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This section is part of the joint ARS BALTICA-On the Move initiative to create the first **Baltic Sea Region (BSR) Cultural Mobility Funding Guide**. The section builds up on previous research carried out for the **Guide to funding opportunities for the international mobility of artists and culture professionals in Europe¹** produced by the Foundation Interarts, *On the Move* and PRACTICS and first published online in September 2011.

This present **section** on Cultural Mobility in **Estonia** includes:

- ▶ Mobility funding opportunities open to **Estonian nationals and residents** in most artistic and cultural disciplines > **Outgoing mobility (OM)**;
- ▶ Mobility funding opportunities open **to nationals from other countries than Estonia** 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 Europe²**.

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 ARS BALTICA in collaboration with On the Move, 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: mail@arsbaltica.net / mobility@on-the-move.org

Web-links last checked in May 2017

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

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**.

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

- ▶ **FUND FINDER**, A Guide to funding opportunities for arts and culture in Europe, beyond Creative Europe, commissioned by IETM to On the Move (including regional funds such as Nordic Culture Fund and the Nordic Contact Point).
https://www.ietm.org/sites/default/files/150630_fund-finder_v2.pdf
- ▶ 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.org³**.

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

2 See above web-link.

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

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I. PUBLIC FOUNDATIONS/AGENCIES

1. Funding organisation Cultural Endowment of Estonia - Eesti Kultuurkapital

1.1. Literature Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Support for the participation of professionals in transnational networks Project and production grants Scholarships for further / postgraduate training courses Travel grants Research grants (Pub.)
Sector	Literature
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Writers, translators and publishers, organisations and associations
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	04/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/literature/introduction

1.2. Visual and Applied Art Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses “Go and see” or short-term exploration grants Project and production grants Travel grants (Pub.) Research grants
Sector	Visual arts Audiovisual and media
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Artists, curators, organisations, associations, etc
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/visual-and-applied-arts/introduction

1.3. Architecture Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Project and production grants Travel grants Research grants (Pub.)
Sector	Heritage
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Architects, organisations, associations, etc.
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/architecture/introduction

1.4. Music Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Project and production grants Travel grants (Pub.)
Sector	Music
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Composers, musicians, organisations, associations, etc.
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/music/introduction

1.5. Dramatic Art Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Project and production grants Travel grants (Pub.)
Sector	Performing arts
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Artists, actors, dancers, choreographers, organisations, etc.
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/dramatic-arts/introduction

1.6. Folk Culture Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Project and production grants Research grants (Pub.) Travel grants (valid for different purposes)
Sector	Performing arts Visual arts Audiovisual and media Music Research
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Artists, organisations, groups, associations, etc.
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/folk-culture/introduction

1.7. Audio-Visual Art Endowment

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Project and production grants Travel grants (Pub.)
Sector	Audiovisual and media
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Individuals, organisations, associations, etc.
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times several times a year via E-Kulka, the online tool of the Estonian Cultural Endowment: http://taotlus.kulka.ee/
Contact for support	Via E-mail: kulka@kulka.ee or via telephone: + 372 6999 150
Last viewed	11/05/2017
URL	http://www.kulka.ee/endowments/audio-visual-arts/introduction

2. Funding organisation Estonian National Culture Foundation - Eesti Rahvuskultuuri Fond

2.1. Support

Type of mobility	Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Project and production grants Research grants (Pub.)
Sector	All
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	Not specified
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Individuals, non-profit organisations and associations
Size of grants	Support allocated on detailed budget description
Application procedure	Depending on the type of funding several times a year via application form (in Estonian): http://media.voog.com/0000/0039/0573/files/ANKEET_2017.pdf
Contact for support	Via E-mail: post@erkf.ee or via telephone: + 372 601 3428
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.erkf.ee/allfondid (in Estonian) Overview in English: http://www.erkf.ee/en

3. Funding organisation Estonian Film Institut - Eesti Filmi Instituut

3.1. Grants

Type of mobility	Event participation grants Scholarships/postgraduate training courses Project and production grants (Pub.) Research grants Travel grants (valid for different purposes)
Sector	Audiovisual and media - film, TV
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	European Union, International
Nationality	Estonian citizenship or permanent residence in Estonia
Profession	Individuals, organisations, companies, filmmakers, producers, etc.
Other	Applicant must be a legal entity registered in Estonia by the moment of the payment of support at the latest.
Destination	Outgoing: European Union, International
Size of grants	Depends on the specific category of support
Application procedure	Depending on specific category of support in the online environment of the Estonian Film Institute here: https://taotlemine.filmi.ee/login
Contact for support	Via E-mail: film@filmi.ee or via telephone: +372 627 60 60
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	http://www.filmi.ee/en/funding/categories-of-support/script-support

4. Funding organisation Nordic Culture Point

4.1. Mobility Funding

Type of mobility	Travel grants (valid for different purposes)
Sector	All
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	Applicable for Nordic and Baltic countries
Nationality	Residents of Nordic and Baltic countries. Nationality thereof not required.
Profession	Artists, curators, producers, literary translators, cultural editors and researchers
Other	The overall objective of the programme is to enhance cultural and artistic collaboration in the Nordic and Baltic countries by supporting traveling, networking and residential activities.
Destination	Applicable for Nordic and Baltic countries.
Size of grants	Mobility Funding covers expenses for travel and stays of up to 10 days.
Application procedure	Preview of application form available online: https://www.nordiskkulturkontakt.org/sites/default/files/mob_application_en_1.pdf
Contact for support	Via E-mail: program@nordiskkulturkontakt.org and phone: +358 10 583 1029
Last viewed	31/05/2017
URL	https://www.nordiskkulturkontakt.org/en/grants/mobility-funding

II. PRIVATE FOUNDATIONS/ORGANISATIONS

5. Funding organisation MoKS – MTÜ Mooste KülalisStuudio

5.1. Artist in Residence

Type of mobility	Artists/writers residencies
Sector	All
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	Nordic-Baltic Countries, European Union and International
Nationality	Any of the above
Profession	Individuals, organisations and associations
Size of grants	Depending on programme.
Application procedure	Application via online form: https://moks.ee/applications/new
Contact for support	Via E-mail: moks@moks.ee via telephone: +372 5 138 599 / +372 5138 457
Last viewed	10/05/2017
URL	https://moks.ee/pages/residency

6. Funding organisation Tartu Printing Museum – TAIR

6.1. Artist in Residence

Type of mobility	Artists/writers residencies
Sector	All
Eligibility of beneficiaries	
Geographical criteria	Not specified
Nationality	Not specified
Profession	Individuals
Size of grants	Depending on programme. Short-Term and Long-Term programmes available.
Application procedure	Application via online form accessible via: http://residency.tartuensis.com/?page_id=1161
Contact for support	Via E-mail: residency@tartuensis.com
Last viewed	11/05/2017
URL	http://residency.tartuensis.com



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