



LETTER OF INTENT

Between

UNESCO Jakarta And Faculty of Performing Art Institut Seni Indonesia (ISI) Yogyakarta

This Letter of Intent (LoI) is made between UNESCO Jakarta and the Faculty of Performing Art, Institut Seni Indonesia (ISI) Yogyakarta (hereafter "the Faculty").

The parties to this Letter of Intent agree to support the implementation of the project titled "Embracing Shared Heritage Through Performing Art" for the period from August 2025 to June 2026. The project aims to nurture the intercultural skills and collaborative capacities of 180 performing artists and associated artisans, as well as 300 students from Indonesia, Malaysia, and Singapore.

By connecting students, artists, and artisans across borders, the project aims to empower a new generation of cultural practitioners to preserve and innovate their traditions while engaging meaningfully with contemporary audiences

In delivering the project, UNESCO Jakarta and the Faculty will collaborate to execute the following activities:

 Mobilize students to participate in a baseline survey on performing arts by the end of August 2025. The survey will assess the types of courses offered at universities, existing learning gaps, evaluate knowledge of performing arts sector from both creative and management perspectives, and determine the need for hands-on training across Indonesia, Malaysia, and Singapore.

 Mobilize students to attend and actively participate in the virtual Project Kick-Off Workshop, which will be organized by UNESCO Jakarta by the end of September 2025. The Kick-Off Workshop will include sessions on performing arts and shared heritage, featuring expert insights and stakeholder perspectives from the three countries.

3. Mobilize students to attend and actively participate in public webinars on the history, cultural values, and connectivity of performing arts across the three countries, scheduled for mid-2026.

The Faculty will ensure the participation of approximately 75 motivated and qualified students the above mentioned activities .

The Faculty will further identify and ensure the participation of at least 4 lecturers to support students' participation in the programme.

UNESCO Jakarta will ensure the overall coordination and cost related to the above activities including resource persons, studio rental, zoom meeting, interpreter, and other technical support to be arranged via a third-party service provider.

The Faculty may decide to link the events with its existing academic programme and provide additional credit(s) to the participating students.

This Letter of Intent is written in English and is non-binding on the parties, and does not impose any obligations, financial or otherwise, nor does it confer any liability on the parties.

Signed for and on behalf of:

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Malaysia, the Philippines and Timor-Leste,

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Signed for and on behalf of:

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