

Culture+ Fund

1.1 Overview

1.1.1 Philosophy

The Fund believes that appreciation of culture and acts of cultural exchanges broaden and enrich resources (whether financial or non financial assets) that are available for the growth and development (whether economic, social or political) of any community or society.

1.1.2 Vision

As such, the Fund envisions a Singapore which communal and societal fabric and identity are strengthened through cultural exchange and the fostering of deeper understanding among communities within Singapore and also between Singapore and communities around the world.

1.1.3 Mission

The mission of this new Fund (henceforth referred to as the 'fund' or "fund") is:

to facilitate the development, presentation and promotion of cultural works or cultural initiatives which play a role in generating new values for the future social and economic development of Singapore and the communities which Singapore engages with (see below Pt 1.2 for specific programmes the fund facilitates).

1.2 Types of Programmes which the Culture + Fund supports:

The fund supports the following:

1.2.1 Works, initiatives or projects that present Singapore in a refreshing, original and appealing manner to new and emerging markets for Singapore. Programmes under this category ultimately play a role in widening economic opportunities of Singapore.

- 1.2.2 Works, initiatives or projects that bring into Singapore new and fresh insights into trends and opportunities from around the world. Programmes under this category ultimately play a role in enriching the societal fabric of Singapore through culture and provides opportunities for Singapore to engage in dialogue with communities around the world.
 - 1.2.3 Works, initiatives or projects that aggregate the latest trends and developments from Asia's creative communities into Singapore or within Singapore platform. Programmes under this category play a role in developing Singapore as a creative hub for the region.
 - 1.2.4 Works, initiatives or projects that have educational goals and objectives. Programmes under this category allow young talents from Singapore from underprivileged backgrounds to travel out from Singapore for cross-cultural exchange and educational programmes.
 - 1.2.5 Works, initiatives or projects initiated by expatriate communities within Singapore that aims towards creating a deeper understanding and engendering collaboration between themselves and Singaporeans. Programmes under this category ultimately aims towards the integration of cultures within Singapore.
2. Management of the Fund
 - 2.1 GCA will serve as secretariat to the fund. Its duties include that of arranging for trustees meetings, fund raising and administration of the fund.
 - 2.2 For GCA's secretariat duties, a fee may be charged by GCA to the fund, details of which is to be agreed upon at a later date.
 - 2.3 GCA will keep the board updates on the fund at board meetings and as and when projects arises
 - 2.4 GCA will form a board of trustees for the fund.