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for International Cultural Exchange in Europe

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## Guide to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals MALTA

This guide is a partially updated document from the **Guide to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals in Europe**<sup>1</sup> produced by the Foundation Interarts, *On the Move* and PRACTICS and published online in September 2011.

This present **guide** specifically focused on **Malta** includes:

- **Mobility funding opportunities open to Maltese nationals and residents in most artistic and cultural disciplines > Outgoing mobility (OM);**
- **Mobility funding opportunities open to nationals from other countries than Malta in most artistic and cultural disciplines > Incoming mobility (IM)**

The guide lists national, local 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. For a full overview of the methodology and scope of the research, please refer to the introduction of the **Guide to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals in Europe**<sup>2</sup>.

Overall, the main objectives of such mobility funding guides are to make available online, in a transparent way, the existing information on funding for the international mobility of artists and cultural operators and to give input to funders on how to fill in the existing gaps in funding for international cultural exchange in order to ensure a sustainable support to cultural mobility in Europe and in the world.

**This guide, updated by On the Move thanks to the support of the Asia-Europe Foundation, is an attempt to gather all the resources in one document, and is by no means complete. You can send your comments, suggestions and corrections to: [mobility@on-the-move.org](mailto:mobility@on-the-move.org)**

For regular and one-off calls for projects, collaborations and other opportunities to fund international cultural exchange, we invite you to subscribe **for free** to the monthly newsletter of [on-the-move.org](http://on-the-move.org).

For regional or other international sources of funding, we may suggest you to consult:

- The **Guide to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals in Europe**<sup>3</sup> and the sections related to European Union, Council of Europe, Regional funds, Relations with third countries (pages 384-399).
- The guide “**Open to any nationality**” under the Mobility Funding Guides - Funding opportunities for international cultural exchange in Asia, commissioned by the Asia-Europe Foundation (ASEF) through its portal [culture360.org](http://culture360.org)<sup>4</sup>.

### **Web-links last checked on 12 August 2014**

The mentions of Public (Pub.), Private (Pri.) and Public/Private (PP.) have been added to highlight the sources of funding.

<sup>1</sup> <http://on-the-move.org/funding/europe>

<sup>2</sup> See above web-link.

<sup>3</sup> See above web-link (pages 383-389)

<sup>4</sup> <http://culture360.asef.org/asef-news/mobility/>

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**I. Public foundations / agencies**

**1. Funding organisation** Malta Council for Culture and the Arts - Ministry for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport (MEDC)

**1.1. Malta Arts Fund**

<b>Type of mobility</b>	Artists/writers in residence Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses "Go and see" or short-term exploration grants Support for the participation of professionals in transnational networks Project and production grants Research grants (Pub)
<b>Sector</b>	Performing arts – theatre, dance Visual arts Music Literature All
<b>Eligibility of beneficiaries</b>	Geographical criteria: European Union Nationality: Maltese citizenship or permanent residence in Malta Profession: Artists and arts organisations
<b>Other priorities</b>	Strengthen the quality and the diversity of Malta's cultural life with an international dimension.
<b>Size of grants</b>	Funding amounts: EUR 100 to EUR 5,000 for small projects and EUR 5,000 to EUR 20,000 for large projects. Offers co-funding up to 80%.
<b>Last viewed</b>	12/08/2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.maltaculture.com/content.aspx?id=185246">http://www.maltaculture.com/content.aspx?id=185246</a>

## 1.2. Malta Arts Scholarships

<b>Type of mobility</b>	Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Research grants (Pub)
<b>Sector</b>	Performing arts – dance Visual arts – applied arts Audiovisual and media – film Music Literature Cross-disciplinary arts Research All
<b>Eligibility of beneficiaries</b>	
Geographical criteria	Malta; European Union
Nationality	Maltese citizenship or permanent residence in Malta
Profession	Students
<b>Destination</b>	Incoming: Malta Outgoing: European Union
<b>Other priorities</b>	Shall lead to a qualification and may (though not necessarily) lead to a first degree, a joint degree or a postgraduate qualification
<b>Size of grants</b>	Under-graduate courses: tuition fees and maintenance grant of EUR 4,000 per year up to a max. amount EUR 30,000 for whole duration of studies Post-graduate: tuition fees and maintenance grant of EUR 5,000 per year up to a max. amount EUR 40,000 EUR for whole duration of studies
<b>Last viewed</b>	12/08/2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.maltaculture.com/content.aspx?id=222298">http://www.maltaculture.com/content.aspx?id=222298</a>

## 2. Funding organisation Malta Film Commission

### 2.1. Application for films to be granted a provisional co-production status under the European Convention on Cinematographic Co-production

<b>Type of mobility</b>	Research grants (Pub.)
<b>Sector</b>	Audiovisual and media – film
<b>Eligibility of beneficiaries</b>	
Geographical criteria	European Union
Nationality	Maltese/ EU citizenship or permanent residence in Malta/ EU
Profession	Fimmakers and producers
Other	Joint Maltese and overseas co-producers
<b>Size of grants</b>	Not specified
<b>Last viewed</b>	12/08/2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mfc.com.mt/page.asp?p=14255&amp;l=1">http://www.mfc.com.mt/page.asp?p=14255&amp;l=1</a>

**3. Funding organisation**     **Malta Film Fund**

**3.1. Malta Film Fund**

<b>Type of mobility</b>	Project and production grants (Pub)
<b>Sector</b>	Audiovisual and media – film
<b>Eligibility of beneficiaries</b>	
Geographical criteria	European Union
Nationality	Maltese citizenship or permanent residence in Malta
Profession	Directors, producers and writers
<b>Other priorities</b>	Development and production of Maltese short films, feature films or documentaries
<b>Size of grants</b>	The maximum Development Grant for each project will increase from €20,000 to a maximum of €30,000.
<b>Last viewed</b>	12/08/2014
<b>URL</b>	<a href="http://www.mfc.com.mt/page.asp?p=21541&amp;l=1">http://www.mfc.com.mt/page.asp?p=21541&amp;l=1</a>



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