

CULTURE MOVES EUROPE

Culture Moves Europe provides mobility grants for artists and cultural professionals in all 40 Creative Europe countries.

It is funded by the European Union and implemented by the Goethe-Institut.

The scheme consists of two action lines: Individual Mobility and Residency.

Specific measures are taken to encourage green mobility and ensure access for everyone active in the cultural and creative field.

Creative Europe Push Boundaries



Individual Mobility

This call supports artists and cultural professionals who want to carry out a project with a partner of their choice, in a Creative Europe country which is not their country of residence.

The project should pursue up to two goals:

- » **to explore:** to conduct creative and artistic research, to investigate, inspire and work on a specific theme or a new concept.
- » **to create:** to engage in a creative process seeking to produce a new piece of artistic/cultural work;
- » **to learn:** to enhance the participants' competences and skills through non-formal learning or collaboration with a specialist.
- » **to connect:** to develop a professional network, to strengthen the participants' professional development, to engage with new audiences.

The Call for Individual Mobility is open to people who are:

- **at least 18 years old**
- **legal residents of a Creative Europe country:** this includes the 27 EU countries and their Outermost Regions and Overseas Countries and Territories; Albania, Armenia, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Georgia, Iceland, Kosovo, Liechtenstein, Montenegro, North-Macedonia, Norway, Serbia, Tunisia and Ukraine.
- **artists or cultural professionals active in one of the sectors covered by Culture Moves Europe:** architecture, cultural heritage, design and fashion design, literature, music, performing arts, and visual arts.

When submitting their project, applicants must have already an **international partner**. This can be, for example, a fellow artist, an organisation or a venue in the destination country. Participants are free to decide.

It is possible to apply either as an **individual person** or a **group** of up to five people.

The mobility can last:

- from **7 to 60 days** (for individuals)
- from **7 to 21 days** (for groups)



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1st call: from 10 October 2022 to 31 May 2023

2nd call: from 2 October 2023 to 31 May 2024

3rd call: from Autumn 2024 to Winter 2024

Applications are reviewed after the last day of each month – and the selected **grantees are notified approx. 6-8 weeks** after the monthly deadline.

Selection Criteria

- What is the applicant(s) goal and why is the mobility relevant?
- Is the project adequately planned (with the international partner, duration, etc.)?
- What will be the long-term positive impacts of the project?
- Are sustainability aspects taken into account (eg. means of transportation, materials used, etc.)?

Financial Support

All grantees receive the **daily allowance** and **travel allowance**.
Upon request and adequate proof, **individual top-ups** can be granted.

Within two weeks following the end of the project and after returning to their country of legal residence, participants must fill in an **activity report**. This document comes in the form of an online questionnaire, and grantees should upload proofs that confirm that the mobility took place (eg. receipts, pictures).

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| DAILY ALLOWANCE | Contribution to accommodation, food, renting equipment, local transports, etc. Per person / per day: €75 |
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| TRAVEL ALLOWANCE | Travel distance less than 5.000 km Per person / per round-trip: €350 | Travel distance from 5.000 km Per person / per round-trip: €700 |
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Note: For distances below 600 km, travelling by airplane is generally not allowed (only in exceptional and well justified cases).

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| INDIVIDUAL TOP-UPS | Visa Top-Up For expenses related to visa processes. Per person : €80 | OCTs and ORs Top-Up For travelling to or from Overseas Countries and Territories or Outermost Regions. Per person : €150 | Disability Support For people whose disabilities affect their ability to carry out the mobility project. Budget to be agreed with the Culture Moves Europe team according to individual needs. Up to 100% of travel & daily allowance |
| | Family Top-Up For participants with legal custody of children below the age of 10. The amount is fixed, regardless of the number of children. Per person : €100 | Green Mobility Top-Up For choosing not to travel by airplane (outward and return). Only applicable for distances above 600km. Per person : €350 | |



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