



**PRESS F.A.Q.**  
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**Q What is the correct title for The Contemporary?**

A The correct title is 'The Contemporary'. We are, however, a museum and use 'museum' to describe our organization.

**Q When was The Contemporary founded?**

A The Contemporary was founded in 1989 by George Ciscle and operated nomadically until 1999 when it then moved into a permanent exhibition space at 100 W. Centre St. In 2012, the museum left that space and returned to its original mission of operating nomadically.

**Q Does The Contemporary have a permanent home?**

A No. The Contemporary operates nomadically by commissioning sitespecific projects and/or collaborating with other institutions.

**Q Does The Contemporary have a permanent collection?**

A No. The Contemporary is a non-collecting museum.

**Q What is the reason behind The Contemporary not having a permanent home or collection?**

A The Contemporary is a nomadic and non-collecting museum so that our resources can stay dedicated to our dynamic programming and project commissions, which are constantly evolving and focused on bringing to fruition the most innovative and exciting art of our time.

**Q Do you allow photography at programs and projects?**

A Photo policies change depending on the program or project—please contact us at [press@contemporary.org](mailto:press@contemporary.org) to confirm.

**Q How can I obtain images of programs and projects?**

A If the images are for press use, contact [press@contemporary.org](mailto:press@contemporary.org) with all image requests and we will respond with a link to download a selection of press images. Please include your deadline in your request.

**Q Can you provide the museum's attendance numbers?**

A We are able to provide attendance numbers to various programs and projects. For press use, please contact [press@contemporary.org](mailto:press@contemporary.org).

**Q Can you provide the museum's annual report?**

A The Contemporary does not yet have an annual report.

**Q How can I receive notifications for upcoming programs and projects at The Contemporary?**

A Joining our e-blast list is the best way to stay up to date on all organizational news and public programs and project announcements. To join our e-blast list, please visit [contemporary.org](http://contemporary.org) and subscribe on our homepage. If you are a member of the media, and would like to join our press media list, please visit our press page:  
<http://www.contemporary.org/press>