





Stop. Look Back. Look Ahead. Proceed. A Virtual Asia-Europe Residency on Arts & Climate Change

Frequently asked questions (FAQs)

Applicant Profile

Who is eligible to apply?	Artists that are: • Nationals of ASEM Asian countries (please refer to the list below under the section "ASIA") or • Nationals of any ASEM countries (please refer to the list below under both "ASIA" and "EUROPE" sections), currently residing in Spain.	
ASEM Asian countries listed	Yes, you are eligible to apply even if you do not live or are not based in an ASEM Asian country. The important pre-requisite would be that you are a citizen of an ASEM Asian Partner country (passport holder) listed below.	
I am a citizen of one of the European ASEM countries listed below but I am currently not living in Spain. Am I eligible to apply?	No, European nationals are only eligible to apply if they are currently residing in Spain.	





List of ASEM Partner countries

ASIA			
Australia	Indonesia	Mongolia	Singapore
Bangladesh	Japan	Myanmar	Thailand
Brunei Darussalam	Kazakhstan	New Zealand	Viet Nam
Cambodia	Korea	Pakistan	
China	Lao PDR	Philippines	
India	Malaysia	Russian Federation	
EUROPE			
Austria	Finland	Lithuania	Slovakia
Belgium	France	Luxembourg	Slovenia
Bulgaria	Germany	Malta	Spain
Croatia	Greece	Netherlands	Sweden
Cyprus	Hungary	Norway	Switzerland
Czech Republic	Ireland	Poland	United Kingdom
Denmark	Italy	Portugal	
Estonia	Latvia	Romania	

Is there a range of age to apply?	Yes, applicants must be between 21 and 30 years old at the time of application.	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	We welcome applications from artists with a background in the following disciplines: music, new media, film, comics, visual arts and photography. Multidisciplinary practitioners are also welcomed to apply.	
	Yes, if you do not have a partner yet, you can apply as an individual. Please note that for individual applicants, the pairing will be done by the organisers.	
Can I submit the application with someone else?	Yes, we welcome applications from pairs. Preference will be given to pairs comprising nationals from the two regions: one artist from Asia and one from Europe.	









Activities and outputs

Can I apply with an ongoing project that I am already working on?	No, we are not able to support activities retrospectively or future activities that do not fall within the stipulated collaboration period of the e-residency. The collaboration project should be carried out during the stipulated collaboration period.	
What types of outputs am I expected to produce as a result of the residency?	Type of output: The collaborative project (between the two artists) could take the form of a photo documentary, podcast, video, comic illustration, amongst others. Format of output: All outputs must be submitted in digital format (video, image, file) and will be published on the organizer's websites.	
Is there an official presentation of the final projects?	Yes, the final projects will be officially presented during an online webinar open to the public that will be held in October 2022. Participant will be asked to participate and talk about their experience and the collaboration during the e-residency.	
Can I participate to the residency from anywhere?	Yes, the e-residency will be carried out exclusively online. You will only need to have access to internet connection to participate to the online meetings, respond to emails and be able to send in the required materials.	
If we finish our collaborations earlier than the date indicated in the programme timeline, can we submit the requirements early?	No, participants must participate to the entire e-residency as described in the schedule below.	
At what time will the residency online meetings take place?	The online meetings will take place in the mornings for the CET time zone and in the afternoons for the Asian time zone.	







•	No, participants must participate to the entire e-residency as described in the schedule below.
I attend to?	The residency will be conducted online for 8 weeks. In addition to one weekly call between the mentor and each pair, there will be 4 additional calls involving all the participants, the mentor and the organisers. The participants are invited to schedule the calls between them (the pair) on a regular basis. Please refer to the complete schedule below.
Is there any other activity required aside from the online meetings?	 Yes, participants are expected to: Take part in a short video interview (this can be simply a video recording on your phone) before the start of the residency. The interviews will be published on culture360 and shared on Casa Asia's channels. Work online with a partner artist and the mentor during the entire 8 weeks. The schedule and tools of collaboration will be agreed together with the mentor. Submit weekly video diary updates about the process. The videos will be published on culture360 Instagram channel and shared on Casa Asia's channels.

Schedule

SELECTION PROCESS	
1 June - 15 July 2022	Open call for applications
27 July 2022	Selection announcement
27 to 30 July 2022	Online briefing with mentor and selected participants
E-RESIDENCY PERIOD	
1 August – 25 September	8 weeks residency period
Week of 1 August	1st call with organisers and mentor
	Weekly call with mentor









Week of August 8th	Weekly call with mentor
Week of August 15th	Weekly call with mentor
Week of August 22nd	2nd call with organizers and mentor
	Weekly call with mentor
Week of August 29th	Weekly call with mentor
Week of September 5th	Weekly call with mentor
Week of September 12th	3rd call with organizers and mentor
	Weekly call with mentor
Week of September 19th	Weekly call with mentor
POST-RESIDENCY ACTIVITIES	
Week of September 26th	4th call with organisers and mentor
26th September - 10 October	Preparation of final projects
11th October	Publishing of the final projects
18th October 4pm-6pm	Public webinar and presentation of results

Fee

	Yes, every participant will receive a fee of SGD 750 for their participation. The fee will be transferred at the end of the residency period.
What about production costs of my artwork/instruments/materi als which I will require for my project?	Productions costs are not covered. The participation fee is fixed at SGD 750.









Assessment Process

How is an application assessed?	 Applications will be assessed based on: Quality and content of the applicants' purpose, objectives and desired outputs of their collaboration Relevance of the proposed project in relation to the theme Applications from any ethnicity, caste, creed, gender or sexual orientation are welcome. ASEF does not discriminate on the basis of age, disability or marital status.
What happens after submitting my application?	After receiving your application, ASEF, Casa Asia and the mentor will review your application form and attachments thoroughly. Successful applicants will be notified via email with an official letter of offer.
When will I know the result about my application?	Selected applicants can expect to hear about their application by July 27 2022. Due to the large number of applications we will receive, only successful candidates will be notified.

Others

I am having issues with loading the application form. What browsers are supported?	Our application form is hosted on Formstack and we recommend completing the application form on a Desktop setting rather than filling it in via your mobile phones. We recommend using the following browsers to ensure the application form loads smoothly: Firefox Google Chrome Safari
I have been trying to upload files to the form, however the files which I have uploaded keep getting wiped.	The application form saves the details which you've input on its own automatically. However, files uploaded to the form will not be saved until the form has been submitted. As such, we would suggest uploading the files (e.g. CVs, photos, videos, etc.) only when you are ready to submit your application form.









Why can I no longer retrieve the application form which I have filled in previously?	As you have utilised the 'Save and Resume' function on the form, the function allows you to save a partially completed form and complete it within 30 days. After which, the links to your previous form and any data which you've input will be lost. Do ensure that the forms are completed within the 30 days limit.
What is the maximum capacity for file uploads on the application form?	Currently, file uploads are limited to 25MB per form. Do ensure that the documents which you have attached do not exceed the 25 MB limit. Alternatively, you may include specific links to your website, LinkedIn, YouTube, Google Drive or Dropbox for large files.

Questions?

Drop us an email at culture@asef.org

