



UBUD WRITERS & READERS FESTIVAL

INDONESIAN WRITERS PATRON PROGRAM



Would you like to help an Indonesian writer share their story with the world?

We are inviting supporters of literature and the arts to assist with the delivery of our Indonesian Writers Program and Bilingual Anthology Series, a core part of the not-for-profit Yayasan Mudra Swari Saraswati's mission to share Indonesian voices with the world.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

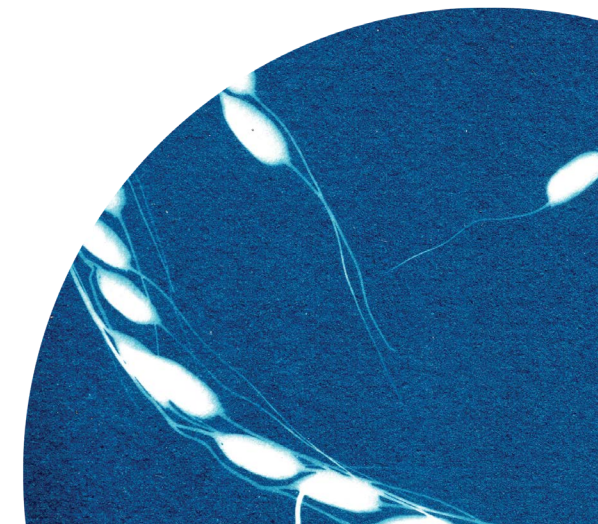
Each year, we put a call out across the archipelago to emerging writers: send us your stories.

After receiving hundreds of submissions, an independent curatorial board selects five aspiring authors and poets from across Indonesia's bustling cities and remote islands. This year, the curatorial board has also hand-selected ten of the nation's most promising writers; writers who deserve to be introduced to the international literary community.

Once selected, the Indonesian writers are supported by the Yayasan Mudra Swari Saraswati to fly to Bali. Together we launch the annual Anthology

at a special celebration during the Ubud Writers & Readers Festival, and the writers appear on panels with prominent fellow Indonesians and leading authors from around the world.

A bilingual publication, the Anthology represents a huge opportunity for Indonesian writers to have their work translated into English, opening the door to international opportunities for the first time. Receiving almost 800 submissions in 2018, the annual Bilingual Anthology Series has grown into one of Indonesia's most wide-reaching literary achievements, this year including work from West Sumatra, Central Java, South Kalimantan, South Sulawesi, and many other provinces.



HOW TO GET INVOLVED

In order to sustain our mission of sharing Indonesian literature with the world, we're inviting you to help us deliver this important program. Your contribution will assist with airfares, accommodation and honorarium for an Indonesian writer over the course of the Festival. It will create a life changing opportunity for them to learn, connect and be inspired at Southeast Asia's leading festival of words and ideas, and share their work, perspectives and experiences at one of the world's top literary festivals.

By supporting the Indonesian Writers Patron Program, brave new voices from across the archipelago will continue to be heard; voices of young women, the marginalized and the less fortunate. And right now in Indonesia, this is more important than ever before.

Indonesian Writers Program Patron: AUD \$390

Your contribution will cover:

- A return airfare for your Indonesian writer to the UWRF18
- Accommodation in Ubud from 24-29 October
- Per diem allocation from 24-29 October

To recognize your generosity, we will provide:

- An invitation to meet our Indonesian writers and patron family at the 2018 Bilingual Anthology Book Launch
- Your name in the 2018 Anthology
- Your name announced at the 2018 Anthology Book Launch
- Your name in the UWRF18 Program Book
- Five signed copies of the 2018 Anthology
- 20% off the 4-Day UWRF Pass



Your contribution will create a life-changing opportunity for an Indonesian writer to learn, connect, and be inspired, as well as ensure that brave new voices from across the archipelago continue to be heard.

To become part of the Indonesian Writers Patron Program, please get in touch with our Partnership Manager Saraswati Ratnanggana by emailing saras@yayasansaraswati.org.