

Country List Africa and Middle East for the call The Next Generation Programme 2018

In accordance with the policies of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Netherlands

Afghanistan	Gabon	Nigeria
Algeria	Gambia	Rwanda
Angola	Ghana	Senegal
Benin	Guinea-Bissau	Sierra Leone
Botswana	Guinea	Somalia
Burkina Faso	Iraq	South Africa
Burundi	Iran	South Sudan
Cabo Verde	Jordan	Sudan
Cameroon	Kenya	Swaziland
Central African Republic	Lesotho	Syrian Arab Republic
Chad	Liberia	Tanzania
Comoros	Libya	Togo
Congo	Madagascar	Tunisia
Côte d'Ivoire	Malawi	Turkey
Congo	Mauritania	Uganda
Djibouti	Mauritius	Yemen
Egypt	Mozambique	Zambia
Equatorial Guinea	Morocco	Zimbabwe
Eritrea	Namibia	
Ethiopia	Niger	

A clarification about eligibility of countries for The Next Generation:

In 2016-17 the Dutch parliament raised critical questions about the effectiveness of cultural programmes in Dutch development assistance and posed ending assistance to a range of countries. In a compromise decision, the coalition government at that time announced on 15 February 2017 that it would exclude the Palestinian Territories, Lebanon and Mali from new cultural projects. The decision applies to the new Next Generation programme, but does NOT affect any of the Prince Claus Fund's other programmes (Awards, Grants & Collaborations, Cultural Emergency Response.) Please see [our website](#) for our other open calls.

The Prince Claus Fund believes profoundly that culture can make a positive contribution to peaceful, inclusive societies. As part of our new focus, the Fund is working to facilitate research and better documentation of the impact of cultural investment, among other goals to guide policy in the future. We remain dedicated to supporting culture as broadly as we can on an international scale.