DRIPMAKETH THE MAN?

Calling all aspiring poets, writers and spoken word artists the V&A is looking for 15 young men aged between 18-25 living or working in London to take part in a new spoken word project inspired by the Museum's upcoming exhibition Fashioning Masculinities: The Art of Menswear. You will be working with award winning spoken word artist Yomi Sode to develop your writing ready to be performed at the end of the project.

When will the project take place and where?

The group will meet bi-weekly on Thursdays and Fridays, 5pm-7pm from Thursday 10 February – Friday 22nd April. Sessions will take place in person at the museum and on Zoom. You can claim travel expenses (up to £15) for sessions that take place in person, and you will be paid a fee for your performances.

Am I eligible?

We are looking for young people aged between 18-25 who live in London who meet the following criteria:

- You must identify as male
- You must be 18 25 years old
- You must be committed to attend all sessions
- You must live or work in London
- You must have the legal right to work in the UK and be a UK resident

How do I apply?

To apply, please send an email of interest to Afia Yeboah at create@vam.ac.uk with the following information before Friday 28 January 2022

- Name?
- How old are you?
- Where do you live?
- A short statement (maximum 300 words) to explain why you are interested in taking part and an example of your writing to be shared with Yomi this could be a link to a video, a piece of written work or a voice recording.
- Any access support required to participate in either digital or in person meetings

