

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Kota Buku International Translation Grants program provides assistance to Malaysians and foreign publishers for the first translation of literary works by Malaysian authors for publications abroad. The grant supports the translation of works into languages other than Malay Language.

Should an application for the translation grant be successful, Kota Buku contributes part of the translation cost to the publisher, payable on publication of the translated work.

It is not envisaged that Kota Buku will finance the full costs of translation printing or editorial costs.

ELIGIBILITY

Note that meeting the eligibility criteria does not guarantee that you will receive a grant.

TITLE ELIGIBILITY

You may apply for assistance for the translation of Malaysian-authored literary works that have been professionally published.

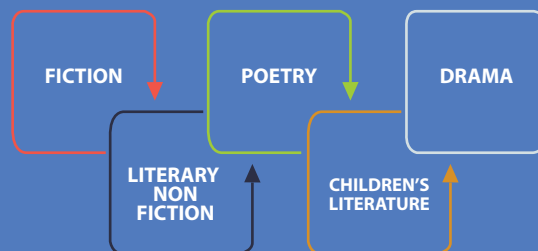
PUBLISHER ELIGIBILITY

Kota Buku reserves the right to request proof of contract with a distributor in the target language country or countries

To apply to this program :

- Your company must be an established publisher with an ongoing publishing program and have an active backlist of at least four (4) literary titles.
- Book publishing must be your company's primary activity
- Your company must use appropriate and effective means to market, distributes and promotes the applied title book in the target language country or countries.

ELIGIBILITY CATEGORIES



GRANT AMOUNT

USD \$2,500

The maximum amount available for each title applied

HOW TO APPLY

Kota Buku International Translation Grant Committee will evaluate your application . If your application is successful, the committee will decide upon the sum to be granted.

An official application form can be downloaded from Kota Buku's official website :

www.kotabuku.my/translation-grant

Application Process :

The following documents should be attached

- Completed application form
- Publisher profile
- Signed license agreement
- Signed translator's contract
- Outline of marketing and publicity plan of the foreign publisher. The plan must include the following details:

- date of publication
- area of distribution
- print run (minimum of 2,000 copies)
- price of book
- target readers
- promotional plans




FURTHER INFORMATION


Should you have any enquiry about the translation grant scheme , please do not hesitate to e-mail us at : grants@kotabuku.my


International publisher may apply for Kota Buku International Translation Grant to translate Malaysian works into other languages.


WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

International or Malaysian publishers with translation contract for Malaysian Literary works.

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