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Art @ WTC

October 12 is celebrated annually as National Museum Day. It was established in 2015 to celebrate the country's museums and other cultural institutions such as aquariums, botanical gardens and zoos, as well as to give museum managers and other professionals in the field an opportunity to get together, discuss important issues, and find new innovative ways to support museums, further their development, and attract more visitors.

According to the Ministry of Education, Culture, Research, and Technology, there are 439 museums throughout Indonesia, with at least 64 in Jakarta alone. Museums collections are widely varied, from collections of art, scientific specimens, archives, historical and cultural objects, to living zoological specimens and much more.

Speaking of art collections, have you ever visited our sculptures at WTC 2? In the garden, you'll find Yani Mariani's *Pohon Kahyangan* and its Mother Nature figure and *Mekar Cahaya di Hampar Pertiwi* by Yani M. Sastranegara which symbolizes the impression of motion, light, and continuity of life. The lobby houses *Gamelatron*, a sound-producing kinetic sculpture presented as site-specific installations, and stand alone artworks by Aaron Taylor Kuffner.

Yours truly, the community editor "Life at WTC" Photo Exhibition to end on Friday, October 13 at WTC 3 lobby

