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Launch of new Malaysia Mobility Funding Guide

The Asia-Europe Foundation's arts & culture website culture360.ASEF.org is pleased to announce the launch event of the latest Mobility Funding Guide for Malaysia on 14 March 2019 in Kuala Lumpur, in partnership with the Cultural Economy Development Agency (CENDANA), along the 8th World Summit on Arts and Culture .

The Malaysia Mobility Funding Guide maps out funding opportunities for artists and cultural professionals in the country. It is part of the long-term series of country-specific guides for 51 countries of the Asia-Europe Meeting (ASEM) that lists international, national and local funding resources, both public and private in most artistic and cultural disciplines.

Cultural mobility remains a crucial issue for artists in Asia and Europe. The international approach of the Mobility Funding Guides has been central in positioning the discussion on funding for cultural mobility in a global perspective, in order to better respond to local needs and interests from the cultural sector. It also serves as a tool for funders and policy makers to identify areas that lack funding in Asia and in the rest of the world. In this regard, the Mobility Funding Guides have been recognised by UNESCO in its 2018 Global Report: Re| Shaping Cultural Policies as a "comprehensive and updated list [...] for the cultural mobility of artists and cultural practitioners in Asia and Europe". Further, by providing free digital access to these series of country-focused guides on culture360.ASEF.org, ASEF contributes to the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG16.

ASEF would like to thank its long-term partners who have contributed to the Asian editions of these Guides since 2012: On the Move(OTM), Arts Network Asia (ANA), Korea Arts Management Service (KAMS), Japan Center, Pacific Basin Arts Communication (PARC), and Tokyo Performing Arts Market (TPAM).

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www.culture360.asef.org/news-events/launch-of-malaysia-mobility-funding-guide-2019-kuala-lumpur/
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