



Clinton Ngo Nguyen,
Fairfield City Photographer
2024. Fairfield City
Heritage Collection.

Fairfield City Photographer 2025

INFORMATION AND PREVIEW FORM

Apply online by midnight 30 April 2025

The annual Fairfield City Photographer program returns in 2025, capturing the people and places of Fairfield City today through a series of new contemporary photographs.

This year we turn our focus to the women in our community, highlighting their often unseen and unsung roles and contributions. With this commission we are looking to record the strength and resilience of women, individually or collectively.

Emerging and professional photographers are invited to apply by submitting a portfolio accompanied by a plan outlining their proposed creative approach. The collection will be delivered in the latter part of 2025.

Please submit the online form by midnight Wednesday 30 April.

Fairfield City Council is committed to providing opportunities for all members of our community. We welcome applications from people with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander or CALD backgrounds, gender diverse people and those living with a disability.

What we offer:

- \$3,000 (excl. GST if applicable)
- Connecting you with communities
- Curatorial advice and support
- Public exhibit in The Crescent Plaza, Fairfield
- Inclusion of your images in the Fairfield City Heritage Collection
- Artist fee plus printing/production for exhibition

What we ask for:

- A creative concept and plan for a photo essay focusing on the role of women in Fairfield City.
- Thoughtful and respectful engagement with communities, particularly if you are not part of these communities.
- A photo essay of 50-100 high-resolution digital images with extended captions that will enter the Fairfield City Heritage Collection.
- Collaboration with curators to select images for exhibition.

Additional information:

- Open to applicants aged 18 years and over who are Australian citizens or permanent residents.
- You must be able to travel to or within the area multiple times (unfortunately we are unable to provide subsidies for travel).

- Copyright of the images will remain with the photographer.
- Fairfield City Council will have fee-free, non-exclusive reproduction and use rights of images that enter the Fairfield City Heritage Collection.
- Deadline for submission is midnight Wednesday 30 April 2025.
- View images by our previous Fairfield City Photographer [here](#)

Form preview

- This is a preview only – use this document to help plan and prepare your responses.
- The form must be completed online at www.fcmg.nsw.gov.au/News/2025-Fairfield-City-Photographer by 30 April 2025
- Posted or emailed forms will NOT be accepted.
- Fields marked with an asterisk * are compulsory.

The online application form requires the following details:

- Contact details
- Full name*
- Professional name (if different)
- Pronouns
- Email*
- Phone*
- Residential postcode*
- Website



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Proposal

- What is your connection to Fairfield City and/or to the communities you will be photographing?
[If you do not have an existing connection, please explain briefly why you are interested in this opportunity] Max. 500 characters (approx. 80-100 words)
- Describe your creative approach to this commission. Who and what will you be photographing, and how and why?* Max. 1,500 characters (approx. 250-300 words)
- Does your approach for this commission connect with and/or stem from an existing body of work? If yes, how?* Max. 500 characters (approx. 80-100 words)

Attachments

Examples of previous work*

Please upload a single PDF, no more than 10MB in size, that includes up to 10 images of your past work with captions, one image per page. Any content beyond 10 images will not be considered by assessors.

CV*

Please upload a single PDF of your professional CV, maximum 2 pages and no more than 2MB in size. The CV should list relevant photographic, creative, exhibition, and community experience. Any content beyond 2 pages will not be considered by assessors.

If you have any questions, please contact Fairfield City Museum & Gallery at FCMG@fairfieldcity.nsw.gov.au or on (02) 9725 0190.

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