

Submission to the National Arts and Disability Strategy consultation 2018 – M Fontaine

Hello,

I am writing to you to urge you to improve access for ALL to enjoy.
Here are some suggestions, but by all means not limited to this:

- Access needs to be built into all creative projects from the start, and this includes creation, promotion and presentation of arts projects. The government should fund this.
- Provide open captions for all public screenings of movies and laws to support this.
- Create an awareness campaign to remove the stigma, lack of respect, and discrimination experienced by people who are Deaf/deaf or have a disability or mental health condition.

I hope to see a great improvement in the area of arts so that everyone can feel a part of it and enjoy it regardless of ability.

Kind regards
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