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practice while away  
from the constraints of  
everyday life.**

Anahita Akhavan, Spring BAiR 2024. Photo by Rita Taylor.

# Banff Artist in Residence - Winter 2026

## PROGRAM DATES

January 12 – February 13, 2026

## DEADLINE TO APPLY

June 11, 2025

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*Banff Artist in Residence (BAiR) - Winter 2026* is designed for visual artists at any stage of their career to focus on their practice in a supportive learning environment.

Over five weeks, participants are encouraged to self-direct their research and time, as well as cultivate new directions in their work. The experience of artists in residence is further supported through individual studio visits with faculty, workshops, and lectures. In addition, participants have the opportunity to build community, create connections, and share their work with other artists-in-residence and the public.

This residency is for individual artists and collaborative groups (of no more than two) who have completed formal training in visual arts at the post-secondary level, or equivalent experience and recognition from their peers acquired through traditional knowledge and practices.

This program is designed to cater to visual artists at all stages of their career

Financial Aid of 100% is available to cover tuition, and 50% is available to offset meals and accommodation costs.

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