

## **BIBD SHOWCASES LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL ARTS AND CULTURE NIGHT**

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November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 - Invited BIBD customers were treated to a visual sand art performance by renowned Omani artist, Shayma Ahmed Mohammed Al-Mughairy. Also at the event, BIBD also showcased art pieces designed by young local artists from Kaleidoscope Studio, Creative Space Brunei, and Noor Aziemah Ahmad.

BIBD Head of Retail Banking Group, Hajah Nurul Akmar Haji Md Jaafar, commented on BIBD's collaboration, "In shaa Allah, the arts and cultural event is hoped to be a platform to propel young local artists to be exposed to the larger audience, and to bring their dreams to reality beyond the shores of Brunei Darussalam. At the same time, we hope to inspire individuals, especially budding young talents, to explore their capabilities and maximize their potential."

The event was held in collaboration between BIBD and the Embassy of the Sultanate of Oman at the Jerudong International School Theatre. Also present at the event was His Excellency the Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman, along with senior officials and other invited guests.

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