

Visits for Artistic Creation

Program Characteristics.

Grants are offered to create an artistic work in Mexico, under the guidance of an expert in the field, national or foreign, residing in this country, in collaboration with CENART and Mexican Foundation for Literature.

Eligibility

The grants are open to artists who have university training from countries where the Call for SRE Scholarships for Foreigners is distributed; except for citizens from Ibero-american countries.

Receiving Mexican Institutions

Educational and/or cultural institutions, as well as individual artists, who commit to providing tutorials and facilities for the development of the artistic project.

- Arts National Center
- General Directorate of Popular Cultures of CONACULTA

Duration

Minimum	one month
Maximum	six months

Requirements

- Submit candidature on Application Form B, included in this Call.
- Comply with the requirements stipulated on the page accompanying Application Form B, in addition to the following requirements
- Directly arrange the tutorial and acceptance of the work-plan.
- The work-plan must be structured, with a defined title and a schedule of activities, endorsed by the tutor, stating as accurately as possible the characteristics of the work to be produced.
- Letter from the receiving Mexican institution stating that the candidate is being offered the tutorage for the development of his/her artistic project and the duration of the visit.
- In the event the letter of acceptance is signed by an artist, without institutional backing, it must be accompanied by a Curriculum Vitae so as to verify the artist's background and experience.
- Submit a letter of recommendation from a prominent artist of the applicant's native country referencing the merits of the candidate.
- Letter indicating the reasons for wishing to execute the artistic creation project in Mexico.

- Medical certificate of good health.
- Proof of proficiency in Spanish, if it is not the candidate's native language.
- Portfolio with photographs of three works and several work sketches showing the candidate's experience in the area for which he/she is requesting the artistic visit and indicating dates of execution. In the case of a musical work, include recordings of three works on a good-quality tape or disc.
- Candidates must not be resident in Mexico at the time of submitting their application.
- Documentation for the grant should be submitted in Spanish or, if applicable, in a version translated into Spanish.

Benefits

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- Monthly allowance equal to 5 D.F. minimum wages.*
- International air-travel at the beginning and end of the grant.
- National travel from Mexico City to the worksite and from the worksite to Mexico City at the beginning and end of the grant.
- IMSS medical insurance, effective as of the third month of the grant.

Important Note:

Applications should be exclusively of creation (not performers or researchers). The grant does not include attendance at courses or seminars nor does it offer the possibility of presentations or exhibitions of the created work during the candidate's stay in Mexico.