



UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

Dear Colleague

As part of the 2017 University of Leeds Fine Art Degree Show we are keen to engage your **key stage 5 students** and provide them with a taste of higher education by inviting them to take part in an art competition.

Winners will have their work **exhibited in our degree show** - a great opportunity to experience higher education and to share in their UCAS personal statement. We are also inviting all entrants to a schools' private view of the show on Thursday 22 June 2017, which will include **graduate-led art workshops**. Our graduates are very excited to share their ideas and skills in these sessions, which will be highly motivating and imaginative.

We've deliberately left the brief quite broad to give your students the opportunity for a wide range of interpretations. We have specified an **A4 size**, so as to encourage a fair participation despite any material limitations.

Brief: SO WHAT OF THE FUTURE?
Entrants: Key Stage 5
Submission: Deadline: Monday 15th May 2017

You may consider questions such as:

- How do you feel about the future, political, social or personal?
- How do you imagine the future for you and those around you?
- How do you imagine society might change during your lifetime?

Submit one A4 sized piece – this can **include any 2D medium** e.g. painting, drawing, textiles, collage, digital design or photography.

Please note: All submissions must be collated and e-mailed by the Teacher to comply with safeguarding. Submissions can be digital scans or high-resolution photographs of the works. The deadline for submissions is **Monday 15 May 2017**. Our competition committee will select the finalists and will contact the Teacher to request the original to be posted to them at the University of Leeds.

Please e-mail sowhatofthefuture@gmail.com as follows:

SCHOOL NAME as the e-mail subject, and **teacher contact details in the content**.

Save each attached submission as the NAME OF APPLICANT (STUDENT)

The files may be too large to send in one email, as long as the above details are clear then send as many emails as needed.

We are excited about getting your students involved with our show and look forward to seeing their submissions!

Kind regards

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