

# OPEN CALL

## N.A.To<sup>~</sup> #5: Training Camp for Radical imagination



This N.A.To<sup>~</sup> will be held from  
17-21 July 2024 (Arrival on 16 July) in Visalaje and Ostrava, CZ.

You may know the Nose Assembly for Tomorrow<sup>~</sup> (N.A.To<sup>~</sup>) and you might want to continue in our colorful experiments with activism and clowning. You may heard about N.A.To<sup>~</sup> and you might be keen on joining. In both cases, you are welcome!

The next N.A.To<sup>~</sup> will be held in Czechia and it will focus on deepening the tools and methods from previous assemblies. We are going to collectively work on the toolbox of N.A.To<sup>~</sup>. Are you ready to jump aboard (again)?



17.-21.7.2024  
in Visalaje & Ostrava



**PROGRAM** The N.A.To<sup>~</sup> #5 focuses at collectively creating the N.A.To<sup>~</sup> toolkit and deepening methods and approaches we explored during previous assemblies (Theatre of the Oppressed, Soundpainting, “Traditional” clowning practices and others).

The assembly will be organized as a working meeting of affinity groups. Each group will focus on a specific topic(s), clowning tools and methods that shall be deepened and opened in the toolkit. The program is open for you to co-create. It is up to you whether you want to philosophize clowning activism, develop clowning exercises or dance (with pigeons and plastic bags). One affinity group will be focused on the methods of “Gravity strike” and it will be facilitated by Florent Golfier-Brechmann. The affinity group will be also focused on co-creative street practice of “Clown office invasion”, which will be tested in the streets of Ostrava. Amount and focus of the other affinity groups remains open. So it is up to you whether you want to propose a topic, form your own affinity group or join some other group.

The program will consist of affinity group working sessions, plenaries, sharing of findings among affinity groups, trips to nature, collective cooking and living.



## HOW TO APPLY

Send us text or audio conception of your participation on this N.A.To~ and answer these questions:

- What ideas do you want to bring to the affinity group work?
- What practices do you want to explore in the affinity group work?
- Based on your experience with previous N.A.To~, what methods, concepts and ideas are you feel to develop further?

If you haven't participate in previous N.A.To~, send us a text (max. 3600 characters) or a video/audio (max. 5 minutes) about you and your interests in clowning and activism.

**SEND IT BY 9. 6. 2024, 23:59 CET TO: [nose-assembly@posteo.net](mailto:nose-assembly@posteo.net)**

**WE WILL CONTACT YOU BACK BY THE 16TH OF JUNE AT THE LATEST.**

The selection of participants will be made by the implementation team and it will be based on the submitted conception of participation.

The capacity of the event is limited to a maximum of 20 participants. Despite our wish to accept everyone, we will prefer those who plan a full attendance.

**All assemblies are held in English and participation is free of charge.**

## IMPORTANT ORGANIZATION INSTRUCTION

- **N. A. To~ members are against discrimination of all kinds**, regardless of a person's origin, gender, sexual orientation, nationality, disability, religion, culture, residence status, age, class, appearance or any other affiliation and attribution.
- **We are open to discussing all individual needs.** Your needs will be asked before by survey, but do not hesitate to contact us.
- **Travel tickets can be reimbursed** from the Czech Republic, Hungary and Austria
- **We will collectively cook vegan food** at the venue.
- **The accommodation is provided in shared bedrooms.** There is also the possibility to bring your own tent. We recommend it. The venue is in beautiful nature. It is a mountain house and you can check it here: <https://visalajka.cz>



*More information will be provided  
in a general information sheet.*

**CURIOUS ABOUT THE PREVIOUS N.A.To's?**

See our website: <https://tyhle.cz/en/nato>

N.A.To~ is organized by:

- tyhle, collective of physical theatre (CZ)
- Theatre of the Opressed Vienna (AT)
- INspirál Cirkuszközpont (HU)



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