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Seed Awards

PRINCE CLAUS SEED AWARDS

Each year the Prince Claus Fund gives 100 Seed Awards to artists and cultural practitioners who are in the first five years of their careers.

With Seed Awards, we recognize emerging artists and provide initial support to the career development, creativity, and experimentation of cultural practitioners whose artistic work engages with pressing social and/or political issues within their own local context.



Submission details

Welcome to the Prince Claus Awards Platform. Here you can submit your applications/nominations/reporting for the Prince Claus Awards.

Please select under 'Category' what would you like to submit.

Your Name

To what extent are you familiar with Prince Claus Fund activities? *Tick all that apply.*

- ☐ This is the first time I am hearing about the Prince Claus Fund
- ☐ I have applied to the Fund's open calls in the past
- ☐ I have received funds from the Prince Claus Fund in the past
- ☐ I have participated in the events organised by Prince Claus Fund before
- ☐ I follow Prince Claus Fund on social media
- ☐ I have subscribed to the Prince Claus Fund's newsletter

We are interested to hear about how you found out about the Prince Claus Fund.

- ☐ Network: friends, colleagues, peers
- ☐ Through another cultural institution
- ☐ Social Media
- ☐ Website
- ☐ Newsletter
- ☐ Other(s)

Before starting your application please verify if you are eligible to apply for the Prince Claus Seed Awards by checking the boxes below and confirming that the statements are true.

Please note that if one of the statements below does not accurately describe you, you are most likely not eligible to apply for the Prince Claus Seed Awards.

Make sure to read thoroughly the Prince Claus Seed Awards eligibility criteria on our website and our FAQ for Frequently Asked Questions. Still in doubt? Send us your questions via e-mail at awards@princeclausfund.nl

The Prince Claus Fund will only accept applications in which all of the below statements are true.

- ☐ I am applying as an individual creative
- Collectives, groups and organisations are not eligible to apply for the Prince Claus Seed Awards

- ☐ I am a national of a country listed in the [Prince Claus Fund eligible country list](https://princeclausfund.org/eligible-countries-list)
- Individuals who are not nationals of countries listed in the [eligible country list](<https://princeclausfund.org/eligible-countries-list>) are not eligible to apply for the Prince Claus Seed Awards

- ☐ I currently live and work in a country listed in the [Prince Claus Fund eligible country list](https://princeclausfund.org/eligible-countries-list)
- Individuals living and working in countries that are not listed in the [eligible country list](<https://princeclausfund.org/eligible-countries-list>) are not eligible to apply for the Prince Claus Seed Awards

Personal Details

Preferred Name / Artist Name / Public Name

Please fill in the name with which you would like to be addressed. This will be the name used in all public communication, should you receive an Award.

First Name(s)

Please fill in your legal First Name

Surname(s)

Please fill in your legal Surname

Date of Birth

Which of the following most accurately describes you?

- ☐ Female
- ☐ Male
- ☐ Non-binary
- ☐ I prefer not to say
- ☐ Let me type...

What are your pronouns?

- ☐ She/her
- ☐ He/him
- ☐ They/them
- ☐ Let me type...

Nationality

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

Angola

Antigua and Barbuda

Argentina

Armenia

Azerbaijan

Bangladesh

Belarus

...

Please note: If you are not a national of any of these countries, you are not eligible to apply.

Second Nationality (optional)

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

American Samoa

Andorra

Angola

Anguilla

Antarctica

Antigua and Barbuda

Argentina

...

Country of Residence

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

Angola

Antigua and Barbuda

Argentina

Armenia

Azerbaijan

Bangladesh

Belarus

...

Please note: If you are not living and working in any of these countries, you are not eligible to apply.

E-mail

Telephone

Website/Social Media (optional)

Postal Address

We would like to send materials via post for those selected.

Please make sure to provide us with a valid and correct postal address.

Street

Number

Postal Code

City

Country

Afghanistan

Åland Islands

Albania

Algeria

American Samoa

Andorra

Angola

Anguilla

Antarctica

Antigua and Barbuda

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☐ I understand that if I live between different countries, or if my country of residency changes in the period of this open call I must inform the Prince Claus Fund.

Is your postal address the same as your residential address?

☐ Yes

☐ No

About Your Work

What discipline(s) do you work in?

Please tick a max. of 3 disciplines that apply.

- ☐ Artistic Research
- ☐ Criticism
- ☐ Dance
- ☐ Design
- ☐ Fashion
- ☐ Film
- ☐ Literature
- ☐ Media/Journalism
- ☐ Music
- ☐ Performance
- ☐ ...

Tell us about your artistic/cultural practice.

150 words

We are interested in understanding which of these social/political themes, if any, you address through your work. (optional)

Please tick any that apply.

- ☐ Environment/Cimate emergency
- ☐ Racial justice
- ☐ Indigenous rights
- ☐ Gender equality
- ☐ Free expression/civil society
- ☐ Sexual/queer expression
- ☐ Reexamining history
- ☐ Others

Please elaborate on how the social/political themes you address through your work are relevant to your context. 200 words

How would you invest the Prince Claus Seed Awards, and how would this investment support you in taking the next step in your career? 400 words

Who is a role model who has inspired your artistic practice? (optional) 50 words

Pitch

Please submit a pitch (max. 3 minutes) that answers the question what drives you as an artist and/or cultural practitioner?



A pitch is a presentation where you introduce yourself and your work, and answer the question, 'What drives you as an artist/author/cultural practitioner?' Be creative - this is our chance to get to know you a little better. We ask you to present your pitch in the format of a video or audio media that is maximum 3 minutes long (kindly note that after 3 minutes we will stop the pitch in the interest of being fair to all applicants). If for any reason (such as accessibility or lack of resources) you are not able to provide a pitch in audio or video form, please get in touch with us at awards@princeclausfund.nl

☐ I agree that the information in this application may be shared with the external advisors making the Seed Award selection.

Selected Seed Awardees are featured on our website. This section of the application refers to your individual profile might you be awarded a Prince Claus Seed Awards.

Taking the profiles on our website as examples, please submit the following:

- A short biography (max. 120 words);
- A high-resolution profile picture;
- A selection of 4-6 high-resolution images of your work (zip folder);
- A video you would like to share on your profile (optional).

Short Bio

Write up a short biography.

120 words

You can [refer to our website](<https://princeclausfund.org/people-we-support?q=&themes=&disciplines=&awards=84740&country=&year=>) for examples on how to make a short and succinct bio.

Portrait Picture

Please upload a portrait picture of yourself.



If you are awarded a Prince Claus Seed Award this image will be used on our website/media when we announce all selected applicants

Images Selection

Please upload a selection of 4-6 high-resolution images of your work (zip folder).



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Would you also like to feature a video on your profile? Insert the URL below. (optional)

☐ I agree that this information may be shared publicly on the Prince Claus Fund website/media if I am awarded a Prince Claus Seed Award.

Reference Letter

Name of your referee

Position or job title of your referee

Please submit one reference letter from a person or organisation that knows your work and/or has worked with you in the past.



The reference letter should be signed and include the contact details of the referee.

CV

Please upload your CV (in PDF format).



Supporting Materials

Please submit any additional supporting materials related to your work that you wish to share with us. Please submit a maximum of 6 files/links.

These could include, but are not limited to:

- Samples of work (images, videos, texts, etc.);

- Reviews;

- Interviews.