

About TIN Arts

TIN Arts is an inclusive dance organisation based in Durham that creates, inspires, delivers and manages participatory dance, arts and culture programmes for people of all ages and abilities across the North East of England.

We are committed to providing outstanding arts experiences and increasing the number of people engaging in the arts from vulnerable backgrounds. We aspire to make the arts meaningful to those who engage with us and reflect in our outputs the diversity of participants who engage with our activities.

We deliver a broad range of programmes from offering children's first steps in movement through to arts sessions for adults with learning disabilities and have over 160 registered users of our regular programmes.

The appointed person will be the principal lead in providing personal support and care for participants attending TIN Arts' GeTIN2... activities, a range of arts training programmes for people aged 18 or over with a learning disability, autism or both.

The GeTIN2...Programme runs Monday to Friday, 9.30am – 3.30pm with all sessions taking place in the TIN Dance Space on our premises. Each day is themed differently and up to 17 people can attend on one day working with 2 of our arts practitioners alongside our Delivery Support Workers.

Across any given week we engage with approximately 55 people with a disability.

Please see *TIN 2017 Global Activity – visual for staff.pdf* for more information about TIN Arts' full range of activities.

People

TIN Arts was founded by Martin Wilson (Executive Director) and Tess Chaytor (Artistic Director) in 1999. Martin and Tess form the Senior Management Team along with Claire Defty, Operations and Development Manager.

TIN Arts directly employs artists (known as practitioners) to lead the delivery of our programmes. On our GeTIN2...Programme they are supported by our team of Delivery Support Workers.

We also have a Programme Manager responsible for our Clown Doctors / Arts@No23 programmes.

When including other artists who work with us in a freelance capacity on a regular basis, there are in total 25 key TIN team members.

The company is governed by a board and we are a not-for-profit social enterprise limited by guarantee.