Cultural Mobility Funding Guide
For the international mobility of artists and cultural professionals
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Obtaining funding to finance international travel is a considerable challenge. Due to the Covid-19 related travel restrictions and the concomitant suspension of mobility funding possibilities, opportunities to go abroad have been limited in 2020 and 2021. Public art funds are waiting to release funding until it is safe to travel and stay in the country of destination as indicated by the colour codes green and yellow here. At the same time new funding schemes have become available to support the cultural sector in the Netherlands providing some relief from the cancellation or postponement of (international) projects. In some instances mobility funds have continued to support international exchange by funding online collaborations between artists and institutions across the world. At the time of writing travel restrictions are being eased and re-tightened regularly, and borders are slowly re-opening for growing groups of (vaccinated) travellers.

On the Move and DutchCulture, Centre for International Cooperation have teamed up to provide you with this updated guide including information and tips on how and where to find funding for your mobility as an artist, a cultural professional and/or a cultural organisation to and/or from the Netherlands. There can be different reasons why you are looking for mobility funding, and among them:
- You have been selected for a project in a foreign country (collaboration project, residency, participation in an event like a festival etc.) but are not provided funding for your transportation;
- You have developed a project with an international component and you wish to invite foreign artists and cultural professionals in one or more places/countries for co-production, touring, market development etc.;
- You are interested in working experiences (including training) in a foreign country and are seeking means to cover your travel costs.

The main objective of this cultural mobility funding guide is to provide an overview of the funding bodies and programmes that support the international mobility of artists and cultural operators from the Netherlands and travelling to the Netherlands. This document is the 2021-2022 edition, updated from the Cultural Mobility Funding Guide the Netherlands 2019-2020 and the Guide to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals in Europe produced by the Foundation Interarts, On the Move and PRACTICS first published online in September 2011.
This present guide includes:
- Mobility funding opportunities open to Dutch nationals and residents in most artistic and cultural disciplines, described as Outgoing mobility (OM);
- Mobility funding opportunities open to nationals from other countries than the Netherlands in most artistic and cultural disciplines, described as Incoming mobility (IM)

The guide lists local, national and international resources, be they public or private. Only regular opportunities accessible online are listed. Funds for which information is only available offline, not based on open calls, and ad hoc or short-term funding are not included.

This guide also aims to provide input for funders and policy makers on how to fill the existing gaps in funding for international cultural exchange. This guide is modelled on the Guides to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals in Europe, Asia, the Arab Region, the USA and Africa².

The information is organised according to the following structure:
1. Public foundations and/or agencies based in the Netherlands supporting international cultural exchange;
2. Regional and/or city public funding organisations from the Netherlands supporting international cultural exchange;
3. Private foundations or structures supporting international cultural exchange to and/or from the Netherlands;
4. Fellowships and international visitors programmes to the Netherlands;
5. Residencies in the Netherlands providing travel grants and/or substantial stipends;
6. Rent-free residencies in the Netherlands;
7. Other types of financial structures relevant in the Netherlands, including local crowdfunding platforms;
8. Additional information resources relating to international cultural exchange with the Netherlands.

We do want to emphasise that international projects may be (in part) funded by opportunities not listed in this guide. For instance, a designer might intend to develop a light installation to be displayed at a gallery in Rotterdam, as well as present it at the Salon del Mobile in Milan. The presentation of the installation in Milan might be funded by mobility funding, or as part of a larger application initially intended to fund the making and display of the work in the Netherlands.

For an overview of the different funding opportunities for arts and culture available in the Netherlands (so not just intended for international mobility), please refer to Cultuur + Ondernemen's Culturele Financieringswijzer (in Dutch).

This guide is an attempt to gather all the resources in one document. It draws on extensive online research as well as on previously completed studies. The information was mostly compiled and/or updated by Laurens Meijer and Dicle Gülşahin from DutchCulture, in close collaboration with Marie Le Sourd from On the Move (OTM).
This guide is by no means complete and the information provided does not grant any rights to individuals or organisations when applying to any of the organisations or funders mentioned in this guide.

Though the guide attempts to be as extensive and accurate as possible, the individual entries may be outdated, inaccurate or incomplete. Please refer to the websites of the funds included in this guide for the latest updates related to covid-19. If you notice errors when reading through this document, please send your comments, suggestions and corrections to: infopoint@dutchculture.nl.

If you have any questions regarding mobility funding schemes in other countries, we suggest consulting the other Cultural Mobility Funding Guides published on the On the Move website. For regular and one off calls for projects, collaborations and other opportunities to fund international cultural exchange, we invite you to subscribe to the monthly newsletter at http://on-the-move.org/newsletter.

There are other transnational funding opportunities that may be used for mobility to and from the Netherlands but are excluded from the guide due to the fact that the funding organisation is not based in the Netherlands. One important funder is the European Union with the Creative Europe 2021-2027 programme. A new, and important addition is the i-Portunus programme, which supports short-term mobility for artists and culture professionals. Available transnational mobility opportunities are listed below:

Funding from the European Union:
- Creative Europe Culture or MEDIA within the Netherlands: refer to creativeeuropedesk.nl
- Creative Europe in another country, refer to https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/creative-europe/contact_en
- i-Portunus short-term mobility funding scheme: https://www.i-portunus.eu/
- Anna Lindh Foundation: https://www.annalindhfoundation.org/

Transnational funding opportunities:
- Roberto Cimetta fund (from and to the Middle-East): https://www.cimettafund.org/index/index/lang/en
- TelepART (from and to Finland): https://www.applytelepart.com/
- Allianz Cultural Foundation (from and to European countries): https://kulturstiftung.allianz.de/en_EN/who-we-are.html

To stay up to date about funding opportunities, networking events and information sessions regarding international cultural exchange in the Netherlands, sign up to DutchCulture's newsletter. You can also choose to receive news on specific programmes operating under the DutchCulture umbrella, such as TransArtists and the Creative Europe Desk.
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5.12 deBuren
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8 Additional information resources
On the Move signposts on a free, regular and updated manner funding opportunities for the mobility of artists and cultural professionals – all disciplines covered – in Europe and worldwide. Thanks to its members’ and partners’ expertise, On the Move also shares information on key challenges related to cultural mobility (eg. visas, social protection, taxation, environmental issues). Beyond this information channel, On the Move facilitates training, workshop and/or makes public presentations on cultural mobility issues and internationalisation of practices for the arts and cultural sector.

Born as a website in 2002 as project of IETM (the international network of contemporary performing arts), it has evolved as a dynamic network which now counts more than 50 member-organisations and individuals. On the Move is funded through a regular subsidy from the French Ministry of Culture and through projects’ support with European networks, ministries, national cultural institutes, independent organisations etc.

Website
http://on-the-move.org

Facebook
https://www.facebook.com/onthemove.OTM/

Twitter
https://twitter.com/OnTheMoveOTM
DutchCulture is the national network and knowledge organisation for international cultural cooperation in the Netherlands. It is also the point of contact for the cultural sector in the Netherlands and Dutch diplomatic posts abroad. Among other things, DutchCulture provides information on European grants and on artist-in-residences throughout the world, organises work visits for embassies and foreign experts, collects information on the export of Dutch culture in their extensive database, stimulates collaboration and coordinates cultural programmes worldwide. DutchCulture works together with organisations, diplomatic posts, governments and artists themselves, with individual advice and tailored guidance. DutchCulture hosts TransArtists, your guide on international artist-in-residence opportunities. We combine and share knowledge and experience on artist-in-programmes and other international opportunities for creative professionals to temporarily stay and work elsewhere. DutchCulture | TransArtists’ goal is to make the enormous worldwide residential art labyrinth accessible and usable to artists through its website, workshops, research and projects.

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Websites
http://www.dutchculture.nl and www.transartists.org

Instagram
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Facebook
https://www.facebook.com/DutchCultureOnline and
https://www.facebook.com/TransArtists.org

Twitter
https://twitter.com/DutchCulture and
https://twitter.com/TransArtists

LinkedIn
https://www.linkedin.com/company/dutchculture/
1 Public foundations/agencies
1.1 Performing Arts Fund NL

Organisation Fonds Podiumkunsten

1.1.1 Grant for Dutch presentations abroad

Type of mobility
- Touring incentives for groups
- Event participation grants

Sector
- Performing arts
- Music
- Cross-disciplinary arts

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical location
Foreign venue or festival located outside the Netherlands with a substantial international programme.

Profession
Organisation

Destination
OM Worldwide

Other priorities
The subsidy is provided to programme Dutch shows and concerts abroad and is a contribution to the travel and transportation costs.

Size of grants
The amount of the grant is determined on the basis of the travel and transport costs for the relevant performance(s) or concert(s) with a maximum of EUR 25,000 per production/concert and a maximum of EUR 75,000 for three or more performances/concerts. An additional contribution towards the costs of fringe programming (e.g. workshops, masterclasses, lectures) can be awarded, where applicable.

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1.1.2 Grant for Dutch presentations abroad (fast-lane)

**Type of mobility**
- Travel grants
- Touring incentives for groups
- Event participation grants

**Sector**
- Performing arts
- Music
- Cross-disciplinary arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Nationality**: Dutch based cultural organisation
- **Profession**: Bands, ensembles, big bands, singers, song-writers, DJs, composers, playwrights, librettists and choreographers
- **Other**: Due to covid-19 the fund has shifted this period and will assess if at least 10 performances or concerts have been given in the 18 months prior to 17 March 2020. Individuals must present existing work and be imbedded in the Dutch performing arts practice.

**Destination**
- OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
- The grant for giving performances or concerts will only be issued if there is a series of a minimum of 3 performances or concerts that take place consecutively; have been confirmed by the foreign stages or festivals to which the application relates; take place on stages or festivals that provide a relevant programme considering the context in which they operate.
- Grants to attend shows and concerts abroad will only be issued if the composer, playwright, librettist and choreographer which the application relates to is invited by a foreign organisation to attend a performance of one or more of his/her works; to give a lecture or workshop or other complementary activities.
- Groups themselves or their sustainable representative (booker, management, label) can apply.

**Size of grants**
- The fund will weigh in the covid-19 travel restrictions and assess the Dutch government's travel advice on the moment of decision making. The grant will be transferred only if the country of destination is marked yellow or green on this government website.

- Hotel expenses and stays are not eligible. Grants to attend one or more performances or concerts abroad for composers, playwrights, librettists and choreographers shall not exceed the total travel and transportation costs with a maximum of EUR 2,500.

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**URL**
1.1.3 Grant for international co-productions

**Type of mobility**
- Project and production grant
- Research grants

**Sector**
- Performing arts
- Music
- Cross-disciplinary arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Geographical criteria** Worldwide

**Nationality** Dutch legal entities

**Profession** Producing institutions ((music) theatre groups, ensemble or dance company) as well as festivals and stages.

**Destination** OM Worldwide

**Other priorities** The applicant collaborates with a professional cultural institution abroad.

**Size of grants** This grant for an international co-production does not exceed EUR 75,000.

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**URL** [https://fondspodiumkunsten.nl/nl/subsidies/regeling-internationalisering/internationale_coproducties/](https://fondspodiumkunsten.nl/nl/subsidies/regeling-internationalisering/internationale_coproducties/)
1.1.4 Grant for foreign shows or concerts in the Netherlands

**Type of mobility**
- Travel grants
- Touring incentives for groups
- Event Participation grants

**Sector**
- Performing arts
- Music
- Cross-disciplinary arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Nationality**: All nationalities
- **Profession**: Festivals and venues.
- **Other**: Application must be done by the Dutch festival or venue.

**Destination**
- **IM**: Worldwide

**Other priorities**
The grant supports outstanding foreign shows and concerts in the Netherlands. The goal is to enhance the international quality and diversity in the Dutch performing arts, and to contribute to the development of an audience.

**Size of grants**
The amount of the grant is set on the basis of travel and transport expenses for the performance(s) or concert(s).

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**URL**
https://fondspodiumkunsten.nl/nl/subsidies/regeling-internationalisering/buitenlandse_voorstellingen_of_concerten_in_nederland/
1.2 Dutch Foundation for Literature

Organisation *Nederlands Letterenfonds*

1.2.1 Travel Costs: promotional

Type of mobility
- Travel grants
- Event participation grants

Sector Literature

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality All nationalities

Type of organisation Literary publishers, festivals, literary organisations and universities outside the Netherlands can apply.

Other At least one translation of the author must have been published recently in book form by a publishing house in the country or language area in question and still be in print. The author will give a reading or a workshop, or take part in other activities that require his or her presence. The activities concerned must be public in nature, taking place onstage or at festivals.

Destination **OM** Worldwide (currently suspended due to covid-19)

Other priorities Travel expenses incurred by Dutch- or Frisian-language authors who participate in literary programmes, public events or other activities aimed at promoting their work in translation in other countries.

Size of grants The subsidy for a promotional trip will not cover more than a contribution to the direct travel costs that an author or translator can reasonably expect to incur, possibly with the addition of a contribution towards the translation costs involved in making the promotional trip.

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1.2.2 Travel Costs: research trip

**Type of mobility**
Travel grants
Research grants

**Sector**
- Literature

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Nationality**: Dutch/ EU citizenship or permanent residence in the Netherlands/ EU
- **Profession / organisation type**: Writers, translators

**Destination**
- OM Worldwide (currently suspended due to covid-19)

**Other priorities**
The writer or translator can produce a publishing contract or declaration of intent from a literary publishing house relating to the writing or translating of a book. The writer or translator can motivate the necessity of the trip for the realisation of the literary work. The writer or translator can motivate the urgency of contribution by the Dutch Foundation for Literature. Urgency is assumed when the taxable collective income of the writer or in 2020 will amount to EUR 45,000 or less.

**Size of grants**
The subsidy for research activities will not cover more than the total sum of the necessary costs for travel and stay, with a maximum of EUR 5,000.

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**URL**
[http://www.letterenfonds.nl/nl/reiskosten-buitenland](http://www.letterenfonds.nl/nl/reiskosten-buitenland)
### 1.2.3 Travel Costs: writer-in-residence

**Type of mobility**
- Travel grants
- Artist/writer in residence

**Sector**
- Literature

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Nationality**: Dutch/ EU citizenship or permanent residence in the Netherlands/ EU
- **Profession / organisation type**: Writers, translators

**Destination**
- **OM**: Worldwide (currently suspended due to covid-19)

**Other priorities**
Support to Dutch- or Frisian-language writers for their participation in Writer-in-residence programmes of the Ledig House (USA) and Het Beschrijf (Belgium), and for translators at BANFF (Canada).

The applicant satisfies the conditions set by the foreign organisation that manages the residency.

**Size of grants**
Support for the participation to a writer in residence will not cover more than the total of the project costs agreed on with the residency and the travel costs, with a maximum of EUR 4,000.

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**URL**
http://www.letterenfonds.nl/nl/reiskosten-buitenland
## 1.3 Mondriaan Fund

### Organisation

**Mondriaan Fonds**

### 1.3.1 Artist Start (Stipendium for Emerging Artists)

**Type of mobility**
- Project and production grants
- Event participation grants
- “Go-and-see” or short-term exploration grants
- Research grants
- Market development grants
- Travel grants

**Sector**
- Visual arts

### Eligibility of beneficiaries

**Geographical criteria**
- Worldwide

**Nationality**
- All nationalities; integrated in the professional contemporary art practice of the Netherlands. Applicants who do not have the Dutch nationality have to include a recent certificate of residence

**Profession**
- Visual Artists

**Other**
- Up to 4 years after leaving graduation school or Master course, and at least 1 year of professional experience as a visual artist. As of 2020, as a pilot, artists who have not received an education with a fine arts curriculum are also eligible to apply if they possess a minimum of 1 and a maximum of 4 years of professional practice as a visual artist. The aggregate income of the applicant in the year or years for which the grant is awarded may not exceed EUR 35,000. These conditions may change, so check the website regularly.

**Destination**
- Worldwide

**Other priorities**
- The grant can be used for everything related to the development of new work e.g. research, material costs, equipment and projects in and outside the Netherlands. The grant can also be used to take part in exhibitions and manifestations.

**Size of grants**
- Grants EUR 20,000 for 12 months.

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**URL**
1.3.2 Artist Basic (Stipendium for Established Artists)

**Type of mobility**
- Project and production grants
- Event participation grants
- "Go-and-see" or short-term exploration grants
- Research grants
- Market development grants
- Travel grants

**Sector**
- Visual arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Nationality**
All nationalities; integrated in the professional contemporary art practice of the Netherlands. Applicants who do not have the Dutch nationality have to include a recent certificate of residence.

**Profession**
Visual artists

**Other**
A professional practice as visual artist of at least 4 years. The aggregate income of the applicant in the two calendar years prior to the years covered by the grant must not exceed EUR 38,000 per year.

**Destination**
Worldwide

**Other priorities**
Grant covers everything related to the development of new work e.g. research, material costs, equipment and project development. The grant can be used to take part in exhibitions and manifestations in and outside the Netherlands.

**Size of grants**
EUR 40,000 to be paid no less than 2 and no more than 4 years.

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**URL**
https://www.mondriaanfonds.nl/en/application/artist-basic/
1.3.3 Artist-in-Residence Grant

**Type of mobility**
Artists/curators in residence

**Sector**
- Visual arts
- Research

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Nationality**
All nationalities; integrated in the professional contemporary art practice of the Netherlands. Applicants who do not have the Dutch nationality have to include a recent proof of residence.

**Profession**
Visual artists, curators and art critics.

**Other**
At least three years of professional work experience as a visual artist or a three-year degree with a visual art curriculum at a university of the arts and have worked as a professional artist for at least one year since then. Artists currently enrolled at (post)-academic art education cannot apply.

**Destination**
Mondriaan Fund collaborates with different residencies abroad. Currently, within this programme more than twenty residencies are offered annually. Among which are: Paris (France), Yogyakarta (Indonesia), Rome (Italy), Annandale-on-Hudson, New Orleans, New York (USA), London (Great Britain), Moengo (Surinam), Berlin (Germany), Beijing (China), Tokyo (Japan), Curacao (Netherlands Antilles), Warsaw (Poland), Bogotá (Colombia), Brussels (Belgium), London (UK), Seoul (South-Korea), Taipei (Taiwan).

Please note: that this grant is currently suspended due to covid-19. Please refer to the website linked below for more information.

**Other priorities**
Meant for extending international networks and exploration of new markets.

**Size of grants**
Contribution towards travel, accommodation and material costs for work-time in the studio, depending on the budget estimate. The rent for the studio and/or living space will be paid directly by the Mondriaan Fund. Note: a personal contribution of a minimum of 10 percent to the total budget is expected.

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1.3.4 Artist Project (Project Grant for Visual Artists)

**Type of mobility**
- Project and production grants
- Research grants

**Sector**
- Visual arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Nationality**: All nationalities; integrated in the professional contemporary art practice of the Netherlands. Applicants who do not have the Dutch nationality have to include a recent proof of residence.
- **Profession**: Visual Artists, mediators
- **Other**: For visual artists who have been working professionally for at least one year.

**Destination**
- OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
Can be used for a plan with a limited time scope, such as working out a concrete plan for new work, a trip or a temporary stay at a place in the Netherlands or abroad, a research period, a collaboration between a mid-career artist and an emerging artist or an internship or apprenticeship with a renowned artist, cultural institution or company (except for educational institutions).

**Size of grants**
Two types:
- A flexible grant for a period of up to twelve months, size depending on the budget estimate.
- A fixed grant for a period of work with a duration of one to six months. The standard grant award is EUR 2,350 per month.

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**URL**
https://www.mondriaanfonds.nl/en/application/artist-project/
1.3.5 Curator Researcher (Project Grant for Intermediaries)

**Type of mobility**
- Scholarships for further training
- Research grants
- Project and production grants

**Sector**
- Visual arts
- Research

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Nationality**: All nationalities; integrated in the professional contemporary art practice of the Netherlands. Applicants who do not have the Dutch nationality have to include a recent certificate of residence.
- **Profession**: Intermediaries
- **Other**: Curators, researchers, critics, theorists and art observers who have been professionally active in the visual arts or cultural heritage for at least 2 years are eligible.
  The grant is also eligible for group applications together with other curators or artists. In that case, it must concern a collaborative plan that leads to a single result.

**Destination**
- OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
- Can be used to fund studies, the writing of an article, essay or (manuscript for a) publication, a trip to or temporary stay at a place in the Netherlands or abroad, an internship or apprenticeship at a cultural institution or company (but not at an education institution)

**Size of grants**
- A grant to for maximum twelve months worth EUR 2,050 per month.

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**URL**
1.3.6 International Art Presentations

**Type of mobility**
- Travel grants
- Event participation grants
- Project and production grants

**Sector**
- Visual arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- Geographical location: Foreign contemporary art platforms outside the Netherlands for the presentation of work by living artists from the Netherlands. This may include the production of work commissioned by the art platform.
- Profession: Organisation, Artists
- Destination: Worldwide

**Other priorities**
The grant is provided to internationally acknowledged contemporary art platforms outside the Netherlands for the presentation of work by living artists from the Netherlands. This may include the production of work commissioned by the art platform. Commercial galleries are not eligible. Proposals can also be submitted by artists themselves. The artist must have at least four years of professional experience or have completed an education in the visual arts of at least three years’ duration.

**Size of grants**
The amount of the International Presentations Grant is determined per application on the basis of the proposal and the budget. The grant can be used to cover travel costs, accommodation costs and per diem, transport costs, production costs of new (site specific) work (max. 50%), publication (max. 25%), visibility (max. 50%). Please note that the Mondriaan Fund suspends transferring funds until there is certainty about the presentation is taking place and the Ministry of Foreign Affair has indicated it is safe to travel to the country in question.

**Last viewed**
12-07-2021

**URL**
https://www.mondriaanfonds.nl/en/application/international-art-presentation/
1.3.7 Grant for International Collaborative Projects with Heritage Institutes

**Type of mobility**  
Project and production grants

**Sector**  
- Visual arts
- Heritage

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Geographical location**  
The applicant should be a Dutch museum listed with the Dutch Museums Register. The partner institution can be a Dutch and/or a foreign institution.

**Profession**  
Organisation

**Destination**  
OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
The Grant for International Collaborative Projects with Heritage Institutes is intended for one or more Dutch cultural heritage institutions that collaborate with foreign cultural heritage institutions in research projects in fields covered by both of their collections. The grant may also be requested for the development phase of the project.

**Size of grants**  
The amount of a Grant for International Collaborative Projects with Heritage Institutes will be determined per application. The foreign partner's or partners' share of the project costs must be in acceptable proportion to the grant awarded by the Mondriaan Fund.

**Last viewed**  
12-07-2021

**URL**  
### 1.3.8 Participation in International Art Fairs

#### Type of mobility
- Market development grants
- Project or production grants

#### Sector
- Visual arts
- Heritage
- Cultural management

#### Eligibility of beneficiaries
- **Geographical location**: Worldwide
- **Profession**: Galleries and international art fairs
- **Other**: Must exhibit Dutch contemporary art

#### Destination
- OM Worldwide

#### Other priorities
The aim of this grant programme is to reinforce the international position of contemporary art from the Netherlands at international art fairs. The grant is intended as a contribution towards booth rental or, where there is a special exhibition at the fair, as a contribution towards the production and presentation. The Mondriaan Fund has drawn up a list of international art fairs where, if a gallery has been accepted for one of these fairs and exhibits existing work in a booth, the application is honoured automatically under the prevailing conditions. Please note that the Mondriaan Fund suspends transferring the funds until there is certainty about the project taking place and the Ministry of Foreign Affair has indicated it is safe to travel to the country in question.

#### Size of grants
Calculated on the basis of the basic booth rental price and the percentage of exhibited work by artists from the Netherlands.

#### Last viewed
12-07-2021

#### URL
1.3.9 Participation in International Art Book Fairs

**Type of mobility**
Market development grants

**Sector**
- Visual arts
- Heritage
- Cultural management

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Geographical location**: Worldwide
- **Profession**: Publishers
- **Other**: Must present Dutch to present art/artists’ books of living visual artists from the Netherlands, or publications about contemporary visual art in the Netherlands from the 21st century

**Destination**
- OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
The aim of this grant programme is to reinforce the international position of contemporary art from the Netherlands at international art book fairs. The grant is intended as a contribution towards booth rental. The Mondriaan Fund has drawn up a list of international art book fairs where, if a gallery has been accepted for one of these fairs and exhibits existing work in a booth, the application is honoured automatically under the prevailing conditions.
Please note that the Mondriaan Fund suspends transferring the funds until there is certainty about the project taking place and the Ministry of Foreign Affair has indicated it is safe to travel to the country in question.

**Size of grants**
Max. EUR 3,000, depending on what percentage of works presented are from Dutch contemporary artists.

**Last viewed**
19-09-2019

**URL**
1.4 Dutch Film Fund

Organisation: Nederlands Filmfonds

1.4.1 Training at home and abroad

Type of mobility: Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

Sector: Audiovisual and media – Film

Eligibility of beneficiaries:

- Geographical criteria: Worldwide
- Nationality: Dutch citizenship or permanent residence in the Netherlands.
- Profession: Film professional or an organisation specialized in trainings for film professionals.
- Other:

Destination: Worldwide

Other priorities: For short term trainings in- or outside The Netherlands in the fields of production, directing, script development, distribution and/or innovation of the film sector. The training cannot be given by an institute for higher education.

Size of grants: A maximum of 75% or EUR 3,000 a year as reimbursement of the individual costs of an independent film professional. A maximum of 50% when the professional is in paid employment in a film company.

Last viewed: 12-07-2021

URL: https://www.filmfonds.nl/nl/aanvragen-film-activiteiten/training
1.5 EYE International

Organisation

1.5.1 Travel Grant Film Festival (SEE NL)

Type of mobility  Travel grants

Sector  Audiovisual and media – Film

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria  Worldwide
Nationality  Dutch citizenship or permanent residence in the Netherlands.
Profession  Film professional.

Destination  Worldwide

Other priorities  Travel grant to attend a screening at an international film festival. The invitation to attend the festival should come from a festival on the EYE International Travel List (see website). The festival has to have sent an official invitation and offered a minimum of three nights stay at a hotel.

Size of grants  For feature films: 2/3 of the travel costs with a maximum of EUR 600 for travel outside Europe. 2/3 of the travel costs with a maximum of EUR 200 for travel inside Europe.
For short films: 2/3 of the travel costs with a maximum of EUR 300 for travel outside Europe. 2/3 of the travel costs with a maximum of EUR 150 for travel inside Europe.

Last viewed  12-07-2021

URL  https://international.eyefilm.nl/festival-reisbeurzen.html
Public foundations/agencies
Creative Industries Fund NL – Stimuleringsfonds voor de Creatieve Industrie

1.6 Creative Industries Fund NL
Organisation Stimuleringsfonds voor de Creatieve Industrie

1.6.1 Project Grants
Type of mobility Artist residencies
Project and production grants
Travel grants
Sector Creative industry – architecture, design (including fashion) and digital culture

Eligibility of beneficiaries
Geographical criteria The project should serve a Dutch interest.
Profession / organisation type Designers, makers, curators, architects.
Destination Worldwide

Other priorities Focus lies on contribution to the Dutch field, it is not part of the internationalisation programme. Yet, programme might offer short research/exchange possibilities abroad if it contributes to realisation of work in the Netherlands. Research, design, implementation, production, reflection and debate in various phases of the development of design are eligible for support.

Size of grants Depending on budget.
Last viewed 12-07-2021

URL Architecture: http://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/grant_programme_for_architecture/
Design: http://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/grant_programme_for_design/
Digital culture: https://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/grant_programme_for_digital_culture/
1.6.2 Starting Grants

**Type of mobility**
- Artist residencies
- Project and production grants
- Travel grants

**Sector**
- Creative industry – architecture, design (including fashion) and digital culture

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Geographical criteria**: The project should serve a Dutch interest.
- **Profession / organisation type**: Designers, makers, curators, architects.
- **Destination**: Worldwide

**Other priorities**

A starting grant enables applicants to study a project's options and is aimed at the initial phase. The project plan should describe the activities aimed at refining the project's substantive and organisational aspects and should outline project (or follow-up project) and the end results.

**Size of grants**
- Maximum EUR 7,500

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- 12-07-2021

**URL**
- [https://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/starting_grant/](https://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/starting_grant/)
1.6.3 Grant programme for internationalisation

Type of mobility
- Market development grants
- Project and production grants
- “Go-and-see” or short term exploration grants

Sector
- Creative industry – architecture, design (including fashion) and digital culture

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality
Dutch legal entity. The project should serve a “Dutch interest.”

Profession
Designers, makers, producers, curators and clients

Other
The project must contribute to at least one of the following criteria: Reinforcing the international reputation of the contemporary creative industry in the Netherlands, expanding the creative industry's field of operations or creating and maintaining relevant international contacts between designers, makers, producers, commissioning clients and cultural institutions.

Destination
OM Priority will be given to applications relating to the countries: Belgium/Flanders, Brazil, China, Germany, France, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, South Africa, South Korea, Suriname, Turkey, U.S.A., United Kingdom (but other destinations are also possible).

Other priorities
The Grant Programme for Internationalisation is for international projects that concern or where the anticipated result is collaboration between Dutch partners, collaboration with one or more foreign partners and alignment with a concrete question or assignment abroad.

Please note that this scheme has been put on hold due to covid-19. A new Grant Programme Internationalization will be presented Fall 2021.

Size of grants
The grant covers the budget deficit of the project.

Last viewed
12-07-2021

URL
http://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/grant_programme_for_internationalisation/
1.6.4 Voucher procedure for presentations abroad

**Type of mobility**
Event participation grants

**Sector**
Creative industry – architecture, design (including fashion) and digital culture

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Nationality**
  The project should serve a Dutch interest.

- **Profession**
  Individual designers, makers, curators, architects, companies and collectives.

- **Other**
  A recently dated invitation from the foreign party that establishes the need for Dutch expert input and describes the expertise and quality of the Dutch party concerned. This invitation should also illustrate the organisation's financial or facilitative contribution to the project. This invitation is mandatory.

**Destination**
OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
The project takes place outside the Netherlands; there is a recent invitation from a foreign cultural institution or organisation; the subsidy is for travel, accommodation, transportation and presentation costs; applications cannot be accepted for events for which there are existing procedures within the Fund.

**Size of grants**
The subsidy requirement amounts to no more than EUR 1,500 per applicant. Only one voucher can be applied for per studio, company or collective. Please note that this scheme has been put on hold due to covid-19.

**Last viewed**
12-07-2021

**URL**
http://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/voucher_procedure_for_presentations_abroad/
1.6.5 Upstream: Music x Design (in collaboration with Performing Arts Fund NL and Sena)

**Type of mobility** Project and production grant

**Sector**
- Creative industry – architecture, design (including fashion) and digital culture
- Music

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Nationality** The main applicant should be a legal entity in the Netherlands

**Profession** Individual designers, makers, curators, architects, companies, collectives, bands, ensembles, big bands, singers, song-writers, DJs, composers,

**Destination**
- IM The Netherlands
- OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
The grant programme is aimed at supporting innovative artistic formats and collaborations within Dutch pop/urban music. Artists work together with designers and makers on new applications of design, visual culture and technology within music. Dutch partnerships formed by at least one pop artist and one designer or maker from the creative industry may submit an application for this grant programme. It is important that together they make a proven contribution to their disciplines, nationally or internationally.

Please note that this fund only handles applications for projects executed outside the Netherlands if the Ministry of Foreign Affairs indicates that travelling there is safe. Alternatively, the fund provides the option to use their financial contribution for online non-physical alternatives as well.

**Size of grants**
- Starting grant: a maximum of EUR 5,000
- Project development and realization grant: a maximum of EUR 50,000.

**Last viewed** 12-07-2021

**URL** [https://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/grant_programme_upstream_music_x_design/17/](https://stimuleringsfonds.nl/en/grants/grant_programme_upstream_music_x_design/17/)
### 1.7 Cultural Participation Fund

**Organisation**  
*Cultuurparticipatie*

### 1.7.1 International Cooperation Grant

**Type of mobility**  
Project and production grants

**Sector**  
All

#### Eligibility of beneficiaries

- **Geographical criteria**  
The main applicant should be registered in the Netherlands

- **Profession / organisation type**  
Organisation, cultural professional.

**Destination**  
OM  
Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
The grant is aimed at projects with a significant cultural educational or participatory component. An education project always has to be executed together with students and a participation project always has to be executed together with local cultural professionals residing in the country of destination. Non-profit cultural / educational organisations and individual professionals registered in the Netherlands with at least five years of relevant experience may apply. Please note that this fund only handles applications for projects executed outside the Netherlands if the Ministry of Foreign Affairs indicates that travelling there is safe. Alternatively, the fund provides the option to use their financial contribution for online non-physical alternatives as well.

**Size of grants**  
Development grant: max EUR 7,500  
Cooperation grant: max EUR 25,000

**Last viewed**  
12-07-2021

**URL**  
https://www.cultuurparticipatie.nl/subsidies/internationale-samenwerking.html
1.8 Dutch Music Export

Organisation

1.8.1 Dutch Music Export Marketing Regulation

Type of mobility
Market development grants

Sector
Music

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
The applicant should be registered in the Netherlands

Profession / organisation type
Musicians

Destination
OM Worldwide focal countries in particular according to the 2021-2024 International Cultural Policy of the Netherlands.

Other priorities
The grant is a co-financing grant: an amount equal to the amount requested should be matched by another industrial partner (matching principle). The grant aims at financial support for international marketing for promising groups and performers.

Size of grants
The minimum amount that can be applied for is EUR 5,000 with a maximum of EUR 20,000.

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URL
1.8.2 Starter International Business

**Type of mobility**  Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

**Sector**  Music

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Geographical criteria**  The applicant should be registered in the Netherlands
- **Profession / organisation type**  Intermediaries

**Destination**  Worldwide

**Other priorities**  Voucher for receiving coaching from an experienced professional to develop managing and intermediary skills.

**Size of grants**  Depending on application

**Last viewed**  12-07-2021

**URL**  [https://dutchmusicexport.com/regelingen/starters-international-business](https://dutchmusicexport.com/regelingen/starters-international-business)

1.8.3 Dutch Impact Showcase Support

**Type of mobility**  Event participation grants, travel grants

**Sector**  Music

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Geographical criteria**  The applicant should be registered in the Netherlands
- **Profession / organisation type**  Musicians

**Destination**  Worldwide

**Other priorities**  Support for participation in international showcase events. Expenses for travel, accommodation and visa are eligible (up to 50% of the total costs).

**Size of grants**  Max. 50% of the total costs.

**Last viewed**  12-07-2021

1.8.4. Visitor Arrangement for Events

**Type of mobility**  Event participation grants

**Sector**  Music

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Geographical criteria**  Foreigners who have been invited to come to the Netherlands
- **Profession / organisation type**  Artists and art professionals
- **Destination**  The Netherlands
- **Other priorities**  This initiative is intended to provide collective and mutual benefits, with all requests contributing to the Dutch music industry.

**Size of grants**  Partial compensation of travel and accommodation expenses

**Last viewed**  12-07-2021

1.9 Asia-Europe Foundation (ASEF)

Organisation

1.9.1 Mobility First!

Type of mobility

Travel fund

Sector

All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria

Asia and Europe (specifically ASEM-countries)

Profession

Artists and cultural organisations.

Destination

Europe

Asia

Other priorities

Only travel and visa costs are covered. Eligible activities include workshops/trainings, residencies, conferences/forums, festivals/biennales/international exhibitions, partnership meetings, practice-led research and networking trips in Asia and Europe. Due to covid-19 and the continuing travel restrictions, the ASEF provides collaboration grants in 2021 for joint art projects.

Size of grants

Europe-Russia vice-versa max. EUR 650
Europe-Asia vice-versa max EUR 1,300
Europe-Australia/New Zealand vice-versa max EUR 1,500

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URL

https://mobilityfirst.asef.org/
Regional and/or city public funding organisations
2.1 Amsterdam Fund for the Arts
Organisation Amsterdams Fonds voor de Kunst (AFK)

2.1.1 Project grants

Type of mobility
- Project and production grants
- Research grants

Sector All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria Dutch citizenship or permanent residence in Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Profession Individuals and organisations

Destination
- IM Amsterdam (the Netherlands)
- OM Worldwide (the project or programme to be carried out must take place at least partially in Amsterdam)

Other priorities The scheme Professional Art focuses on creating and presenting artistic and cultural project and programmes, in all artistic disciplines and all the possible hybrids between those disciplines.

Size of grants Supports up to EUR 25,000 for natural persons. For legal personas there are no limitations.

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### 2.2 The Pop Union

**Organisation**  
*De Popunie*

**2.2.1 Music export Rotterdam**

**Type of mobility**  
Event participation grants, tour support, travel grants

**Sector**  
Music

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Geographical criteria**  
The applying band/artists must be born or residing in Rotterdam, or the majority of the band/artist must be born or residing in Rotterdam.

- **Profession**  
(amateur) Musicians

- **Other**  
The amateur-status of the band is defined by a cap of a maximum of EUR 1,000 net per show that may be earned. The application should be submitted at least six weeks prior to the tour.

**Destination**  
OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
Only tours with multiple shows are eligible for the grant.

**Size of grants**  
The Popunie grants a maximum amount of EUR 1,000. Only artists / direct band members may profit from the grant. The granted amount cannot surpass the contribution of the applicant. Bands can apply for funding to cover the cost of preparing a future tour abroad if travel is temporarily restricted due to covid-19.

**Last viewed**  
12-07-2021

**URL**  
[https://popunie.nl/regelingen/music-export-rotterdam/](https://popunie.nl/regelingen/music-export-rotterdam/)
2.3 Pop Radar The Hague

Organisation Popradar Den Haag

2.3.1 Tour support

Type of mobility Event participation grants, tour support, travel grants

Sector Music

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria The applying band/artists must be born or residing in The Hague. Or the majority of the band/artist must be born or residing in The Hague.

Profession Musicians, mediators/promoters

Other Support for domestic and international tours is eligible, as well as participation in domestic and international showcase festivals. The application should be submitted at least six weeks prior to the activity.

Destination OM Worldwide

Size of grants The grant covers a maximum of 1/3 of the total budget of the project, with a maximum contribution of EUR 2,000.

Last viewed 12-07-2021

URL https://popradar.nl/music-support#over-music-support
2.4 Stroom The Hague

2.4.1 PRO Research – PRO Onderzoek

Type of mobility
- Artists residencies
- Research grants

Sector
- Visual arts (painting, sculpture, photography, installation, applied arts)
- Cross-disciplinary arts

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
Applicant must be living in The Hague and registered at Stroom

Profession
Artist

Destination
OM Worldwide

Other priorities
Individuals can apply for funding to do artistic research (can be abroad), to do a residency or do a research project that benefits the artistic climate in The Hague.

Size of grants
Max. EUR 5,000 and covering a maximum of 70% of the total budget.

Last viewed
12-07-2021

URL
https://www.stroom.nl/paginas/pagina.php?pa_id=6498710
2.4.2. PRO Art programme – PRO Kunstprogramma

Type of mobility
- Project or production grants

Sector
- Visual arts (painting, sculpture, photography, installation, applied arts)
- Cross-disciplinary arts

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
- From The Hague

Profession
- Arts organisation

Other
- Organised on by an organisation on non-profit base such as artist initiatives, residencies, artist collectives, artist unions, or independent curators.

Destination
- OM Worldwide
- IM The Hague

Other priorities
- Though not obligatory, the fund encourages international exchanges and residencies that allow artists from the Hague to profile themselves abroad and international artist to get acquainted with the artistic scene in The Hague.

Size of grants
- Max. EUR 5,000 without co-financing. With co-financing max. EUR 10,000 of which at least 30% of the budget must be contributed by the organisation itself or an alternative funder.

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- 12-07-2021

URL
2.4.3 PRO Premium

**Type of mobility**
- Project or production grants
- Research grants
- Market Development grants

**Sector**
- Performing arts (theatre, dance, opera, circus, street arts)
- Visual arts (painting, sculpture, photography, installation, applied arts)
- Audio-visual and media (film, TV, electronic art, new media, web)
- Music
- Literature
- Cross-disciplinary arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Geographical criteria**
- Applicant must be living in The Hague and registered at Stroom

**Profession**
- Individual artist that has worked for at least five years as an artist

**Other**
- For artists with the ambition to actively position themselves in the (inter)national art scene.

**Destination**
- OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**
- Made to enable artists to take a major step in the developing and deepening of their work, as well as strengthening their position in the (inter)national art field. May be applied for only once a year, and be received no more than twice per individual.

**Size of grants**
- Max. EUR 8,000

**Last viewed**
- 12-07-2021

**URL**
2.5 Culture Eindhoven

2.5.1 Project grants

Type of mobility

Project or production grants

Sector

All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria

Only applicants from Eindhoven

Profession

Only legal entities can apply

Destination

OM Worldwide

IM Eindhoven

Other priorities

Application can only be submitted in January, May or September in the years 2021-2024.

Grants are awarded for activities that are clearly defined in time and scope. This is a one-off subsidy for activities aimed at the development, production or presentation of professional arts, research, talent development, or cultural education and cultural participation.

Size of grants

Max. 80% of project / production costs

Last viewed

21-04-2021

URL

https://www.cultuureindhoven.nl/informatie-over-subsidies-2021-2024/#projectsubsidies---eenmalige-subsidie---aanvragen-is-vanaf-1-mei-weer-mogelijk
Regional and/or city public funding organisations
Culture Eindhoven – Cultuur Eindhoven

2.5.2 Quick money fund – Snelgeld fonds

Type of mobility
Project or production grants
Research Grans

Sector
All

Eligibility of beneficiaries
Geographical criteria
Only applicants from Eindhoven

Profession
Artists / creatives

Destination
OM Worldwide

Other priorities
Fund is open all year round. Applications must be submitted at least four weeks prior of the activity. Fund is intended to support individuals makers in their research, presentation or production. This may also be done abroad, as long as it is clear how it will benefit the cultural climate of Eindhoven.

Size of grants
Max. EUR 3,000.

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12-07-2021

URL
https://www.cultuureindhoven.nl/informatie-over-subsidies-2021-2024/#projectsubsidies---eenmalige-subsidie---aanvragen-is-vanaf-1-mei-weer-mogelijk
2.6 Brabant C

**Organisation**  
Brabant C

2.6.1 (Inter)national project grant

**Type of mobility**  
Project grants

**Sector**  
All

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Geographical criteria**  
The main applicant should be registered in the province of Brabant
- **Profession**  
All
- **Other**  
Existing organisations and initiatives can apply with a project that brings their international ambition to a next level. New initiatives that are appealing internationally (top-level projects) can apply for funding.

**Destination**  
OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
The funding is aimed towards arts- and cultural projects of internationally recognized quality and are contributing to the international exposure of the province of Brabant.

**Size of grants**  
The fund covers a maximum of 30% of the total budget of the project. The fund can be a loan, a combination of a loan and a grant or a financial guarantee. The total budget should be at least EUR 65,000.

**Last viewed**  
12-07-2021

**URL**  
http://www.brabantc.nl/aanvraag-indienen/
2.6.2 Grant for developing projects

**Type of mobility** Project grants

**Sector** All

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**
- **Geographical criteria**: The main applicant should be registered in the province of Brabant
- **Profession**: All
- **Other**: Initiatives with an innovative project can apply. The project should have the potential to be future-proof on content and financial level.

**Destination**: Worldwide

**Other priorities**: The funding is aiming towards arts- and cultural projects that have an international level and are contributing to the international exposure of the province of Brabant.

**Size of grants**: The fund covers a maximum of 30% of the total budget of the project through a grant. The minimum size of the grant is EUR 25,000 and the maximum size of the grant is EUR 64,999.

**Last viewed**: 12-07-2021

**URL**: [http://www.brabanc.nl/aanvraag-indienen/](http://www.brabanc.nl/aanvraag-indienen/)
2.7 Province of Limburg

2.7.1 Grant for Culture (Crossborder Cultural Policy)

Type of mobility Project grants

Sector All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria The main applicant should be registered in the province of Limburg

Profession All

Destination OM Meuse-Rhine Euregion

IM Province of Limburg

Other priorities The projects should focus on cultural cooperation between an organisation from the province of Limburg and another organisation from the Meuse-Rhine Euregion and should be accessible for all citizens of the Meuse-Rhine Euregion.

Size of grants The fund covers a maximum of 35% of the total budget of the project. The budget for the project should be at least EUR 1,000.

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2.8 deBuren

2.8.1 Grensverleggers

Type of mobility: Project and production grants

Sector: All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria: Flanders, Brussels, (Dutch) Limburg, Noord-Brabant or Zeeland

Profession: Organisations and individuals (as legal entity)

Destination: OM: Flanders, Brussels, (Dutch) Limburg, Noord-Brabant or Zeeland

IM: Flanders, Brussels, (Dutch) Limburg, Noord-Brabant or Zeeland

Other priorities: Seeks to establish connections between artists and cultural professionals in southern Dutch provinces and Flanders. Cooperation must take place between a Dutch and Flemish partner. DeBuren provides assistance in finding a partner if necessary.

Size of grants: Between EUR 2,500 and EUR 20,000. The grant covers a maximum of 50% of the total budget of the project.

Last viewed: 12-07-2021

URL: https://deburen.eu/project/17/grensverleggers (Dutch)
2.8.2 Research grant for cross-border research-journalism

Type of mobility
Project and production grants

Sector
Journalism

Eligibility of beneficiaries
Geographical criteria
The Netherlands and Flanders

Profession
Individual journalists

Other
Minimum of three years working experience

Destination
OM The Netherlands and Flanders
IM The Netherlands

Other priorities
Journalistic research with a clear visible link between the Netherlands and Flanders. This link can be found in the subject matter or in the method (through cross border collaboration for instance). Applicants must have a proof of intended publication from a relevant media-outlet when applying.

Size of grants
Unknown.

Last viewed
12-07-2021

URL
https://www.deburen.eu/project/37/aanmelden-vnjb-onderzoeksbeurs (Dutch)
2.9 Euregio Netherlands-Germany

2.9.1 Small projects

**Type of mobility**
Project and production grants

**Sector**
- All

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Geographical criteria**
Dutch and German provinces along the eastern border between the Netherlands and Germany

**Profession**
Organisations

**Destination**
- OM: Dutch and German provinces along the eastern border between the Netherlands and Germany
- IM: Dutch and German provinces along the eastern border between the Netherlands and Germany

**Other priorities**
Seeks to improve cross-border territorial and social cohesion through small-scale initiatives in the areas of health, labour, education and language, sports, mobility, culture and history, tourism as well as nature, landscape and environment. A Dutch and German partner must collaborate on the project. Projects should be sustainable, meaning that they can be continued after the funding is spent. For one-off meetings and exchanges (mini-projects): a subsidy of maximum EUR 1,000 can be granted.

**Size of grants**
Max. EUR 25,000. Max. 1,000 for mini-projects. The grant covers a maximum of 50% of the total budget of the project.

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**URL**
https://www.deutschland-nederland.eu/nl/eigenes-projektstarten/kleine-projecten/ (Dutch/German)
2.10 Euregio Meuse-Rhine
Organisation Euregio Maas-Rijn

2.10.1 Small regional projects
Type of mobility Project and production grants
Sector All

Eligibility of beneficiaries
Geographical criteria Dutch Limburg, Belgian Limburg, Province of Liège, Ostbelgien, Region Aachen.
Profession Organisations
Destination OM Dutch Limburg, Belgian Limburg, Province of Liège, Ostbelgien, Region Aachen.
IM Dutch Limburg, Belgian Limburg, Province of Liège, Ostbelgien, Region Aachen.

Other priorities Seeks to improve cross-border social cohesion through small-scale initiatives in the areas of culture, sports and civic engagement, as well as nature, landscape and environment. Partners from at least two different regions must participate.

Size of grants Max. EUR 2,500. The grant covers a maximum of 50% of the total budget of the project.

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URL https://euregio-mr.info/nl/foerderung/kleine-euregionale-projekte/ (Dutch/French/German)
3 Private foundations/organisations
### 3.1 Culture Fund Prince Bernhard

**Organisation**  
*Prins Bernhard Cultuurfonds*

#### 3.1.1 Scholarship for further studies abroad

| Type of mobility      | Scholarships/postgraduate training courses  
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#### Eligibility of beneficiaries

- **Nationality:** Dutch citizenship or permanent residence in The Netherlands for at least 3 years
- **Profession:** Holder of a bachelor degree from a HBO institution (or international equivalent) or holder of a master degree from a WO institution (or international equivalent).
- **Other:** Annual application period runs from 1st of February to 1st of April. Applicants may apply both before starting their further education as well as during their further education (but not retroactively).

**Destination**  
OM → Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
Meant either for further education abroad with a minimal duration of one year that leads to a second MA or MSc title (or similar title) or for further research abroad with a minimal duration of three months. Grants are awarded on the basis of grades, motivation letter, and references.

**Size of grants**  
Culture Grants amounts: EUR 1,500, EUR 2,500, EUR 5,000, EUR 7,500 and EUR 10,000, EUR 12,500, EUR 15,000 or, EUR 20,000, in very exceptional cases a higher amount is possible.

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**URL**  
https://www.cultuurfonds.nl/cultuurfondsbeurzen
3.1.2 Scholarship for summerschool or masterclass for musicians

**Type of mobility**  
Scholarships/postgraduate training courses  
Research grants

**Sector**  
All

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Nationality**  
Dutch citizenship or permanent residence in The Netherlands for at least 3 years

- **Profession**  
Musician that has recently graduated or is enrolled in a master programme.  
Grade point average of at least 8/10

- **Other**

**Destination**  
OM Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
Maximum duration of three months. Can be applied for all year round. Can be obtained only once.

**Size of grants**  
Max. EUR 2,500

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**URL**  
https://www.cultuurfonds.nl/Aanvragen-voor-personen
3.2 EFL Van Eesteren-Fluck & Van Lohuizen Foundation

3.2.1 Subsidies

Type of mobility
- Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses
- Project and production grants
- Research grants

Sector
- Visual Arts – Architecture
- Heritage

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
- Not specified

Nationality
- Dutch citizenship or permanent residence in the Netherlands

Profession
- Architects, urbanists, urban planners and landscape architects.

Destination
- Worldwide

Other priorities
- Projects have to be innovative and have a clear social basis. Eligible projects include internships, graduation projects and doctoral studies, research and publications.

Size of grants
- Covers up to EUR 10,000 per project.

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URL
- https://efl-stichting.nl/subsidie-voorwaarden/
3.3 VandenEnde Foundation

3.3.1 Study and Work Grants

**Type of mobility**  Scholarships/postgraduate training courses

**Sector**
- Performing arts – Theatre, dance
- Music
- Audio-visual and media – Film, TV

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

**Age**  Age limits: under 18 years of age (classical music), under 23 years of age (pop and jazz), under 25 years of age (vocal), 12 to 25 (Dance), 20 to 27 (Theatre) and 20 to 27 (Film)

**Nationality**  Dutch citizenship or residence in the Netherlands for at least 3 years

**Profession**  Students, individuals.

**Other**  For most disciplines an audition on a date and time set by the VandenEnde Foundation is mandatory.

Applications for grants can be submitted again in 2022 for summer courses in 2022 and the education year 2022-2023.

**Destination**  Worldwide

**Size of grants**  Short courses, workshop, masterclass:
- Music: maximum 75% of total cost and maximum EUR 5,000; applicant provides a contribution of at least 10% of the total cost.
- Dance: maximum 50% of total cost and maximum EUR 5,000; applicant provides a contribution of at least 10% of the total cost with a minimum of EUR 500.
- Theatre, film and TV: maximum 50% of total cost and maximum EUR 5,000; applicant provides a contribution of at least 25% of the total cost with a minimum of EUR 500.
- Full time education
  - Maximum 75% of total cost and maximum EUR 15,000, applicant provides a contribution of at least 10% of the total cost with a minimum of EUR 2,500

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**URL**  https://vdef.nl/home/
3.4 Mamacash

Organisation

3.4.1 Voices (art)

Type of mobility
Project and production grants

Sector
All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
European Union; Asia; the Pacific; Africa

Nationality
Based and working in Asia and the Pacific, Africa, Europe and the Commonwealth of Independent States, Latin America and the Caribbean, the Middle East, or across multiple regions in the Global South and East

Profession
Organisations

Other
Applicant organisations must be led by women or include women in leadership positions. Mama Cash mainly funds organisations and networks with annual operating budgets under EUR 200,000.

Destination
IM The Netherlands
OM European Union; Worldwide

Other priorities
Use of arts, media, and popular culture to transform attitudes and behaviours. Mama Cash offers step-up support to help ambitious organisations and networks grow their capacities and take or make strategic opportunities to create fundamental change. Mamacash have as its primary mission the promotion of women's and/or girls' rights.

Size of grants
Grants ranging in size from EUR 5,000 to EUR 50,000 per year
Mamacash does not fund stand-alone travel grants

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URL
https://www.mamacash.org/en/apply-for-a-grant-1
### 3.5 International Film Festival Rotterdam

#### 3.5.1 Hubert Bals Fund

**Type of mobility**
- Events participation grants
- Market development grants
- Project and production grants

**Sector**
- Audio-visual and media – film

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Nationality**
  - Countries on the DAC-list and some additional countries. See the website for details. The HBF also provides support to feature films by filmmakers from eligible countries, who are living in diaspora ((with dual citizenship or a residence permit)) in a non-eligible country.

- **Profession**
  - Film directors and producers

- **Destination**
  - IM Rotterdam (the Netherlands)

**Other priorities**
- The HBF offers several funding schemes: early on for script and project development, or later on for production. Filmmakers with a project in early development can apply for Script and Project Development Support in two sub-categories: Bright Future for first and second-time filmmakers, and Voices for filmmakers more advanced in their career. With the support of the Creative Europe-MEDIA programme of the European Union, minority co-production support is offered to European producers within the framework of HBF+Europe.

**Size of grants**
- Travel expenses and accommodation during the Festival among other costs

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**URL**
3.5.2 Rotterdam Lab

**Type of mobility**  
Event participation grants  
Market development grants

**Sector**  
Audio-visual and media – Film

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Age**: Young and emerging
- **Nationality**: All nationalities
- **Profession**: Film producers
- **Other**: Must have produced at least one or two short films, and not more than two feature films.

**Destination**  
Rotterdam (the Netherlands)

**Other priorities**  
In order to take part in Rotterdam Lab, it is necessary to be affiliated with one of CineMart’s partner organisations. This means that instead of having an open selection participants are nominated through these partners.

**Size of grants**  
Travel expenses and accommodation during the Festival among other costs, funded through local partners.

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**URL**  
https://iff.com/en/rotterdam-lab
### 3.6 International Documentary Film Festival Amsterdam

#### Organisation

3.6.1 Bertha Fund

#### Type of mobility

Project and production grant

#### Sector

Audio-visual and media – Documentary film

#### Eligibility of beneficiaries

- **Geographical criteria**: Countries on the DAC-list and some additional countries. See the website for details. The fund also provides support to documentaries by filmmakers from eligible countries, who are living in a diaspora in Europe.

- **Profession**: Documentary makers

- **Other**: Production must take place in one of the target regions: Africa, Latin America, Central America, the Caribbean, the Middle East, Central Asia, Southeast Asia and the Caucasus.

#### Destination

- **IM**: Amsterdam (the Netherlands)

#### Other priorities

The IDFA Bertha Fund enables documentary practitioners in developing countries to find their own unique voice. The Fund not only provides financial support to realise this endeavour, but plays a crucial advisory role as well.

#### Size of grants

- For project development: a maximum of EUR 5,000.
- For production & post-production: a maximum of EUR 17,500.
- For International co-production: a maximum of EUR 40,000.
- For Distribution of International Co-productions: a maximum of EUR 30,000.
- Co-production Scheme: a maximum of EUR 50,000.

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#### URL

https://www.idfa.nl/industry/idfa-bertha-fund.aspx
3.7 Lira Foundation
Organisation Stichting Lira

3.7.1 Lira Fund

Type of mobility
- Project or production grants
- Event participation grants

Sector
- Literature
- Performing arts – theatre
- Audio-visual and media – radio plays and to a lesser extend film
- Journalism

Eligibility of beneficiaries
Nationality
Dutch legal entities

Profession
Professional poets, writers, translators, playwrights and journalists

Other
Five application rounds per year.

Destination
Worldwide

Other priorities
The Lira Fund stimulates Dutch literary, drama and music drama works and productions based on Dutch works within these disciplines. The most important criterium is quality. The Lira fund prefers new and original works. Entities who receive structural funding from public institutions cannot apply. Individuals who are permanently employed to write can also not apply.

Size of grants
For applications within theatre the Lira Fund can grant a maximum of EUR 6,400 per year to individual playwrights. This amount is granted in total to original plays longer than 60 minutes, and can be split for multiple small projects.
For literary appearances in festivals the same rules apply. The Lira Fund contributes to a maximum of two thirds of the advised fee. Small festivals with a maximum budget of EUR 20,000 and a programme with a maximum of five authors are exempt from this rule.

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URL
https://www.lirafonds.nl
3.8 Eduard van Beinum Foundation

Organisation Eduard van Beinum Stichting

3.8.1 Composition assignment grant

Type of mobility Project or production grants

Sector Music

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality Dutch based organisations
Profession Professional musicians and companies (orchestras and ensembles)
Other Commissioned foreign composers must have a notable international reputation. The project is not eligible for a grant from the Performing Arts Fund NL.

Destination IM the Netherlands

Size of grants The fee of the composer, based on the difficulty and duration of the work to be composed.

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URL http://www.eduardvanbeinumstichting.nl
3.9 The Netherlands-America Foundation

Organisation

3.9.1 Cultural Programmes

Type of mobility
- Project or production grants
- Event participation grants
- Travel grants

Sector
- All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality
- Dutch or citizens of the U.S.A.

Destination
- IM the Netherlands
- OM U.S.A.

Other priorities
The NAF strives to enhance awareness and support of cultural exchange in both the United States and the Netherlands. The Foundation supports cultural events and projects in the two countries. Applications must be sent by letter at least six months in advance. Letters of interest at least nine months in advance.

Size of grants
The size of the grant is determined based on the plan and budget of each application.

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URL
http://thenaf.org/naf-programs/cultural-programs/
3.10 The Marinus Plantema Foundation

Organisation  
Marinus Plantema Stichting

3.10.1 Financial grants

Type of mobility
- Project or production grants
- Event participation grants
- Travel grants

Eligibility of beneficiaries

- Geographical criteria: Indonesia and the Netherlands
- Nationality: Dutch or Indonesian
- Destination: IM the Netherlands, OM Indonesia

Other priorities
The goal of the Foundation is to promote the bilateral relationship between Indonesia and the Netherlands through, amongst others, cultural projects. The projects should preferably have third party contribution(s). The amount and quality of third party contribution(s) will be regarded as an important indicator for the level of external support of the application.

Size of grants
In the range of EUR 3,000 to 15,000 per project.

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URL
http://www.marinusplantemafoundation.nl/Financial_grants.php
3.11 ANV Funds Foundation

Organisation Stichting ANV Fondsen

3.11.1 Financial grants

Type of mobility
- Project or production grants
- Event participation grants
- Travel grants

Sector All

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria Flanders and the Netherlands
Nationality Dutch or Belgian

Destination
- IM the Netherlands
- OM Belgium (Flanders)

Other priorities Projects should help the foundation to achieve its mission: supporting Dutch-Flemish collaboration.

Size of grants Depending on the project.

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URL https://www.anv.nl/fondsen-en-activiteiten/
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### 3.12.1 Financial grants

**Type of mobility**

Project or production grants

**Sector**

All

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### Eligibility of beneficiaries

**Geographical criteria**

Russia and the Netherlands

**Nationality**

Dutch or Russian

**Destination**

- IM: the Netherlands
- OM: Russia

**Other priorities**

Projects should benefit the foundation’s mission: strengthening the cultural collaboration between The Netherlands and Russia, with a special focus on Saint-Petersburg.

**Size of grants**

Depending on project.

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**URL**

[https://www.wejansenfonds.eu/organisatie](https://www.wejansenfonds.eu/organisatie)
### 3.13 Stokroos Foundation

#### Organisation

**Stichting Stokroos**

#### 3.13.1 Financial grants

- **Type of mobility**
  - Project or production grants
  - Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

- **Sector**
  - Visual arts – architecture, design (including fashion)

#### Eligibility of beneficiaries

- **Geographical criteria**
  - Applicant should be residing in the Netherlands.

- **Profession**
  - Artists, designers

- **Destination**
  - OM Worldwide

- **Other priorities**
  - Support to the individual development of artists and designers, such as financial support for making an art work/product, exhibitions or coaching.

- **Size of grants**
  - Projects: max. EUR 2,500.
  - Coaching: max. EUR 1,250.

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- **URL**
  - [https://www.stokroos.nl/en/home](https://www.stokroos.nl/en/home)
### 3.14 IONA Foundation
#### Organisation
IONS Stichting

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**Type of mobility**
- Project or production grants
- Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

**Sector**
- Music
- Visual Arts – architecture, design (including fashion)

#### Eligibility of beneficiaries

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**Other priorities**
- Committed to social renewal, inspired by anthroposophy. Supports cross-over projects, relating to for instance (but not limited to) active art observation, architecture, monumental arts, garden and landscape architecture, music, visual arts and spirituality.

**Size of grants**
- Not specified

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**URL**
- [https://www.iona.nl/en/applications/request-for-support/](https://www.iona.nl/en/applications/request-for-support/)
3.14.2 Personal development

Type of mobility  Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

Sector  
- Music
- Visual Arts – architecture, design (including fashion)

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria  Worldwide, but applicant must have some tie to the Netherlands and/or the foundation.

Profession  Artists, designers

Destination  OM Worldwide
             IM the Netherlands

Other priorities  Committed to social renewal, inspired by anthroposophy. Supports education or training that contributes to your personal development

Size of grants  Not specified.

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### 3.15 Prince Claus Fund

**Organisation**  *Prins Claus Fonds*

### 3.15.1 Prince Claus Seed Awards

**Type of mobility**  Project or production grants

**Sector**  All

### Eligibility of beneficiaries

**Geographical criteria**  Prince Claus Fund focuses on two or three countries at the time, exclusively in Latin America, Africa, Asia, the Caribbean and Eastern Europe (please check the website regularly).

**Profession**  Organisations, artists.

**Destination**  
- **OM**  Worldwide
- **IM**  Worldwide

**Other priorities**  The Prince Claus Awards support emerging artists who engage with pressing social and/or political issues within their own local context. Please note that this grant has been suspended due to covid-19.

**Size of grants**  Between EUR 5,000 and EUR 20,000

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**URL**  [https://princeclausfund.org/apply](https://princeclausfund.org/apply)
3.16 | Democracy & Media Foundation

Organisation: Stichting Democratie en Media

3.16.1 General and Thematic Calls for Proposal

Type of mobility: Project or production grants

Sector:
- Research
- Audio-visual and media
- Heritage

Eligibility of beneficiaries:
- Geographical criteria: Council of Europe member states
- Profession: Organisations and individuals
- Destination: OM – Council of Europe member states
- IM – Council of Europe member states

Other priorities:
Democracy & Media Foundation to counter all forms of totalitarianism in social and political life and to strive for a vigorous democracy and multifaceted, opinionating media. Their mission is divided into five pillars: (i) truth-seeking and, (ii) media innovation, (iii) fundamental rights and freedoms, (iv) vigorous democracy and (v) commemoration and remembrance. The foundation prioritizes projects and organisations with clear added value in the Netherlands, as well as countries where freedom of press and/or the democratic state based on the rule of law is under pressure. The foundation will open calls for applications approximately three times each year. Some calls will put emphasis on a specific focus area.

Size of grants: Max. EUR 50,000 with an average of EUR 15,000 per project (year).

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### 3.17 VSB fund

**Organisation**  
VSBfonds

#### 3.17.1 Grant for further education abroad

**Type of mobility**  
Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

**Sector**  
All

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Geographical criteria**  
  The Netherlands
- **Profession**  
  Recent graduate from Dutch higher educational institute
- **Other**  
  Annual open call with deadline on the 1st of March.

**Destination**  
Worldwide

**Other priorities**  
Study grant intended for recent graduates of a bachelor- or master programme in the Netherlands who wish to pursue further education abroad. Applicants are selected on the basis of motivation and civic engagement rather than grades. Only Dutch nationals can apply, though exceptions can be made if the applicant can prove proficiency of the Dutch language and rootedness in Dutch society.

**Size of grants**  
Max. EUR 7,000 for one-year-programmes and max. EUR 10,000 for two-year-programmes.

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**URL**  
https://www.vsbfonds.nl/studiebeurzen/beurs-aanvragen (Dutch)
4 Fellowships- and international visitor programmes
4.1 Het Nieuwe Instituut

Organisation

4.1.1 Fellowship programme

Type of mobility Research grant

Sector
- Visual Arts – architecture, design (including fashion)
- Research
- Audio-visual and media

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality All nationalities, but eligible to reside in the Netherlands.

Profession International practitioners and researchers in the fields of architecture, design, and digital culture.

Destination IM Rotterdam (the Netherlands)

Size of grants The fellowship includes a monthly stipend of EUR 2,000 and a return trip from the country of residence. Fellows are supported with mentorship, archival resources, working spaces, and a stipend, and their research can evolve into public events, exhibitions, films, or publications in collaboration with Het Nieuwe Instituut. Fellows are responsible for arranging their own accommodation.

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URL https://research-development.hetnieuweinstituut.nl/en/fellows
### 4.1.2 International visitors programme

**Type of mobility**  "Go and see" or short-term exploration grants

**Sector**
- Visual Arts – architecture, design (including fashion)
- Audio-visual and media
- Cultural administration

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

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<th>Visitors hail from all over the world, with a focus on the priority countries named in the government’s international cultural policy: Belgium (specifically Flanders), Brazil, China, Germany, Egypt, France, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Morocco, Russia, Surinam, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States, South Africa and South Korea.</th>
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Fellowships- and international visitor programmes
DutchCulture, Centre for International Cooperation

4.2 DutchCulture, Centre for International Cooperation
Organisation

4.2.1 International Visitors Programme

Type of mobility
“Go and see” or short-term exploration grants

Sector
- Cultural administration
- Heritage

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality
Applicants must come from the priority countries named in the government’s international cultural policy: Belgium/Flanders, China, Germany, France, Indonesia, Turkey, U.S.A., United Kingdom, Brazil, Italy, Japan, South Africa, South Korea and Suriname. Applicants working in heritage must come from Australia, India, Indonesia, South Africa, Russia, Sri Lanka, Suriname, U.S.A.

Profession
Professionals who are active in several cultural sectors or cultural umbrella organisations; heritage professionals

Destination
IM the Netherlands

Size of grants
The Dutch ministry of Foreign Affairs provides DutchCulture with a budget to cover some of the costs of visits (travel, accommodation). This is not always sufficient to cover all costs, so visitors are sometimes asked to commit to the visit by making a small financial contribution as well.

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URL
https://www.dutchculture.nl/en/visitors
### 4.3 Mondriaan Fund

**Organisation** *Mondriaan Fonds*

**4.3.1 Orientation Trips**

**Type of mobility** "Go and see" or short-term exploration grants

**Sector** Visual arts

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Nationality** All nationalities; integrated in the professional contemporary art practice of the Netherlands. Applicants who do not have the Dutch nationality have to include a recent certificate of residence.
- **Profession** Visual artists and mediators.
- **Other** Mondriaan Fund organises the trip and selects a new destination each year. Deadline for applying is usually in May.

**Destination** OM Worldwide

**Other priorities** Aimed at exchange and cooperation between art professionals.

**Size of grants** Not specified

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**URL** [https://www.mondriaanfonds.nl/en/orientation-trips/](https://www.mondriaanfonds.nl/en/orientation-trips/)
4.4 Rijksmuseum

4.4.1 Fellowships

Type of mobility: Research grant

Sector: Heritage, Research

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality: All nationalities

Profession: Depending on the fellowships: art historians, curators, conservators, historians, scientists, and other museum professionals.

Other: The candidate should be a recent graduate (at the Master’s level or further, depending on the fellowship), or a doctoral and post-doctoral candidate. In some cases, the candidate has to have a university-affiliated supervisor.

Destination: Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Duration: Nine months (Johan Huizinga Fellowship for historical research)

One year (Terra Foundation Fellowship for research into American Photography).

One year renewable once (Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship for art historical research and Migelien Gerritzen Fellowship for conservation research)

Only PhD candidates from the University of Pennsylvania: one year renewable once (Dr. Anton C.R. Dreesmann Fellowship)

Other priorities: The Rijksmuseum operates a research Fellowship Programme for outstanding candidates working on the art and history of the Low Countries whose principal concern is object-based research.

Size of grants: Johan Huizinga Fellowship for historical research: stipend of EUR 29,250 for MA graduate/PhD Fellows or EUR 33,750 for post-doc Fellows (subject to taxes and deductions).

Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship for art historical research: stipend of EUR 39,000 for PhD Fellows or EUR 45,000 for post-doc Fellow (subject to taxes and deductions). The Fellowship will allow for limited travel for research in art collections and archives elsewhere in Europe to a maximum value of EUR 5,000 annually.

Migelien Gerritzen Fellowship for conservation research: stipend of EUR 39,000 for Ma graduate/PhD Fellows or EUR 45,000 for post-doc Fellows (subject to taxes and deductions). The Fellowship will allow for limited travel for research in art collections and archives elsewhere in Europe to a maximum value of EUR 5,000 annually.

Dr. Anton C.R. Dreesmann Fellowship: stipend of EUR 39,000 (subject to taxes and deductions).

Terra Foundation Fellowship in Photography: stipend of EUR 39,000 for PhD Fellows or EUR 45,000 for post-doc Fellows (subject to taxes and deductions).

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URL: https://www.rijksmuseum.nl/en/fellowships
4.5 Dancing on the Edge

Organisation

4.5.1 Academy Scholarships

Type of mobility
Event participation grants
Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses

Sector
Performing arts – Dance

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
Middle East and North Africa

Profession
Dancers

Destination
Amsterdam (the Netherlands)

Other priorities
Scholarships are provided for talented dancers in order to participate in the Amsterdam Summer Intensive programme, organised by the Henny Jurriens Foundation.

During a three week long programme, dancers can take technique classes and participate in workshops given by teachers representing the most important companies and styles in today’s contemporary dance world.

Dancers can also attend performances for the cutting-edge Julidans Festival which takes place at the same time.

Size of grants
The scholarships cover travel and housing expenses, programme fees, and some performance tickets.

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URL
http://dancingontheedge.nl/academy/scholarships/
4.6 Dutch Music Export

4.6.1 Visitors Programme

**Type of mobility** "Go and see" or short-term exploration grants

**Sector** Music

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

- **Geographical criteria**: All
- **Profession / organisation type**: Musicians

**Destination** The Netherlands

**Other priorities** Support for artists invited to the Netherlands with the aim to exchange knowledge and contacts. The visit should benefit the Dutch music industry.

**Size of grants** Depending on visit.

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**URL** [https://www.dutchmusicexport.nl/en/regulations/visitor-arrangement-for-events-international-professionals](https://www.dutchmusicexport.nl/en/regulations/visitor-arrangement-for-events-international-professionals)
5 Residencies
5.1 1646

Organisation

5.1.1 Artists in residence

Type of mobility  Offering (inter)national artists and curators the possibility to stay and work/research

Sector  
- Visual arts
- Curating

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality  All nationalities
Profession  Artists and curators

Destination  Den Haag (the Netherlands)

Duration  Maximum two months to be planned for September – December 2021

Other priorities  There is no exhibition connected to the residency, though, a public event to be determined together will conclude the residency period.

Size of grants  Participants receive EUR 1,500 incl. VAT. as artist/curator fee together with a production budget of EUR 1,000. Travel costs of the participants are not covered.

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URL  https://1646.nl/residency
5.2 Dutch Foundation for Literature

Organisation: Nederlands Letterenfonds

5.2.1 Residency for writers in Amsterdam

Type of mobility: Artists/writers in residence

Sector: Literature

Eligibility of beneficiaries:

- Geographical criteria: European and international authors
- Profession: Writers: novelists, poets, children book writers and essayists (of relevance to the current political debate in the Netherlands and beyond)
- Other: Only authors whose work has been translated into Dutch can apply.

Destination: Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Duration: 6 weeks

Other priorities: Based on expression of interest from the writer, his/her publisher or a foreign cultural institute, an invitation to formally apply for the residency will be granted. Guest writers use their time for their own work and research, but they are also involved in the city’s literary and cultural life. All candidates may be asked to give public performances, guest lectures or readings for students and to write articles for newspapers or magazines.

Size of grants: Accommodation, stipend.

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URL: http://www.letterenfonds.nl/en/residency-for-writers-in-amsterdam
5.3 De Ateliers

Organisation

5.3.1 Residency

Type of mobility
Artists/writers in residence

Sector
Visual arts

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Age
Young and emerging artists

Nationality
All nationalities

Profession
Visual artists

Other
Applicants under 28 years of age are preferred. However, there is no strict age limit; older artists are also welcome to apply. De Ateliers are open for application between December 1st and February 1st. There is a non-refundable application fee of EUR 50.

Destination
Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Duration
Two years

Other priorities
The residency focuses on the artistic development of young, talented artists from within the Netherlands and abroad. Throughout the working year, teaching artists and art critics make individual studio visits.

Size of grants
The residency provides a stipend of EUR 13,800 to cover basic living costs. Note that the resident is requested to pay a tuition fee of EUR 3,200, deducted from the first term of the stipend. There is also a yearly production grant of EUR 2,000 available.

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URL
https://www.de-ateliers.nl/en/application/
### Hotel Maria Kapel

#### 5.4 Residency

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<td>Hotel Maria Kapel</td>
<td>Artist in residence</td>
<td>Visual arts, curating</td>
<td>Nationality: All nationalities</td>
<td>Full and free use of all accommodation, living, and working facilities together with assisting to finding funds covering travel/living/production budget</td>
<td>Varies between 4-8 weeks, another all-year-long programme available</td>
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**Last viewed:** 12-07-2021

**URL:** [http://hotelmariakapel.nl/residency/](http://hotelmariakapel.nl/residency/)
5.5 Impakt – EMARE

Organisation

5.5.1 Impakt Works

Type of mobility  Artists/writers in residence

Sector  Audio-visual and media

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality  EU Nationality
Profession  Media artists, artists working with digital media, video, sound, interactive technologies etc.

Destination  Utrecht (The Netherlands)

Duration  Two months

Other priorities  The Impakt Works are project based residencies with a finished work, for instance an (interactive) installation, a performance or a video, as the end result. An open call for applications is launched once year.

Size of grants  A grant of EUR 3,000, project budget of EUR 4,000, free accommodation, travel expenses up to EUR 500, free access to the technical facilities and media labs within the host institution, consulting by production and market experts and a professional presentation as well as the option to participate in exhibition tours.

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URL  http://impakt.nl/
http://emare.eu/
5.6 Rijksakademie van Beeldende Kunsten

5.6.1 Residency

Type of mobility: Artists/writers in residence

Sector:
- Visual arts
- Audio-visual and media
- Performing arts

Eligibility of beneficiaries:

- Age: Young and emerging artists
- Nationality: All nationalities
- Profession: Artists
- Other: Open to upcoming artists with a few years of professional experience after their education. Most candidates have a MA degree and are between 25 and 35 years old. Artists who have participated in other post academic institutions in the Netherlands (Jan van Eyck or De Ateliers), cannot be considered for a Rijksakademie residency.

Destination: AM Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Duration: One year, renewable once.

Other priorities: The aim of the residency is to provide space for research, experiment and production. The residency culminates in an exhibition.

Size of grants: A studio, stipend (in 2021: EUR 15,000) and working budget (in 2021: EUR 1,500) form part of the facilities. By collaborating with housing agencies accommodation can be found in Amsterdam.

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URL: https://www.rijksakademie.nl/en/residency-apply-workshops
### 5.7 Thami Mnyele Foundation

**Organisation**  
*Thami Mnyele Stichting*

**5.7.1 Short and Full Residency Programmes**

**Type of mobility**  
Artists/writers in residence

**Sector**  
- Visual arts
- Audio-visual and media

**Eligibility of beneficiaries**

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<th>Geographical criteria</th>
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<td>Visual artists</td>
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<td><strong>Destination</strong></td>
<td>Amsterdam (The Netherlands)</td>
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**Other priorities**  
Grants from the Short Residency Programme are awarded to artists from Africa who have been invited to participate in cultural projects in the Netherlands and are in need of accommodation in Amsterdam for a short period.

**Size of grants**  
Full Residency Programme (3 months) involves a monthly allowance which covers the costs for living and materials (EUR 850), a reimbursement of return travel to Amsterdam, medical and legal liability insurance for the period of stay and assistance in applying for visa.  
Short Residency Programme offers rent-free studio and housing for a set period of time.

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**URL**  
[www.thami-mnyele.nl/residency.php](http://www.thami-mnyele.nl/residency.php)
5.8 V2_

Organisation

5.8.1 Full Residencies

Type of mobility Artists/writers in residence

Sector □ Audio-visual and media

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality All nationalities

Profession Professional media artists.

Other Full residencies are curated by V2_. There is no call, though V2_ is open to artists who approach them with feasible plans within their areas of interest and expertise.

Destination □ IM Rotterdam (the Netherlands)

Duration Not specified.

Size of grants Travel, accommodation, materials, fee.

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URL https://v2.nl/lab/fellowships
### 5.8.2 Summer Sessions

**Type of mobility**  
Artists/writers in residence

**Sector**  
Audio-visual and media

#### Eligibility of beneficiaries

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<th>Age</th>
<th>Young artists (under 35 years of age and/or have graduated no more than 5 years before the time of applying)</th>
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<td>Nationality</td>
<td>Artists living in one of the countries in which a sponsor institute is located. The sponsor institutes vary each year. Currently they are located in: Austria, Russia, Spain, Italy, China, South Korea, Croatia, Belgium, the Netherlands</td>
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<td>Professional media artists.</td>
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<td>Duration</td>
<td>Six to eight weeks</td>
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**Other priorities**  
The Summer Sessions offer production support and expert feedback to jumpstart your professional art practice.

**Size of grants**  
Travel, accommodation, materials, fee.

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**URL**  
http://www.summersessions.net/
5.9 Van Eyck

Organisation

5.9.1 Residency

Type of mobility Artists/writers in residence

Sector
- Visual arts
- Literature
- Research

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality All nationalities
Profession Artists, designers, photographers, (landscape) architects, writers, critics and curators
Other Applications are open between 1st of July and 1st of October. Residency starts either in spring or autumn (decided by the academy). There is a EUR 70 non-refundable application fee.

Destination

Maastricht (The Netherlands)

Duration 12 months

Other priorities Besides working in the studio, residents are expected to take an active part in the Van Eyck programme, to participate in one or more In-Labs and engage in projects initiated by Van Eyck Mirror. Artists who previously have been in resident at another post academic institute (Rijksakademie, De Ateliers) in the Netherlands, cannot apply for a work period at the Van Eyck. Participants are expected to settle in Maastricht or direct surroundings (in a radius of 10 km) during their stay at the Van Eyck.

Size of grants Participants receive a monthly stipend of EUR 1,000 and a working budget of EUR 2,000 annually, as well as access to well-equipped Labs (wood and metal, print, photo, video and new media, and a library), run by experts in their discipline. Note that the resident is requested to provide an individual contribution of EUR 2,750 at an annual basis (pro rata amount applies).

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URL https://www.janvaneyck.nl/residency
5.10 Van Gogh House

Organisation

5.10.1 Van Gogh artist-in-residence

Type of mobility
Artist in residence

Sector
Visual arts

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality
All nationalities

Profession
Artists

Destination
Zundert (the Netherlands)

Duration
One or two months

Other priorities

Size of grants
Artists receive a fee of EUR 1,000 per month. A contribution worth max 50% / EUR 1,500 for publications. Artists are asked to donate two works; one for the museum collection of the Vincent van Gogh House, one to auction of in benefit of the artist-in-residency programme.

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URL
https://www.vangoghuis.com/artist-in-residence/
5.11 Translators’ House Amsterdam

Organisation Vertalershuis

5.11.1 Translators House

Type of mobility Artists/writers in residence

Sector Literature

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Nationality All nationalities

Profession Translators from any language into Dutch

Destination Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Other priorities The Translators’ House is an ideal base for translators wishing to do research for a translation project, to consult their author(s) or to meet publishers. Applications may be sent in by translators who have a contract with a publisher to translate a work of Dutch-language literature, including poetry, children’s literature, or quality non-fiction. The minimum stay is for a period of two weeks, the maximum two months.

Size of grants Translators receive a travel and working grant of EUR 1,000 per month.

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URL http://www.vertalershuis.nl/about/
5.12 deBuren

Organisation

5.12.1 Writers residency Paris

Type of mobility
Artists/writers in residence

Sector
 Literature

Eligibility of beneficiaries

Geographical criteria
Netherlands and Flanders

Profession
Writers: novelists, poets, (research) journalists, radio makers, graphic novelists, theatre writers and other word artists.

Other
Specially for young writers aged between 18 and 30.

Destination
OM Paris

Duration
2 weeks (in July)

Other priorities
18 participants are selected annually, who will visit the residency simultaneously, meeting and learning from renowned authors and figures from the literary and audio-visual field. Participants are expected to work on two works, one linked to an assignment, the other at liberty. Before, during and after the residency writers receive professional assistance from an editor. Applications must be submitted annually around the end of February.

Size of grants
Travel, accommodation, and food / drinks at the residency are covered.

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URL
https://www.deburen.eu/project/10/schrijfresidentie-parijs (Dutch)
6 Rent-free residencies
Rent-free residencies

Hotel MariaKapel, Hoorn
http://hotelmariakapel.nl/wp/residency/

Van Goghuis, Zundert

Spoffin Lab, Amersfoort
https://www.spoffin.nl/artiesten/lab/

ARE, Enschede
http://www.areholland.com/

Extrapool, Nijmegen
http://www.extrapool.nl/?page_id=1052

1646, The Hague
http://1646.nl/residency

Charlois aan het Water, Rotterdam
https://www.transartists.org/air/charlois-aan-het-water-foundation

Cultureland, Amsterdam
https://cultureland.nl/

Open Ateliers ZO, Amsterdam Zuidoost
http://www.air-oazo.nl/home

Product Design Arnhem – ArtEZ
http://www.productdesignarnhem.com/#residency
Other types of financial structures
Other types of financial structures

Voordekunst
Crowdfunding platform for cultural and creative projects.
https://www.voordekunst.nl

Fonds Cultuur+Financiering
Provides loans with low interest rates to individuals and organisations in the cultural and creative sectors.
http://www.fondscultuurfinanciering.nl/

Fonds Kwadraat
Interest free loans to visual artists, photographers and designers. The loans are meant for the development, production and presentation of new work.
www.fondskwadraat.nl
Additional information resources
Additional information resources

DutchCulture – Mobility Info Point NL
DutchCulture is the network and knowledge organisation for international cultural cooperation. Information on governmental rules and regulations and the Dutch cultural sector, including funding bodies.
http://dutchculture.nl/en/mobility-info-point

TransArtists | AiR Platform NL
The platform for artist residencies in the Netherlands and Flanders.
http://www.transartists.org/airplatformnl

Creative Europe Desk NL
The information portal in the Netherlands on the European Union’s support programme for cultural, creative and audiovisual sectors.
https://www.creativeeuropedesk.nl/en

Het Nieuwe Instituut
Institute for architecture, design, digital culture hosting an information point for the creative industries.
http://hetnieuweinstituut.nl

EYE Film Institute
The Dutch institute for film and audio-visual work.
https://www.eyefilm.nl/

Dutch Performing Arts
Programme of Performing Arts Fund NL that promotes Dutch music, theatre and dance on the international stage.
http://www.dutchperformingarts.nl/en/

Boekman Foundation
The Dutch research institute on cultural policy, analysis, etc.
http://www.boekman.nl/en