**KABK BA Photography Application Questionnaire**

*Bring a copy of the questionnaire to the Admission Day!*

**Personal Information**

*Surname:*

*First name:*

*Nationality:*

*Current country of residence:*

*Date of birth:*

*Gender & pronouns:*

*Application full-time or part-time compact programme:*

*Website & Social Media (optional):*

**Please answer all of the questions to the best of your ability and write in English.**

All submissions will be treated with care and diligence. Every question may be considered optional.

1. **Can you tell us about your background? You can include as much detail as you like!** *Max 300 words.*
2. **What does photography mean to you?**
3. **Have you applied to study photography before?** *This applies to formal photographic studies.*
* No
* Yes, but I was not admitted

*Institution name & programme:*

*Year of application:*

* Yes, I have completed a previous study in photography / I am still enrolled in a photography study

*Institution name & programme:*

*Study period:*

1. **Have you followed any photography courses?** *This applies to informal education, workshops, short-term studies. This applies to formal photographic studies.*
2. **Can you please tell us if you have any experience working within the photographic field?** *This could include assisting work, internships, jobs in production houses, commercial or editorial work.*
3. **How did you discover the BA Photography programme at KABK and what is it about the course that made you want to apply?**
4. **Have you visited one of our Open days, or Information Tours?**
* Yes

*If yes, please state when:*

* No
1. **How did photography become to be a part of your life?**
2. **Which photographers inspire you and why?***Please share three to five examples.*
3. **What online platforms do you use to find inspiration for your photography?**
4. **What other forms of art and culture do you enjoy?**
5. **Please share with us any exhibitions that you have visited in the last 6 months that have left an impression on you.**
6. **Are there any films, series or podcasts that have impressed you lately?**
7. **Where do you look to be informed about current affairs and world news?**
8. **What do you do in your spare time (apart from taking pictures!)? Do you have hobbies?**
9. **According to you, what is important in society?**
10. **To which community do you feel close to and why?**
11. **Is there anything else you find important to share with us about yourself?**
12. **During your interview, you may be asked about your financial planning.**

Did you estimate your expected living costs per year, including paying rent, utilities, food, transportation, cultural visits, insurance, material costs, printing costs, and tuition fee?

**Make sure to look into information provided by KABK International Office:** [**https://www.kabk.nl/en/practical-matters/study-in-the-hague#estimated-living-costs**](https://www.kabk.nl/en/practical-matters/study-in-the-hague#estimated-living-costs)

Research if you are you eligible for discounts on student housing, loans, grants, or scholarships. If you plan to work next to your studies to financially support yourself, kindly acknowledge that the study load of our programme allows only a certain number of hours for this. If you plan to receive financial support from family, closely discuss your budget estimation together with them.

**Please confirm you have clarity of the financial weight of studying Photography at KABK and living in The Netherlands that is currently experiencing high costs of living and a housing crisis.**

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Thank you.