

Kulturfonds Frankfurt RheinMain

Kulturfonds Frankfurt RheinMain was founded in 2007 on the initiative of the Hessian state government as a non-profit limited company based in Bad Homburg. The main task of the Kulturfonds is to support art and culture in the Rhine-Main metropolitan region and thus increase the attractiveness of the region. This funding model, which is unique in Germany, is intended to connect large and small institutions from all sectors and to strengthen their cultural profile. The explicit mission of the fund as a linking element is to support projects with international and national artistic appeal and connect the region and its institutions through cultural cooperation.

The fund primarily supports projects with national and international reach and cultural activities that nurture regional collaboration. In addition to the state of Hesse, shareholders include the cities of Frankfurt, Darmstadt, Hanau, Offenbach, Oestrich-Winkel, Bad Vilbel and Wiesbaden as well as the districts of Main-Taunus, Hochtaunus, Rheingau-Taunus and Offenbach — a total of 61 municipalities.

Half of the Kulturfonds Frankfurt RheinMain is financed by the participating cities and districts and the other half by the state of Hesse, which doubles every euro contributed by the shareholders in the sense of a »matching fund«. In this way, the fund has been able to provide 83.3 million euros in funding to date. (Stand: 15.04.2024)

Further information about the work of the Cultural Fund can be found at www.kulturfonds-frm.de.

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