## You can apply for the grant of the Oulu Valistustalo Fund yearly.

The Fund managed by the Educational and Cultural Services of the City of Oulu supports the cultural life in Oulu with grants.

Application period 6.-31.3.2023, by 3.30 pm.

The applications with the attachments should be sent mainly electronically:

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Postal address: Kirjaamo P.O. Box 71, 90015 City of Oulu

**To whom**

Grants can be given to individuals, working groups and communities acting in various fields of art and culture.

The purpose of the grants is to support people living in Oulu or projects directed to the Oulu Region.

**The subsidies support**

* artistic work
* production costs
* development of the productions or works at their early stage, for example manuscripts, or developing an idea or a concept
* travel costs for networking of an individual or a working group, a performance or an exhibition

**The grants will not be given**

* for hobbies and camp activities
* investments
* projects already having another grant from the city

The applications will be evaluated by a group of experts, whose comprehensive evaluation will be considered by the Head of the Cultural and Educational Services, who is the final decision maker. You find the previous decisions [via this link](https://www.ouka.fi/documents/64304/27269277/2022valistustaloapuraha.p%C3%A4%C3%A4t%C3%B6s.pdf/baf01c93-276f-4800-b5de-a19b2b3788d0).

Evaluation criteria

1. Quality of the application
2. The application's impressiveness
3. The budget and financing plan in the application (other than that of the early stage)

In addition, the evaluation considers the applicant's other financing for the project.