

2025 Nomination of Representatives of Arts Interests for the Hong Kong Arts Development Council

(Phase 2: 30 June – 8 August 2025)

Application Guidelines for Candidates

I. Eligibility to be a Candidate

The candidate shall:

- (a) be aged 18 years or above with a valid Hong Kong Identity Card; and
- (b) be a voter of the arts interest for which he/she is standing for candidature in 2025¹; and
- (c) obtain nominations from 2 of the 114 corporate electors of the Sports, Performing Arts, Culture and Publication Functional Constituency of the Legislative Council (“**Corporate Proposers**”); and
- (d) obtain a nomination from 1 of the 15 members of the Election Committee Second Sector – Sports, Performing Arts, Culture and Publication (non-Sports and non-Publication Sector)² (“**Election Committee’s Proposer**”); and
- (e) not be disqualified from being nominated under section 3(6) of the Hong Kong Arts Development Council Ordinance (Cap 472)³.

II. Application Procedures of Candidates

Applicants seeking candidature must obtain nominations on Candidate Application Form from “**Corporate Proposers**” and “**Election Committee’s Proposer**” during the Nomination Period. Proposers cannot revoke or change their nominations after Candidate Application Form has been submitted. Applicants should ensure that all information submitted for the nomination is legible. **Late submissions will not be accepted.**

Applicants must obtain sufficient nominations and submit the completed form **together with all the required supporting documents** (the details of which are provided in the Candidate Application Form) to HKADC NE Administration Office before the deadline. Please mark “Candidate Application for 2025 Nomination Exercise” on the envelope. Submission methods:

- (a) Submit in person or by their authorised persons; or
- (b) Submit by post or courier services. For applications submitted by post or courier, the deadline is determined by the postmark or the pickup date shown on the bill. HKADC will not process the application and its related documents with insufficient postage. HKADC accepts no responsibility for or in connection with delays in the postage service.

¹ Individual arts workers who were specified in the gazette G.N.3795 on 27 June 2025 for the 2025 Nomination Exercise and successfully registered as voters for the arts interest which he/she is standing for candidature.

² List of 15 members of the Election Committee Second Sector-Sports, Performing Arts, Culture and Publication (non-sports and non-publication sector) of the Legislative Council are (in Chinese only) Chan Chi-kwong, Chan Wing-wah, Lau Siu-hong Freeman, Wong Ying-wai, Wong Pak-ming, Yee Tung-sing Derek, Wang Ming-chun Elizabeth, Chow Chun-kay Stephen, Poon Yiu-ming, Mao Chun-fai Fredric, Lam Tian-xing, Wat Wing-yin, Hung Cho-sing, Tam Wing-lun Alan and Hui To Thomas.

³ For example, being an employee of the Government or the Legislative Council Commission; being a judicial officer; being an officer or member of any armed forces; being a salaried functionary of a government of any place outside Hong Kong; being an undischarged bankrupt; being of unsound mind; having been sentenced to death or imprisonment for a term exceeding 3 months in Hong Kong or any other territory or country, and has not either suffered the punishment to which he was sentenced or such other punishment as may have been substituted by competent authority or received a free pardon; a person who has been convicted of any offence endangering national security. (Please refer to the Hong Kong Arts Development Council Ordinance (Cap. 472) section 3 (6) for full details.)

Important information and enquiries:

Candidate Nomination Period	: 30 June – 8 August 2025
Nomination Exercise Information Website	: vote4arts2025.hkadc.org.hk
Nomination External Affairs Agent	: N Square Company Limited*
Enquiry Email	: nomination2025@hkadc.org.hk
Enquiry Telephone	: 3959 3520

HKADC NE Administration Office

Address	: 5/F, Landmark South, 39 Yip Kan Street, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong
Tel. No	: 2827 8786
Opening Hours	: Monday – Friday, 9:00a.m. – 1:00p.m., 2:00p.m. – 6:00p.m.; Closed on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays

** HKADC has appointed N Square Company Limited as the Nomination External Affairs Agent for the 2025 Nomination Exercise.*

III. Points to Note

- (1) Applicants are encouraged to submit the application as early as practicable before the deadline of the Nomination Period to allow time for rectification of errors, if any, in his/her application form. **The Candidate Application Form is only available for collecting at the HKADC Nomination Exercise Administration Office during the Nomination Period. For details, please refer to the “Information on collecting Candidate Application Form” in the NE information website (<http://vote4arts2025.hkadc.org.hk>).**
- (2) Applicants should ensure that his/her Corporate Proposers are one of the 114 corporate electors of Sports, Performing Arts, Culture and Publication Functional Constituency of the Legislative Council. Each Corporate Proposer may subscribe to **2 nominations** only. If Corporate Proposer subscribes to more than 2 nominations, the exceeding nominations may be regarded as invalidated nominations. (determined by the order of arrival of the Application Form to the NE Administration Office)
- (3) The Authorised Representative of Corporate Proposers subscribing to a nomination must affix the organisation stamp and sign the relevant Candidate Application Form **personally**. Under no circumstances a Corporate Proposer is allowed to revoke or change their nomination once the Candidate’s application has been submitted.
- (4) Election Committee’s Proposers subscribing to a nomination must sign the relevant Candidate Application Form **personally**. Under no circumstances an Election Committee’s Proposer is allowed to revoke or change his/her nomination once the Candidate’s application has been submitted. There are no limits to the number of nominations by an Election Committee’s

Proposer.

- (5) Applicants should seek nominations from Corporate Proposers and Election Committee's Proposers themselves. Please see the lists of Corporate Proposers and Election Committee's Proposers in NE Information Website. If an applicant seeking candidature has nominations exceeding the required amount, only the 2 earliest received nominations from Corporate Proposers and 1 nomination from Election Committee's Proposers will be deemed to be valid. Excessive nominations cannot be transferred.
- (6) Applicants may visit the webpage of Corporate Proposers for their contact information.
- (7) Applicants should ensure that all information given for the application is complete and correct. Should there be any false information or information withheld, the application concerned will be invalidated and the final decision is up to HKADC.
- (8) Applicants are not allowed to withdraw his/her candidature application or subsequent candidature after the close of the Nomination Period.
- (9) In case of discrepancy between the Chinese and English versions of the Application Guidelines, the Chinese version shall prevail.

IV. Personal Information Collection Statement

A. Purpose of Collection

1. The Hong Kong Arts Development Council is entrusted by the Culture, Sports and Tourism Bureau to conduct the 2025 Nomination of Representatives of Arts Interests for the HKADC. Personal data collected by means of the application forms attached to this Guideline will be used by the CSTB, HKADC or its appointed External Affairs Agent for purposes related to the 2025 nomination of representatives of arts interests for the HKADC.
2. Any personal data provided will be handled in accordance with the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486).
3. The provision of personal data and other related information in the Candidate Application Form is voluntary. However, if information (including personal data) provided is inadequate and inaccurate, HKADC may not be able to process such applications for candidature concerned in this Nomination Exercise.

B. Transfer of Information

4. Where necessary, the information provided in the Candidate Application Form may also be provided to other relevant government departments/organisations/persons for the purposes as stated in Item IV(A)(1) above.

C. Access to / Correction of Personal Data

5. Data subjects have a right to request access to and correction of their personal data provided in the Candidate Application Form in accordance with the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486).
6. HKADC will retain the personal data and other information collected during the Nomination Exercise. After the Nomination Exercise, all such data and information will be transferred to CSTB. Requests for making access to and/or correction of personal data in the application forms should be addressed to:

Hong Kong Arts Development Council

Project Officer

5/F, Landmark South, 39 Yip Kan Street, Wong Chuk Hang, Hong Kong

Enquiry Email: hkadc@hkadc.org.hk

Tel No.: 2827 8786

Opening hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00a.m. – 1:00p.m., 2:00p.m. – 6:00p.m.;

Closed on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays

正式公布獲有效提名的候選人名單後，每名候選人的個人資料及由候選人提供的參選政綱均會上載於推選活動資訊網站。

After the official announcement of the list of validly nominated candidates, personal particulars and platforms of each candidate will be uploaded to the Nomination Exercise information website.

2025 年香港藝術發展局藝術範疇代表提名推選活動
2025 Hong Kong Arts Development Council Nomination Exercise
參選藝術範疇
Arts Interest Standing for Candidature
《藝術範疇 Arts Interest》

候選人編號
Candidate
No.

候選人中文姓名(別名)
English Name of Candidate (alias)

候選人相片
Photo of
Candidate

主要職業 Principal Occupation : _____

所屬藝術團體 : _____
Arts Organisation Associated with _____

教育程度 Education Level : _____

獲得的學歷及專業資格
Academic and Professional Qualifications
Obtained : _____

在參選藝術範疇之經驗 :
Experience in the Arts Interest Standing for Candidature : _____

在參選藝術範疇擔任之相關職務 :
Titles in the Arts Interest Standing for Candidature :

組織 Organisation	職位 Post	任職日期 Appointment Date	卸任日期 Expiry Date

公共服務及社會公益活動 :
Public Services and Community Activities:

組織 Organisation	職位 Post	任職日期 Appointment Date	卸任日期 Expiry Date

政綱 Platform: _____

提名人姓名 Name of Proposers :		

註：以上資料由有關候選人提供。
Note: The above information and attachment are provided by the candidate concerned.

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