

IS ARTISTIC FREEDOM A NEW DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGE ?

ARTISTS ON THE MOVE?

The mobility of artists and cultural professionals is crucial to maintaining a heterogeneous world of ideas, values and views.

MOBILITY CHALLENGES

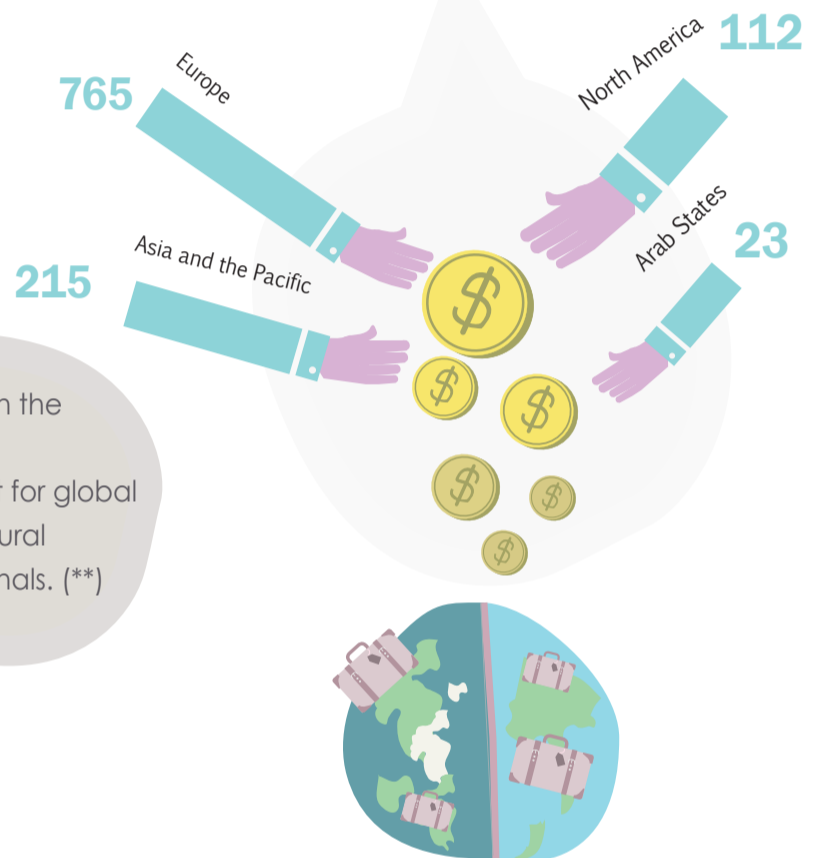
Obstacles to mobility include visa restrictions as well as economic and political constraints.



Decrease in the freedom of movement for global South cultural professionals. (**)

SOURCES OF FUNDING

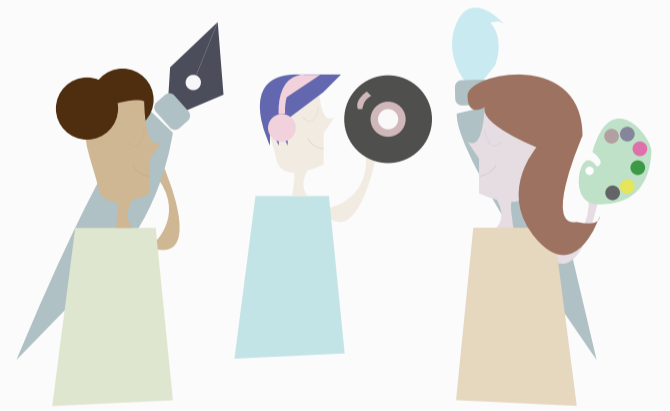
Number of public and private funding sources for the mobility and development of artists by region. (*)



TOP 5 GROUNDS FOR RESTRICTING ARTISTIC EXPRESSION

Restrictions to artistic freedom deprive artists of their means of expression and livelihood, and create an unsafe environment for all those engaged in the arts and their audiences. (***)

1. Political criticism
2. Sex, sexuality & nudity
3. 'Traditional' or religious values
4. Offence or insult
5. Insults against state symbols



CULTURAL POLICIES AND GENDER EQUALITY

Cultural policies need to respect gender equality and women's rights and promote women's access to decision-making positions within the cultural sector.

Sources: *On the move, 2015; **Institutional Profile Database (2001-2012); ***ARTICLE 19, 2010-2013