

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

If you are a visual artist living and working in Malaysia, we invite you to apply for ILHAM Gallery's first open call exhibition.

The ILHAM Art Show is a triennial exhibition platform for established and emerging artists alike, to experiment and make new work. Those selected to participate in the ILHAM Art Show will be awarded an art production grant to be put towards the making of their new work. The ILHAM Art Show will serve as a platform to support and promote contemporary art in Malaysia and stimulate lively public discussion and critical debate.

The inaugural ILHAM Art Show will be held from February – July 2022.

To be considered for selection, artists must comply with all entry instructions and conditions.

## WHO CAN APPLY?

1. ILHAM Art Show is open to all professional artists based in Malaysia (Malaysian and non-Malaysian) over 21 years of age.
2. Open to individual artists, and art collectives.

## APPLICATION PROCESS

Please apply online here: [ilhamartshow.paperform.co](http://ilhamartshow.paperform.co)

1. Applications can be submitted in Bahasa Malaysia or English.
2. Applicants can submit only one proposal each.
3. Application requirement:
  - a. Artist bio (not more than 500 words).
  - b. Artist statement for proposed artwork (not more than 500 words).
  - c. Proposed Artwork – up to 5 images, schematics, renderings, etc of your proposed artwork (JPEG format with a maximum file size of 1MB). If your artwork involves moving image or sound you may include a URL link where we can access the video or audio file.

- d. Provide an estimated production cost for the making of the proposed artwork. Please note that each selected artist will receive a production grant between RM2,000 to RM8,000, dependent on the artwork proposal & upon agreement with ILHAM.
- e. Under 'Recent Works' artists can submit up to 5 examples of their practice in a PDF. These need to be clearly labelled with title, material, and dimensions within the single PDF document. If your recent works involves video, you may include a URL link where we can access it.

### PROPOSED ARTWORK

1. The artwork must be a new original work produced by the artist or art collective.
2. The artwork can be in any medium including painting, drawing, sculpture, mixed media, photography, installation, and new media.
3. Due to practical limitations, size of the artwork (or if made up of more than one panel, each component) should not exceed 0.9 meter (width) × 2.3 meter (height) and should not be more than in 2.7 meter (depth).
4. If selected for the exhibition, each artist will receive a production grant (between RM2,000 – RM8,000) from ILHAM, to be put towards the making of their proposed artwork.

### APPLICATION DEADLINE

ILHAM Art Show is open for entries at **11:00 AM on 20 May 2021** with the final deadline for submission being **11:59 PM on 23 July 2021**.

### SELECTION PROCESS

1. The ILHAM Art Show aims to showcase original work which reflects the diversity and vibrancy of the Malaysian art scene. The selection panel will have access to all the applications.
2. Applications will be reviewed by the selection panel who will consider work that they feel is important, relevant and timely.
3. Due to the expected volume of applications, ILHAM Gallery curators will make an initial preselection to which the selection panel has access to, alongside all eligible applications.
4. Selected artists will be officially notified by email by **1 September 2021**.

5. The selection panel are Rahel Joseph, Director, ILHAM Gallery, Shabbir Hussain Mustafa, Senior Curator, National Gallery Singapore, and Zoe Butt, Artistic Director, The Factory Contemporary Arts Centre, Vietnam.
6. **The selection panel's decision is final and no correspondence shall be entered into.**

### ILHAM ART SHOW 2022

1. The selected artists will be invited to make their proposed artwork which will be featured in the ILHAM Art Show from **February to July 2022**. The work must be the original work of the artist and must not have been exhibited in any previous exhibition.
2. ILHAM Gallery curators will arrange a studio visit (or zoom call, depending on location) with each selected artist to discuss the artwork for the show. The gallery will give each artist a production grant between RM2,000 – RM8,000 (the amount of which is dependent on the proposed artwork as agreed to by ILHAM) which they can put towards the making of the work. The artists will be supported by the ILHAM Gallery curatorial team during this process.
3. ILHAM will arrange pick up and transportation of artworks in January 2022, according to the dates and times set by the Gallery.
4. While decisions relating to the exhibition layout and hang will be made by the ILHAM exhibition team, the team will work with the artists regarding the presentation of their work.
5. The artist agrees not to withdraw the artwork before the close of the exhibition.

### COPYRIGHT/PROMOTIONAL USE OF WORKS

1. Selected artists consent to images of their work being reproduced by ILHAM and the media for the purpose of critical view, advertising and publicity, promotional materials and publication.
2. Selected artists have sole responsibility for ensuring that the work does not infringe another creator's copyright. Entries found to infringe the cultural property or moral rights of another individual or a group of artists will be disqualified.

## KEY DATES

20 May 2021	Applications open for ILHAM Art Show 2022
23 July 2021	Application deadline
August 2021	Selection panel meets to select artists for ILHAM Art Show
September 2021	Selected artists will be officially informed by ILHAM
October – December 2021	Selected artists receive a production grant to be put towards the making of the artwork
January 2022	Pick up of finished artworks. Installation of ILHAM Art Show
February 2022	ILHAM Art Show opens

## CONTACT US

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## JEMPUTAN PENYERTAAN

Jika anda seorang artis yang tinggal dan bekerja di Malaysia, kami ingin menjemput anda memohon untuk menyertai pameran terbuka yang pertama Galeri ILHAM.

Pameran Seni ILHAM ini adalah sebuah pameran tiga tahun sekali untuk para artis mapan dan baru muncul menghasilkan karya baharu. Mereka yang dipilih akan diberi bantuan kewangan bagi penghasilan karya. Pameran Seni ILHAM bertujuan membantu dan menggalak kegiatan seni kontemporari di Malaysia sambil merangsang perbincangan dan wacana awam yang kritis.

Pameran pertama akan diadakan di Galeri ILHAM pada Februari hingga Julai 2022.

Untuk layak dipertimbangkan para artis perlu mematuhi syarat-syarat permohonan seperti berikut:

## SIAPA LAYAK MEMOHON?

1. Pameran Seni ILHAM terbuka kepada artis yang tinggal di Malaysia (warganegara dan bukan warganegara) berumur 21 tahun ke atas.
2. Artis individu atau kumpulan usaha sama.

## PERMOHONAN

Sila memohon secara dalam talian di sini: [ilhamartshow.paperform.co](http://ilhamartshow.paperform.co)

1. Permohonan dalam Bahasa Malaysia atau Inggeris.
2. Setiap permohonan perlu mengandungi satu cadangan sahaja.
3. Syarat permohonan:
  - a. Biodata artis (tidak melebihi 500 patah perkataan).
  - b. Kenyataan artis berkaitan karya cadangan (tidak melebihi 500 patah perkataan).
  - c. Karya cadangan – maksimum 5 imej, skema, lukisan, atau sebagainya (format JPEG saiz maksimum 1MB). Jika karya anda melibatkan imej bergerak atau bunyian, sila sertakan pautan URL untuk akses kepada fail video dan bunyi.

- d. Anggaran kos karya cadangan. Setiap artis akan menerima pembiayaan pengkaryaan bernilai antara RM2,000 hingga RM8,000, tertakluk kepada cadangan karya dan rundingan dengan pihak ILHAM.
- e. Karya Terkini - Artis boleh menghantar sehingga 5 contoh karya di dalam fail PDF. Ia perlu dilabel jelas dengan tajuk, bahan dan saiz dalam satu dokumen PDF. Jika karya terkini anda melibatkan video, sila sertakan pautan URL untuk akses kami.

### CADANGAN KARYA

1. Karya harus original dan dihasilkan sendiri oleh artis atau kumpulan seni usaha sama.
2. Karya boleh dihasilkan dalam apa sahaja bahantara termasuk catan, lakaran, arca, bahan campuran, fotografi, instalasi dan media baru.
3. Oleh kerana ruang galeri terhad, saiz karya (atau jika lebih daripada satu bahagian, setiap bahagian) tidak boleh melebihi 0.9 meter (lebar) × 2.3 meter (tinggi) dan 2.7 meter (dalam).
4. Jika dipilih untuk pameran, setiap artis akan menerima pembiayaan pengkaryaan (RM2,000 – RM8,000) daripada Galeri ILHAM.

### TARIKH PENYERAHAN

Penyertaan ILHAM Art Show dibuka pada jam **11:00 pagi, 20 Mei 2021** dengan tarikh tutupnya pada jam **11:59 malam, 23 Julai 2021**.

### PROSES PEMILIHAN

1. Pameran Seni ILHAM bertujuan menjadi wadah persembahan karya original yang mencerminkan semangat seni rupa Malaysia dalam kepelbagaiannya.
2. Permohonan akan dikaji oleh panel pemilihan untuk mempertimbangkan karya yang mereka anggap penting, berkaitan dan kena pada masa.
3. Berdasarkan jangkaan minat dan jumlah permohonan yang besar, para kurator Galeri ILHAM akan membuat penyaringan permohonan yang juga boleh dilihat oleh panel pemilih.
4. Artis yang terpilih akan dimaklum secara rasmi menerusi emel pada **1 September 2021**.

5. Ahli panel pemilihan ialah Rahel Joseph, Pengarah Galeri ILHAM, Shabbir Hussain Mustafa, Kurator Kanan, Galeri Nasional Singapura dan Zoe Butt, Pengarah Artistik The Factory Contemporary Arts Centre, Vietnam.
6. **Keputusan Panel Pemilih adalah muktamad dan rayuan surat-menyurat tidak akan dilayan.**

### PAMERAN SENI ILHAM 2022

1. Artis yang terpilih akan dijemput untuk menghasilkan karya cadangan mereka yang akan dipamerkan dalam Pameran Seni ILHAM dari **Februari hingga Julai 2022**. Karya penyertaan haruslah asli dan tidak pernah dipamerkan di mana-mana pameran sebelum ini.
2. Para kurator Galeri ILHAM akan melawat studio (atau membuat panggilan Zoom, bergantung lokasi) setiap artis terpilih untuk membincangkan karya. Setiap artis akan menerima pembiayaan pengkaryaan bernilai RM2,000 – RM8,000 (jumlah tertakluk kepada jenis karya cadangan dan kelulusan pihak Galeri ILHAM). Artis akan mendapat sokongan pihak kuratorial Galeri ILHAM sepanjang proses ini.
3. Galeri ILHAM akan menguruskan hal pengambilan dan pengangkutan karya pada bulan Januari 2022, mengikut tarikh dan masa yang akan ditetapkan oleh Galeri.
4. Keputusan mengenai susun letak dan penggantungan karya akan dibuat oleh pihak pameran Galeri ILHAM sambil bekerjasama dengan artis dalam hal pemaparan karya.
5. Artis bersetuju untuk tidak menarik keluar karya sebelum pameran berakhir.

### HAKCIPTA/PENGGUNAAN KARYA UNTUK PROMOSI

1. Artis terpilih bersetuju membenarkan Galeri ILHAM dan pihak media mengguna imej karya untuk tujuan perbincangan kritis, laporan berita, iklan dan publisiti, promosi dan penerbitan.
2. Artis bertanggung jawab untuk memastikan karyanya tidak melanggar hakcipta mana-mana pihak. Penyertaan yang didapati melanggar hak milik budaya dan hak moral individu atau kumpulan artis akan dilucutkan kelayakan.

## TARIKH PENTING

20 Mei 2021	Permohonan penyertaan Pameran Seni ILHAM 2022 dibuka
23 Julai 2021	Tarikh tutup permohonan
Ogos 2021	Panel Pemilihan bertemu untuk memilih artis Pameran Seni ILHAM
September 2021	Calon terpilih dimaklumkan secara rasmi oleh Galeri ILHAM
October – Disember 2021	Calon terpilih menerima pembiayaan pengkayaan
Januari 2022	Pengambilan karya siap. Instalasi Pameran Seni ILHAM
Februari 2022	Pameran Seni ILHAM dibuka dengan rasmi

## HUBUNGI KAMI

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