

DAY-TO-DAY PROGRAMME

Provisional programme – subject to change

Virtual kick-off: 8 June 2026, 13:00–15:00 (MS Teams). **On-site programme in Antwerp:** 15–19 June 2026

Venue: Sint Lucas Antwerpen, Van Schoonbekestraat 143, 2018 Antwerp, +32 613 12 45 (library)

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Libraries, archives and special collections hold unique materials that play an important role in artistic education and research. During this international week, organised by [Sint Lucas Antwerpen](#) in collaboration with [Folkwang Universität der Künste \(Essen\)](#) and [Allard Pierson \(Amsterdam\)](#), we explore how these collections can become visible, relevant to artistic practice and education, and sustainable in the long term through lectures, visits, discussions and workshops.

	Monday 15 June	Tuesday 16 June	Wednesday 17 June	Thursday 18 June	Friday 19 June
Morning 9:30 – 12:30		Theme: Visibility How can libraries, archives and special collections make their materials visible and accessible to new audiences?	Theme: Relevance How can collections, archives and library materials become an active part of artistic education and research?	Theme: Sustainability How can libraries and special collections be preserved and sustained over the long term?	Visit to the Hendrik Conscience Heritage Library Guided tour and discussion
Lunch 12:30 – 14:00	Arrival of participants / informal lunch				
After-noon 14:00 – 17:00	Library tour: Sint Lucas Antwerpen Library Introduction to the week: <i>The Library as Artist's Studio</i> Participant presentations	Visit to the Plantin-Moretus Museum & Library	Optional visits: - MAS – Museum aan de Stroom Antwerp - FOMU – Photography Museum Antwerp - KMSKA – Royal Museum of Fine Arts Antwerp - Red Star Line Museum - Tique – art space for books	Visit to the Letterenhuis Museum of Literature Guided tour and collaborative working session	Reflection and closing session Programme evaluation
Evening	Welcome dinner	Free evening	Graduation Exhibition Opening and Reception	Farewell dinner	