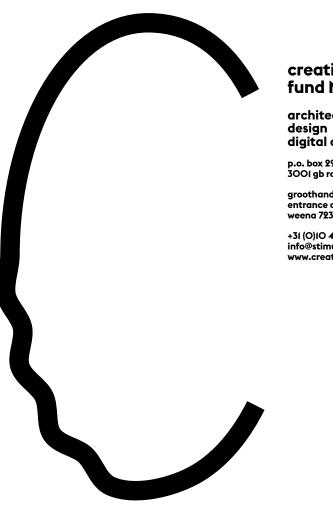
# **Grant Programme for Multi-year Activities Programmes Creative Industries**

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+31 (0)10 436 16 00 info@stimuleringsfonds.nl www.creativeindustriesfund.nl The Creative Industries Fund NL is the state cultural fund for architecture, design and digital culture. The Fund wishes to make a significant contribution to the quality of the professional design practice within and especially between the disciplines of architecture, design and digital culture. Part of this aim involves the interdisciplinary interaction between the cultural, societal and economic domains. The Fund supports unusual and innovative projects, research and the activities of designers, makers and cultural institutions in the Netherlands and abroad.

Decree by the Executive Board of the Creative Industries Fund NL, having regard to Article (O, Clause 4 of the Law on Specific Cultural Policy, to establish a grant programme to regulate the provision of grants for multi-year activities programmes that promote the quality of the creative industry.

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# Article 1. Objective of the Grant Programme Multi-year Activities Programmes Creative Industries

- 1 This programme applies to multi-year activities programmes which contribute to the promotion of excellent quality, development and professionalization of contemporary Dutch architecture, design and digital culture and which encourage interest in these disciplines.
- 2 This grant programme is a supplement to the Subsidy Regulations Creative Industries Fund NL 2018. The provisions in those Regulations apply to the awarding of subsidy based on this grant programme, provided this grant programme does not deviate from the Regulations.

## Article 2. Conditions for support possibilities

Subsidy will only be awarded if the following conditions have been sufficiently met:

- a the programme is cohesive and excellent;
- b the cultural institution that carries out the programme is exemplary in the field of architecture, design or digital culture in the Netherlands and possibly abroad;
- **c** the programme has national or international significance.

#### **Article 3. Scope**

- 1 The Board can award grants through the implementation of this grant programme for multi-year programmes, where realization takes place in the period 2019-2020. A programme consists of several projects which can differ from each other in terms of set-up and implementation. The programme has clear objectives and sufficient intrinsic coherence. The various projects are distributed over the subsidy period.
- **2** The implementation of the programme contributes to one or more of the following objectives:
  - encouraging experiments and crossovers;
  - **b** stimulating research, analysis and reflection;
  - c encouraging talent development and artistic quality;
  - d advancing social commitment and public activities;
  - e reinforcing the international position of the design sectors;
  - **f** promoting the professionalization of the design practice and exemplary commissioning.

## Article 4. Conditions with regard to the recent past

On the basis of this grant programme, subsidy can only be awarded if the applicant, during at least the last three calendar years, has:

- **a** been active as a cultural institution and carried out a coherent and excellent programme in that period in the field of architecture, design or digital culture;
- **b** received less than 80% of fundable activity costs as subsidy from the Minister for Education, Culture and Science or one of the state cultural funds; and
- c complied with conditions or obligations, including in any case correct and timely completion of the subsidised activities, timely reporting of relevant changes in the implementation and correct and timely accounting for the activities relating to the subsidy awarded by the Minister for Education, Culture and Science or one of the state cultural funds.

# Article 5. Conditions with regard to finances, relationship with other subsidies and good governance.

- 1 On the basis of this grant programme, subsidy can only be awarded:
  - **a** if the subsidy per applicant does not exceed € 1,000,000 per 24 months;
  - **b** if the total amount of subsidy awarded by the Creative Industries Fund NL does not exceed 80% of the costs of the fundable activities;
  - **c** if the applicant does not receive subsidy from the Minister for Education, Culture and Science or on the basis of a programme for multi-year activities from one of the other state cultural funds; and
  - **d** provided the applicant complies with the Governance Code Culture with regard to good governance in the domains of management, adequate supervision and transparent accountability.
- 2 Organizations that receive subsidy on the basis of this grant programme are not eligible for subsidy under other Creative Industries Fund NL grant programmes during the implementation of the programme, with the exception of contributions that fall under the Fund's "Programmahuis".

### Article 6. Formal criteria

Subsidy can only be awarded for the realization of multi-year programmes if there are sufficient guarantees in the area of the substantive realization and the financial and organizational situation. This means that at any rate there must be:

- a developed, substantive programming for the period applied for;
- **b** sufficient financial support from at least one external financier for the entire period applied for;
- **c** sufficient continuity and stability in the organization in the period applied for, so that the substantive realization is at any rate guaranteed;
- **d** sufficient certainty for the period applied for about the location of the organization and the realization of the activities.

## Article 7. Evaluation of the application

- 1 The evaluation of the content of the application pays particular attention to the criteria in Articles 2, 3 and 6 of this grant programme.
- 2 In the event that the total of the applications eligible for subsidy exceeds the budget available within a subsidy round, the following criteria for awarding grants will be applied, subject to Articles 9 and 10 of the Subsidy Regulations Creative Industries Fund NL 2018:

- a the applications with a positive evaluation will be prioritized on 'excellence'; and
- **b** the applications evaluated equally in this case will then be prioritized on 'impact'.

#### **Article 8. Commencement date**

This programme comes into force on 1 January 2018.

### Article 9. Official title

These regulations will be referred to as: Grant Programme for Multi-year Activities Programmes Creative Industries.

This Programme will be published in the Staatscourant (official Dutch government publication).

The Creative Industries Fund NL,

S. Groeneveld (executive director)