**ASEAN Fellowship Programme for Social Justice Leaders**

**Application Form**

The ASEAN Fellowship for Social Justice Leaders (the “Fellowship”) is an initiative developed jointly by a group of human rights organisations in Thailand for temporary relocation of Southeast Asian human rights defenders/ social justice leaders to Bangkok, Thailand. The Fellowship aims to provide fellows with a 6-month Fellowship comprising 5-month placement in Bangkok, Thailand to take a break from their usual work. During their stay, fellows will engage in activities for rest and respite, capacity building, and networking with other defenders and human rights organisations.

Thank you for taking the time to apply for the Fellowship.

**Instructions**

Before submitting the application, you are strongly encouraged to do an honest and realistic self-assessment of your own situation and what you may need to feel comfortable in an unfamiliar environment. You may want to discuss your plan with your family or loved ones to ensure their understanding and support.

If you choose to proceed, please fill out the application form with as clear and accurate information as possible. **Please submit your completed application form together with a copy of your CV.**Please note that without these documents,your application will be incomplete and will not be considered.

**Application Form**

***Section 1 – Personal Information***

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| First name |  |
| Last name |  |
| Date of birth |  |
| Gender |  |
| Nationality |  |
| Language(s) spoken |  |
| E-mail address |  |
| WhatsApp/Signal number |  |
| Do you have any restriction for e-mail or phone communications? | *Please answer the question with Yes or No. If yes, please provide details of the restrictions.* |
| Current location |  |
| Emergency contact details |  |
| Do you have any health conditions or disability which may require assistance? |  |

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| List the most recent degrees/diplomas you have gained, if any (list a maximum of 3). | |
| Degree/Diploma |  |
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***Section 2 – Your Human Rights Work and Current Situation***

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| **2.1 Please outline your human rights/ social justice work, including your thematic focus(es), how long you have been doing this work, and any organisations you have been involved with. Please provide links to publication or websites, if any. (Maximum 500 words)** |
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| **2.2 Please outline difficulties you encounter in your human rights work, if any, including any threats or attacks. (Maximum 300 words)** |
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| **‍2.3 Please outline your need for rest and respite. Is there anything particular you want to achieve (e.g. managing stress and burnout, learning well-being practices) through the Fellowship?** |
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***Section 3 – Your Plan and Ambitions***

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| **3.1 What would you like to learn or gain during the Fellowship? (Maximum 300 words)** |
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| **3.3 Please outline your future plans after the Fellowship. (Maximum 300 words)** |
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***Section 4 – Reference***

Please provide the names and contact details of two references who can provide accurate information about your work and your situation. The references should ideally be working for a human rights organisation or group in your home country. We will reach out to your references for information after you are shortlisted.

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| Reference #1 |  |
| Name, last name |  |
| Contact details |  |
| Job title / Organisation |  |
| Relationship with the applicant |  |

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| Reference #2 |  |
| Name, last name |  |
| Contact details |  |
| Job title / Organisation |  |
| Relationship with the applicant |  |

***Section 5 – Others***

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| How did you learn about the Fellowship? |  |
| Do you intend to return to your home country after the Programme? | *Please answer the question with Yes or No. If the answer is No, please explain.* |
| Do you have a passport with validity of at least nine months by the time of travel, or any other form of documentation that can facilitate your travel? | *Please answer the question with Yes or No.* |
| Are you willing and able to travel to Thailand unaccompanied? | *Please answer the question with Yes or No. If the answer is No, please explain.* |

***Section 6 – Confirmation***

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| I confirm that I have filled out the application form with complete and correct information. I understand that any incorrect or incomplete information, or omission of it, may result in the withdrawal of the Fellowship. | |
| **Signature of the applicant** |  |
| **Date** |  |