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Subject: **Call for nominations – 2023 UNESCO-Bangladesh Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman International Prize for the Creative Economy**

Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to invite you to submit nominations for the 2023 edition of the UNESCO-Bangladesh Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman International Prize for the Creative Economy.

Created in 2020 following the decision of the UNESCO Executive Board, the purpose of this Prize, named after the Father of the nation of Bangladesh, is to recognize and reward innovative projects or programmes undertaken by an individual, institution, entity or non-governmental organization to promote entrepreneurship in the cultural and creative industries by young people starting from the age of 16.

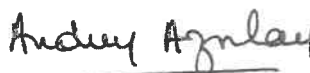
Nominations must be submitted, in English or French, by midnight on **10 December 2022** at the latest (Paris time, UTC+1) through the 2005 Convention's website at the following address: [The UNESCO-Bangladesh Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman International Prize for the Creative Economy | UNESCO](#).

Please find enclosed the Statutes of the Prize (Annex I) and a presentation of the call for nominations (Annex II).

The Secretariat of the Prize, at the Entity for the Diversity of Cultural Expressions (e-mail: creativeeconomyprize@unesco.org), is at your disposal for any further information you may require.

Please accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,



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Director-General

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