

**CO-PRODUCTION** / PROJECT DEVELOPMENT / AUDIENCE DEVELOPMENT, MARKETING, DISTRIBUTION & EXHIBITION / MANAGEMENT & FINANCING / DIGITAL & MULTIMEDIA / ANIMATION / TELEVISION SERIES

## **Ties that Bind**

**Ties that Bind is designed to assist 10 producers from Asia and Europe with potential European-Asian co-production projects. It is also open to in addition also to other European professionals interested in working with Asia. Five are selected to be an active part of the group.**

### **Dates:**

**27 June-3 July 2020, Udine, Italy (during the Udine Far East Film Festival, 26 June-4 July 2020) (new dates)  
November 2020, Singapore (during the Southeast Asian Film Financing Forum)**

**Application deadline: 6 February 2020**

TIES THAT BIND targets 10 Asian & European producers with projects and five other European professionals interested in working with Asia (sales agents, financiers, distributors, festival programmers, co-production market representatives) or producers without project.

The participants work with industry professionals from both continents. The sessions focus on script development, co-production between Asia and Europe, financing in the two regions, marketing and distribution, and the legal aspects of co-production. They will meet leading Asian and European sales agents, funders and potential co-producers during the FOCUS ASIA Genre Project Market in Udine and the Southeast Asian Film Financing (SAFF) Forum in Singapore.

### **TARGET GROUP**

**Producers, Distributors & sales agents, Festival managers, Funders & financiers**

### **REQUIREMENTS**

feature-length fiction film (for theatrical release) with strong potential to find co-producers and/or attract Asian private financiers.

We are open to any genre and type of project (from arthouse to commercial projects)

preferably a minimum of 20% financing should be in place

applicants must be the lead *producer* of the submitted project

producer must have completed at least one film released in the last 3 years (theatrically, TV, DVD, VOD)

1<sup>st</sup> draft of the script must be available in English for the first workshop by April 1, 2019.


### **COURSE WEBSITE**

[www.tiestthatbind.eu](http://www.tiesthatbind.eu)

**COURSE SOCIAL MEDIA**

**WWW;**

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 **Project-based, Without project**




**Intermediate**

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 Partial scholarships to contribute to the travel costs.

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