



## SeaChange Arts

Great Yarmouth based but collaborating internationally, SeaChange Arts is an independent arts development charity dedicated to delivering outstanding opportunities for artists and communities through supporting hosting and delivering circus and street arts projects and events. Our focus on Circus and Street Arts grows naturally from this seaside town's rich performance heritage.

SeaChange Arts produces *The Out There International Festival of Circus and Street Arts*, one of the UK's leading festivals of street arts and circus, attracting audiences in excess of 50,000 people each year. In 2019 Out There Festival will be in its 12<sup>th</sup> year.

Now an NPO, SeaChange is recognised as one of the UK's most dynamic organisations in the fields of Outdoor Arts, Contemporary Circus and European Collaboration. The organisation functions as a gateway to/from Europe and supports creation through its training and centre at the Drill House (which underwent a £1.5m capital transformation in 2016).

SeaChange has led numerous large scale international partnerships, developed the Out There International Festival of Street Arts and Circus into one of the largest events of its kind in the UK and has produced other events including Showzam Festival in Blackpool, Deloitte Ignite Festival for the ROH Covent Garden, and Peterborough Arts Festival.

SeaChange currently leads the Coasters network, a three year project across a partnership of 12 cultural organisations that brings world-class circus and street arts work to coastal towns across England supported by Arts Council England's Strategic Touring Fund.

SeaChange is also a lead partner for the Up & Out Network and Without Walls Consortium, supporting the creation and development of new work and instrumental in raising the quality and profile of the UK Circus and Street Arts sector.

SeaChange reaches audiences of over 50,000, works with over 50 companies and 250 artists each year.

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