

Partner search

Culture sub-Program

Strand/category	Co-operation projects
Deadline	7.10.2015

Cultural operator(s)

Name	Association of Historic Towns of Slovenia
Short description	<p>The Association of Historical Towns of Slovenia is a non-profit organization established in 1993 by three founding members, Slovene historic cities – Municipalities of Piran, Ptuj and Škofja Loka. Today the association has 12 member towns, which represent all major Slovene historic towns outside Ljubljana.</p> <p>All employments in the Association are project based. The main aim of the Association is to work together in promoting the heritage, represent the specific needs and interests and encouraging the new life in historic towns of Slovenia. During these years the Association has initiated a well-visited medieval event running transitionally across all member towns (e.g. The Venera Trail), organized seminars and developed a tourist product "Historic Towns of Slovenia". Lately it has participated in several EU funded projects as partner or service provider.</p> <p>It is a member of European association of historic Towns and Regions.</p>
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Project

Field(s)	Heritage & Creative Art Festivals
Description	<p>The main idea of our project is to improve the perception of the cultural heritage in the eyes of younger generations through "series of creative art festivals" organised in different participating historic towns. Each festival shall be focused on one of most common EU heritage traditional materials (e.g. wood, stone, clay, iron,..). Through creative workshops, exhibitions, new media communication, involvement of young artists and on the other hand curators, conservationists, city managers, elderly .. an liveable and active exchange of ideas and creativity between heritage and contemporary</p>

art challenges shall be achieved during the festivals. We believe that by applying European heritage elements in the contemporary art some of the past (artisan) skills, techniques and traditions which are threatened by extinction might be preserved and passed across young audience in participating countries.

Partners searched

Countries

Denmark, Finland, Sweden, Norway, Estonia, Latvia, Litva, Poland, Czech republic, Germany, BeNeLux, UK, Ireland, Spain, France, Portugal

Profile

Festival Management, Museums, Art Centres, Historic Cities,..

Other

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