

Jakarta, Indonesia

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The highly anticipated Festival Istiqlal, a celebration of Islamic culture, spirituality, scholarship, and impact, will return in August 2025 at one of the world's largest mosques, the iconic Istiqlal Mosque in Jakarta. The road to this grand event begins with the Harmony Istiqlal Gallery, an immersive exhibition showcasing Islamic Art in Nusantara and Imam Al-Bukhari, held from December 10, 2024, to February 29, 2025.

This groundbreaking exhibition is part of an effort led by Cipta Kawasan (Cultural Advancement District), the Istiqlal Global Fund, and the Bukhari Creative Group, in collaboration with the Ministry of Religion, Ministry of Culture, and Ministry of SMEs.

#WorldHarmony Movement Starts Here.

For those seeking a truly unique and harmonious end-of-year reflection destination, the Harmony Istiqlal Gallery offers an unparalleled cultural journey with Bukhari: Islamic Art Exhibition that blends art, history, spirituality, and technology. Rooted in the multicultural essence of the gallery, the exhibition serves as a powerful call to Join the Movement for Global Harmony - #WorldHarmony. It highlights the gallery's dedication to unity and diversity, making it a must-visit experience for visitors of all backgrounds.

A Unique End-of-Year Harmony Destination

Positioned as an ideal year-end reflection destination, the Harmony Istiqlal Gallery invites visitors to experience a sense of unity, inspiration, and cultural enrichment. It encourages families, travelers, and art enthusiasts to embrace a meaningful retreat during the festive season, all within the heart of Jakarta.

Highlighting Islamic Multicultural Heritage in Harmony

The Harmony Istiqlal Gallery bridges the past and the present, presenting a journey through over 1,200 years of Islamic civilization, including its influence in the Indonesian region. It delves into the timeless wisdom of Imam Al-Bukhari, the renowned 9th-century Islamic scholar. His legacy, showcased through artworks inspired by authentic sahih hadith, invites visitors to reflect on themes of purity, intellectual rigor, and spiritual connection, which remain profoundly relevant in today's digital age.

A World Premiere: Multimedia and Multinational Harmony Exhibition

The exhibition covers 1,200 years of Islamic heritage, involving more than 50 artists and creative individuals from Indonesia, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, India, China, and England. One of its standout features is the fusion of Islamic art and cutting-edge technology, including immersive sensory installations and virtual reality experiences, allowing visitors to explore historical narratives in innovative ways.

"Harmony Istiqlal Gallery is not just an exhibition; it's a movement," says Handoko Hendroyono, Director of Festival Istiqlal and Head of the Cipta Kawasan Committee. "Through this initiative, we aim to rekindle appreciation for Islamic art and culture, reminding the world of the universal values of knowledge, creativity, and interconnectedness."

The exhibition's collaboration with Uzbekistan's Bukhari Creative Group, led by Sevara Ibrohim, adds an international dimension to the event. Featuring contributions from renowned artists across Uzbekistan, Indonesia, and beyond, the exhibition serves as a platform to promote global harmony through the shared language of art.

Sevara Ibrohim emphasizes, *"This exhibition extends an invitation to all, offering a transformative spiritual journey that transcends boundaries and speaks to the soul of every visitor and this is exactly what the world needs now."*

Practical Information

The Harmony Istiqlal Gallery runs from December 10, 2024, to February 29, 2025, at the Istiqlal Harmony Gallery, Masjid Istiqlal, Jakarta. Tickets are available via Goers, starting at IDR 45,000 for general admission, IDR 35,000 for students, and special discount for group visit, with IDR 5,000 from each ticket donated as Wakaf.

Ticket purchase: [Goers ticketing platform](#)

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