

Call for Artists

Andree Matter Award 2026

Terms and Conditions

Madreema Foundation is pleased to announce the open call for the **Andree Matter Award 2026**, an international award dedicated to supporting and recognizing the work of outstanding female artists.

1. Theme

Heritage

The 2026 edition of the Andree Matter Award is centered on the Heritage team. Artists are invited to reflect on heritage in its broadest sense — cultural, historical, personal, collective, tangible or intangible. This may include questions of memory, transmission, identity, tradition, displacement, reinterpretation, or the transformation of inherited narratives and forms in contemporary practice. The theme is intentionally open and encourages diverse artistic responses and perspectives.

2. Eligibility

The call is open to **female artists** who:

- Originate from or live in **South East Asia, Israel, or France**.
- Work primarily in the fields of **painting, sculpture and mixed media**

Artists at all stages of their careers are welcome to apply.

3. Award

- The Award carries a monetary prize of **EUR 10,000**, constituting the **lump-sum consideration for the acquisition of the artwork submitted and selected as the winning work**.
- Ownership of the artwork transfers to Madreema Foundation upon attribution of the award.

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4. Museum Donation

Madreema Foundation undertakes to **donate the awarded artwork to a museum**, in collaboration with the artist, with the aim of ensuring public access, long-term preservation, and appropriate contextualization of the work.

5. Copyright and Moral Rights

The artist retains full copyright and moral rights as provided under Singapore's Copyright Act (Cap.63).

Madreema Foundation is authorized to reproduce the artwork for non-commercial purposes (communication, website, catalogue, press), with full credit to the artist.

6. Jury and Decision

The winner is selected by an **independent international jury** composed of art professionals. The jury's decision is final and not subject to appeal.

7. Calendar

Application deadline: **12 August 2026**

Award communication: **15 November 2026**

Award ceremony: **17 December 2026**

8. Applicable Law

This document as well as all communication related to the Andree Matter Award are governed by **Singapore Law**. Any disputes relating to the interpretation and enforcement of these Terms and Conditions or related documentation shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Singapore.

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