



Hong Kong/ Macau - BERLIN: 3 Months Artist-in-Residence Programme for Film Professionals 2018

The Programme

- The “Hong Kong / Macau - BERLIN - 3 months” artist-in-residence programme enables a film professional based in Hong Kong or in Macau to live in Berlin for 3 months** in 2018 so they can develop their project and skills and learn about the film industry in Germany. The dates are flexible, however it is recommended to choose the period between April and October.
- The selected candidate will have the opportunity to gain insight into the production landscape in Berlin and Brandenburg, including the legendary film studio Potsdam-Babelsberg, and meet producers and professionals, in accordance with his/her profile.

The programme covers:

- Travel costs (return flight Hong Kong or Macau to Germany, economy)
- Housing
- Allowance (1.000€ per month)

Eligibility

- Film professionals (directors, producers, scriptwriters, camerapersons, editors, costume and set designers, composers and sound designers) with a proven professional background in film and television
- Permanent residents of Hong Kong or of Macau
- Applicants must have completed or worked on at least one film of a minimum of 30 min. in any genre or format
- The completed film must have been supported by a film fund, a professionally recognized body or organisation, or have been commissioned by a broadcaster
- OR -
- The film must have won local and international recognition, acclaim and prizes

Application procedure

Please note: all applications must be submitted in English.

- Submit a statement explaining why you want to be an artist-in-residence in Berlin;
- In the case of directors, producers and scriptwriters, applicants will be required to submit:
 - a) a CV;
 - b) a written description and concept of the project (treatment/synopsis or written presentation) maximum 5 pages;
 - c) an example of previous work (Vimeo-link or equivalent)
- In the case of other film professionals, applicants will be required to submit:
 - a) CV
 - b) an example of previous film works/projects. (Vimeo-link or equivalent)

Application Form

Please download our application form for:

- **project development**

click [here](#) to download the application form.

No application will be accepted without a completed form. All information and material must be provided in English.

Deadline & Announcement

- The deadline for applications is **15th September 2017**. The candidate will be selected by the Medienboard Berlin-Brandenburg, the Goethe Institut Hong Kong and the NIPKOW PROGRAMM. The announcement will be made in October 2017.

Applications should be addressed electronically to:

air-application@nipkow.de and kultur@hongkong.goethe.org

- “Hong Kong / Macao – Berlin - 3 Months” is an initiative of: the Medienboard Berlin-Brandenburg, the Goethe Institut Hongkong, the Hong Kong International Film Festival and the NIPKOW PROGRAMM.

** Due to German Visa regulations, the period will be 2 days less than 3 months.