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Country	Headline
Cambodia	Contemporary artist takes a hard look at Cambodia's troubled past The exhibition of Pay Bunarath's creative photographs displayed in his "Recollection" at TorTim, a contemporary art gallery established by four young Cambodians to showcase local emerging artists. Date: October 14, 2020 Source: The Phnom Penh Post Author: Hun Sopheara Link: https://www.phnompenhpost.com/lifestyle-arts-culture/contemporary-artist-takes-hard-look-cambodias-troubled-past
	Cambodian Cultural Village set to close next month The Cambodian Cultural Village, a unique attraction in Siem Reap, will be closed its operation on November 7 due to a lack of visitors. Date: October 13, 2020 Source: Khmer Times Author: Khan Chnavirak Link: https://www.khmertimeskh.com/50772447/cambodian-cultural-village-set-to-close-next-month/
	The Country Lacks Cambodian Experts for Heritage-Site Conservation, Culture Minister Says The Minister of Culture and Fine Arts, Phoeurng Sackona, expresses her concern that Cambodia needs more Cambodian archaeologists and conservation specialists to oversee the country's numerous centuries-

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	<p>old monuments.</p> <p>Date: October 12, 2020 Source: The Cambodian Daily Author: Link: https://english.cambodiadaily.com/news/the-country-lacks-cambodian-experts-for-heritage-site-conservation-culture-minister-says-170569/</p>
Indonesia	<p>Exhibition centers on women’s universe to heal the world</p> <p>A new exhibition called “Semesta Perempuan” (Women’s Universe) held at Museum Basoeki Abdullah in Jakarta is a beacon of resilience energizing the slackening mood that had been sliding over the art world.</p> <p>Date: October 15, 2020 Source: The Jakarta Post Author: Carla Bian Poen Link: https://www.thejakartapost.com/life/2020/10/15/exhibition-centers-on-womens-universe-to-heal-the-world.html</p> <p>Dance reaches beyond the physical and through the virtual ‘wall’</p> <p>Instead of staying confined within the frame of digital monitors, Indonesian dancers are finding new ways to give freedom to their expression through movement. The program heralded a new era of livestreamed performing arts shows, racking up at least 1.5 million views for the five shows presented on Youtube.</p> <p>Date: October 13, 2020 Source: The Jakarta Post Author: Tertiani Zb Simanjuntak Link: https://www.thejakartapost.com/life/2020/10/13/dance-reaches-beyond-the-physical-and-through-the-virtual-wall.html</p>
Malaysia	<p>Facilitating conversations between the arts and business</p> <p>The arts in Malaysia will be grown in an effective and meaningful way, the founder of the Cultural Economy Development Agency expresses that there needs to be better engagement between the creative economy and those who fund it.</p> <p>Date: October 15, 2020 Source: The Edge Market Author: October 15, 2020 Link: https://www.theedgemarkets.com/article/facilitating-conversations-</p>

	<p>between-arts-and-business</p> <p>Don't stop art: two major art exhibitions by KL gallery to go on despite CMCO</p> <p>Two major art exhibitions at Publika in KL still go on as planned with the implementation of the conditional movement control order (MCO).</p> <p>Date: October 14, 2020 Source: The Star Author: Dinesh Kumar Maganthan Link: https://www.thestar.com.my/lifestyle/culture/2020/10/14/don039t-stop-art-two-major-concurrent-exhibitions-presented-by-kl-gallery-to-go-on-amid-cmco</p>
Philippines	<p>21 churches damaged in 2013 Bohol quake restored</p> <p>Almost all of the 25 churches in the Diocese of Tagbilaran were damaged by the magnitude 7.2 earthquake that hit the province of Bohol seven years ago have been restored.</p> <p>Date: October 15, 2020 Source: Philippine News Agency Author: Ferdinand Patinio Link: https://www.pna.gov.ph/articles/1118685</p> <p>This Platform allows young Filipino artists to thrive amid the pandemic</p> <p>The Pilipinas Shell recently launched Virtual Art Interact, a platform for renowned artists to share their insights on the sector and how to develop their skills. The virtual forum-cum-workshop is part of the petroleum corporation's long-running National Students Art Competition, an ongoing contest aimed to support young artists.</p> <p>Date: October 12, 2020 Source: Manila Bulletin Author: Jules Vivas Link: https://mb.com.ph/2020/10/12/this-platform-allows-young-filipino-artists-to-thrive-amid-the-pandemic/</p>
Singapore	<p>COVID-19: Eligible arts and culture organizations to get one-off grant of up to S\$75,00</p> <p>More than 300 key arts and culture organizations including media and</p>

	<p>design will get a one-off operating grant of S\$50,000 or S\$75,000 base on their size.</p> <p>Date: October 15, 2020 Source; Channel News Asia Author: Aqil Haziq Mahmud Link: https://www.channelnewsasia.com/news/singapore/arts-and-culture-covid-19-operating-grant-75000-13286342</p>
Vietnam	<p>Museum dedicated to celebrated poet To Huu opens in Hanoi</p> <p>The family of distinguished revolutionary poet To Huu opened a museum dedicated to his memory in Hanoi's Cau Giay District on the occasion of his 100th birthday.</p> <p>Date: October 14, 2020 Source: Vietnam Plus Author: Link: https://en.vietnamplus.vn/museum-dedicated-to-celebrated-poet-to-huu-opens-in-hanoi/188616.vnp</p> <p>HCMC Ao Dai Festival 2020 opens</p> <p>The 7th Ho Chi Minh City Ao Dai Festival 2020 themed "I love Vietnamese Ao Dai" opened at the Museum of Vietnamese History in HCMC's District 1 on October 11.</p> <p>Date: October 12, 2020 Source: Saigon Online Author: Link: https://sggpnews.org.vn/culture_art/hcmc-ao-dai-festival-2020-opens-88827.html</p>