

Partner search

Culture sub-programme

Strand/category	Creative Europe, Cooperation small projects
Deadline	October 7 2015

Cultural operator(s)

Name	<p>“Alexandru Stefulescu” Gorj County Museum, Romania</p>
Short description	<p>The “Alexandru Stefulescu” Gorj County Museum, founded in 1894, is an important public institution from the Gorj county that, through its exhibitions, art galleries, seminars, cultural projects tries to educate and to entertain the local community. It also tries to preserve and to promote local culture and other cultures as well.</p> <p>Our Museum is formed by the History – Archeology Museum, the Folk Architecture Museum (which is an open air museum and focused on traditions), the Art Museum, a few memorial houses - Constantin Brancusi`s Memorial House, Tudor Vladimirescu`s Memorial House, Ecaterina Teodoroiu`s Memorial House - and The Polovragi Cave.</p> <p>The institution has partnerships and collaborations with top universities from Romania, Embassies, other museums, professors, teachers, students, scientists, writers, painters, specialists, etc.</p> <p>Our institution has over 27,000 cultural objects and develops each year many cultural projects with schools, teachers, the local public library, the local theatre and other institutions in order to educate and entertain the community. Every year we participate at the ”Museum Open-Night”, event which takes place in May in museums throughout Europe. Our staff is specialized in history, archeology, ethnography, natural sciences, art, education.</p> <p>The Gorj County`s capital - Targu Jiu - is the place where Constantin Brâncusi`s masterpieces (the father of modern sculpture) - The Silence Table, Endless Column and The Kiss Gate are placed.</p>

Project

Field(s)	Cultural Heritage/ Folk Music and Traditions/ History-Archeology/ Art
Description	<p>Project title – <i>Be Active! Know Your City</i></p> <p>We want to develop a project with European partners about Visual Arts – Photography and Youth Social Engagement. The younger generation need to know the community they live in and become aware of the importance of becoming active citizens. This project tries to empower young people, to develop their social skills like -</p>

communication, gathering information, documenting, cultural awareness, dialogue or interaction with others. Photography, nowadays, is a form of expressing history, feelings, society. It engages and reaches out beyond the walls of the gallery or pages of a magazine. Through exhibitions, competitions, catalogues, trainings, articles, social media and cultural exchange, passionate photography high-school students will grow in knowledge about their community's strengths and weaknesses, discover solutions to social challenges, be empowered and gain an increased cultural understanding.

Partners searched

Countries	Any EU country participating in the Creative Europe Program, EEA countries
Profile	Museums, Arts organizations, Libraries, Theatres, Schools, NGOs, etc.
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