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EMPIRE: A FASHION KUROTSUKI ZINE

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You must be 20+ years of age to participate in this zine

About

Inspired by classy, bespoke runways and photoshoots,「EMPIRE」is a fashion fanzine centered around Kuroo and Tsukishima. This zine seeks to explore the multitude of ways they express themselves through style, aesthetics, and trends.

Provided there is enough interest, this will be tentatively planned for Q3/Q4 of 2023 as both a digital and physical zine with additional merchandise. The zine will feature **25-30 contributors** (~18 artists, 5 merch artists, and 7 writers). After production and shipping costs are accounted for, all proceeds will be evenly distributed among the team. Moderators will post the schedule closer to the end of the Interest Check.

Moderators

Pinta | (She/Her) | *Administrative, Graphics, Layout, Finances, Shipping* | [Twitter](#) | [Carrd](#)

The Head mod for various HQ!! zines such as the [Divine](#), [Sweetheart](#), and [Everlasting](#). Charged with promotional graphics, zine layouts, finance, and shipping. Outside fandom, she has 5+ years of experience as a Project Manager and 7 years of UX/UI.

Adriana | (She/Her) | *Administrative, Beta, Writing* | [Twitter](#) |

The Head mod for various HQ!! zines such as the [Divine](#), [Sweetheart](#), and [Everlasting](#).

Guidelines

- Applicants and contributors must be 20+ years old to participate in this zine
- You must create a **new** and **original** piece for the zine that has not yet been published
- If using Google Drive to submit a portfolio, please sure permissions are enabled
- As with the nature of this zine, submissions must be SFW
- You may apply for all three positions, but you must submit separate applications as you will only be accepted for one position

Artists

We strongly prefer submissions that are fully illustrated and have a background. Submissions will be evaluated based on a mixture of components such as style, composition, coloring, and anatomy.

- Please submit three (3) samples that you feel best represent you and your work
- At least one (1) **must** be KuroTsuki
- If applying as a merch artist, please include samples of your merch style

Writers

We strongly prefer submissions that are devoid of grammatical and spelling errors. Submissions will be evaluated based on a mixture of components such as characterization, syntax, and dialogue.

- Please submit three (3) samples that you feel best represent you and your work
- At least one (1) **must** be KuroTsuki
- Each sample must not exceed 1,500 words

FAQ

Q: What will this zine be about?

Inspired by classy, bespoke runways and photoshoots,「EMPIRE」is a fashion fanzine centered around Kuroo and Tsukishima. As with the nature of this zine, it will heavily feature crafted outfits, accessories, and masterful depictions such as Sendai Frogs!Tsukishima sportswear, JVA!Kuroo in a suit, or even the two promoting the latest in fashion trends and watch wear. Authors can expect to write interviews, articles, and columns.

Q: What kind of zine will this be?

Provided enough interest is garnered, this zine will be both a digital and physical zine with supporting merchandise. The zine itself will be perfectly bound, portrait-style, and reminiscent of an actual magazine with articles, celebrity photos, and interviews. It will be SFW and the rating will be up to **Teen**. Each piece will be thoroughly reviewed by the mods to ensure that it fits within these parameters and guidelines.

Q: Will contributors receive a full bundle of the zine?

Yes! All contributors will receive a full bundle of the zine as well as any added merchandise at no cost to them.

Q: How many contributors will there be?

There will be a total of 25-30 contributors with some guests being invited to participate. A possible breakdown would be 18 page artists, 5 merch artists, and 7 writers.

Q: How many pieces can contributors do?

Artists can contribute 1-2 full-page pieces if they desire. Anything from illustrations to spreads and comics are welcomed. Likewise, authors can contribute 1-2 pieces with word counts ranging from 500 to 1,500 depending on the nature of their piece (interview, article, etc).

Q: Is Discord mandatory for the zine?

Yes, it is! Once contributors are chosen, they will receive an email with a link to the zine's server. Moderators will use Discord as the main hub of communication so that contributors are privy to any creation, production, and fulfillment-related updates. Again, it is an absolute necessity that contributors join the server.

Q: Are you looking for additional moderators?

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