: Are there potential conflicts of interests with Extant as a freelancer and being hired as the TCP?**

**Answer:** It’s dependent on your ability to balance your other work. This role is 3 days a week for two and half years. This question has also come up for visually impaired artists applying for our board.

1. **Question: What level of freedom and independence is there within the role?**

**Answer:** At the moment, it’s quite open, we have several potential options. The TCP will be involved in a tour of Unseen in June and then there will be potential scope for the TCP to work with the TAD on their artistic project with the chance to produce work in different contexts. It will be dependent on the TCP’s interests too. There will be time to write funding applications as well as training and development opportunities available. In terms of mentoring, the Extant team will do this and there will be a chance to connect with external organisations. There is a staff training budget available.

Email admin@extant.org.uk for any questions and these will be passed on and answered by the relevant team members.