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Visegrad Artist Residency Program—Visual&Sound Arts facilitates mobility and exchange of citizens of the Visegrad Group (V4) countries in the fields of visual and sound arts. The artist-in-residence projects must be implemented in a V4 country other than that of the applicant's residence. Supported period of each residency is 3 months.

To apply for residency, each applicant has to find a host organization, which will accept his/her residency project, and fill out the [on-line application form](#).

Each printout of application form must include the following enclosures:

- **Copy of the applicant's ID** (e.g. passport)
- Documentation of the applicant's previous work—**portfolio** (uploadable in the on-line application form)
- Original **letter of acceptance** from the host organization (copies, faxes or scans cannot be accepted); the letter must be on a letterhead paper and must include the following information:
 - **name** of the artist
 - **title** of the project
 - planned **dates** of the project
 - date and **signature** of the statutory representative

Copies of identification documents of the host organization; such documents:

- must include the name of the statutory representative
- must include the registered seat of the organization
- must include ID number of the organization (e.g. tax ID number)
- cannot be older than 3 months

All compulsory enclosures (except for the registration documents and/or a copy of ID) must be in English. All documents must be delivered to the Fund along with the application form in a single package; documents sent separately cannot be accepted.

Printed out and signed application form and other required materials need to be postmarked with the deadline date (or delivered personally to the Fund on the deadline date between 8.30-16.30). Documents

sent after this date cannot be accepted.

Every applicant for the residency will be evaluated by a selection committee consisting of four independent experts covering different fields of art. The artists will be selected on the basis of proportionality among the Visegrad Group countries.

Selected artists will receive a residency fee (scholarship) of **€750 per month** and the corresponding host organization will receive **€750 per month** to cover expenses related to the residency (each residency project receives **€4,500** in total).

Applications for 2015 residencies can be submitted by **11:59:59 a.m. on September 10, 2015**. The results will be announced by the end of November 2015.

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