

Board Member Application Information 2026



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Overview

- Run of the Mill is an award winning **inclusive arts organisation**.



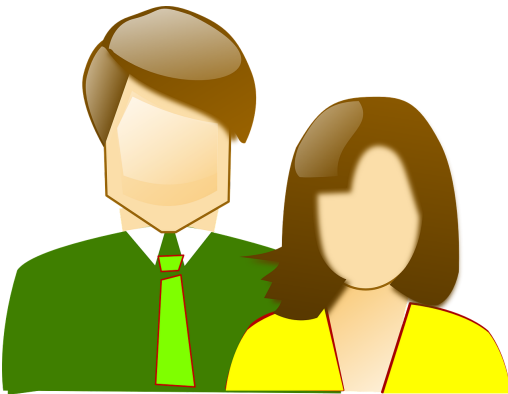
- We support intellectually disabled people in the arts.



- We make **theatre** and **film** and run **programmes** and **projects**.



- We are looking for **2 people** to join our Board of Directors.



- A board member helps:
 - Guide the organisation
 - Make decisions
 - Support our future



The 2 Roles

We are looking for people with different skills.

1. Fundraising & Growth

This person will:

- Help us find new funding
- Help us grow
- Help build partnerships



2. Arts Leadership

This person will:

- Work in the arts
- Support our creative work
- Help guide our artistic direction



We strongly welcome applications from disabled people.

What does a Board member do?

A board member's responsibilities would include the following:

1. Planning

Working with others to make plans for the future.



2. Governance & Policy

Making sure the organisation:

- Follows rules
- Keeps people safe



3. Growth

Helping the organisation to grow and develop.



4. Advocacy and Outreach:

Speaking up for:

- Run of the Mill
- Disabled people in the arts



5. Artistic Support

Helping us make:

- Strong
- Inclusive
- Creative work

6. Drive Positive Change

Helping make the arts:

- More inclusive
- More accessible

Create
Positive
Change

What experience is helpful?

*You do **not** need all of these.*

*But it would help if you have **some experience** in:*

1. Social Care and/ or Disability Experience

You may:

- Work in disability services
- Understand care and safeguarding
- Support disabled people

You may also:



- Be a disabled person
- Be a self-advocate

2. Fundraising and Growth

You may:

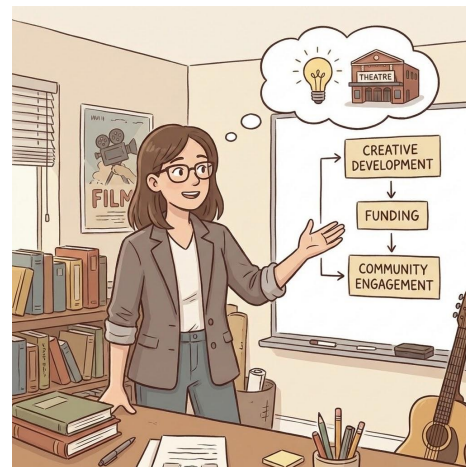
- Raise money
- Help organisations grow
- Have useful contacts



3. Arts Experience

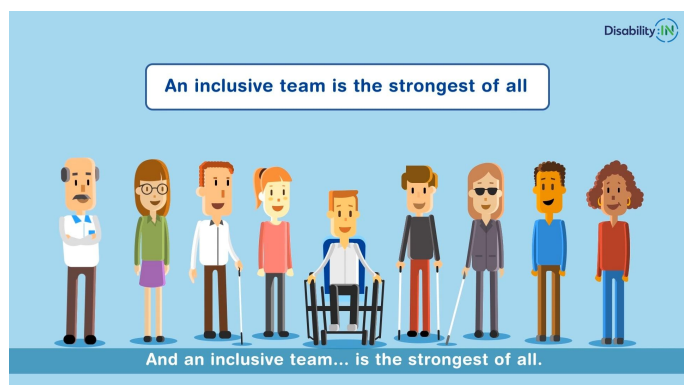
You may:

- Work in the arts
- Be a producer or leader
- Understand how the arts sector works



4. Passion for Inclusion

You will strongly believe in giving people with intellectual disabilities equal opportunities in the arts.



5. Communication and Collaboration Skills

You may be good at sharing your ideas, working with others and making decisions.



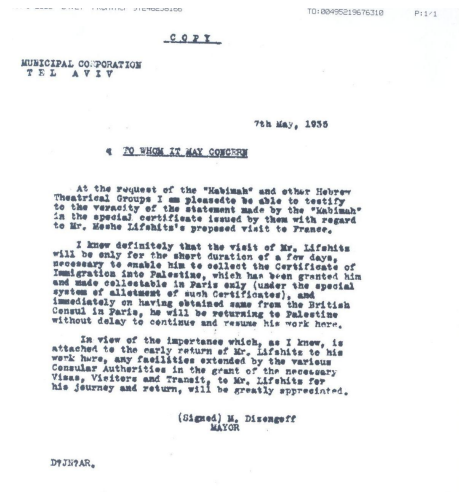
HOW TO APPLY

To apply, please send us:

- Your resume or a summary of your work experience.



- A short statement about your experience and how you can help Run of the Mill.



- If you've been a Board Director, Trustee, or done any voluntary/community work, let us know.
Remember, previous Board Director or Trustee experience is not necessary.

- If you prefer, you can submit a video application of up to 3 minutes with the same information.



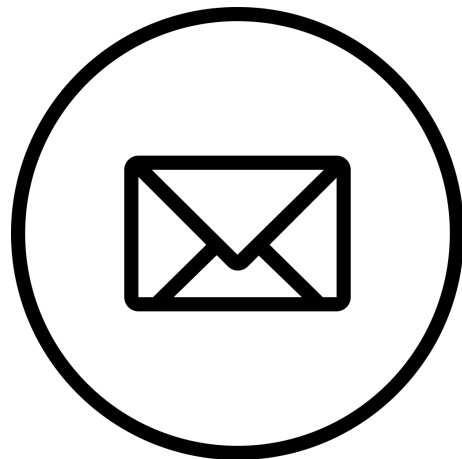
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- If you use this link it will show you a video on how to upload your application

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- To apply, please email your application or video to killian@runofthemill.ie & aisling@runofthemill.ie



- Please use "ROTM Board Member Application" as the subject line.
- If your application file is too large for email, you can use WeTransfer (www.wetransfer.com).

IMPORTANT DATES

- The deadline for applications is **Friday, 15th of May, 2026.**
- Shortlisted candidates will be contacted for interviews on **Wednesday 3rd of June, 2026.**

- Interviews will be held on **Thursday 11th & Friday 12th of June 2026.**
- Final decisions will be communicated to all applicants by **Friday 19th of June, 2026.**

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BOARD MEMBERS

The Run of the Mill Board of Directors consists of:

- David O'Connor (Chair) a Business and Financial Advisor
- Carolann Courtney, an Arts and Health Consultant
- James Ring, Automotive Industry Entrepreneur & Chartered Director
- Bee Sparks, Festival Director

Each board member brings unique expertise and experiences to the organisation.