

## Partner search

### Creative Europe Programme - Culture sub-programme

Strand/category of the Culture Sub-programme	Smaller scale cooperation projects
Deadline of the strand	7 <sup>th</sup> October 2015
Deadline for confirming your interest in this partnership	15 <sup>th</sup> August 2015

### Cultural operator(s)

Name	“George Ciprian” Theatre Buzău (RO, project leader)
Short description	The “George Ciprian” Theatre Buzău is one of the leading state-funded project theatres in Romania. It is funded by the local council of the Buzău County.
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### Project

Field(s)	theatre, interdisciplinary art, telematic art, New Media art, participatory art
Description	<p>The project aims to explore Internet relationships in contemporary society with the means of telematic participatory performance.</p> <p>Telematic performance involves the use of real-time video-conferencing (e.g. Skype) and has the potential to connect different spaces across the world.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>1) to explore the realm of Internet relationships through telematic participatory performances (e.g. between family members brought apart by distance, such as parents and children living in different countries as a result of migration; services over the Internet, such as Internet dating, Internet mentoring etc.);</p> <p>2) to develop an innovative type of intermedia performance which incorporates video-conferencing technology and video augmentation,</p>

exploring their interactive potential;  
3) to engage the audience through participatory strategies and to develop a diversified audience;  
4) to establish an international network of artists interested in using technology in the performing arts (know-how transfer).

## Partners searched

Countries

**Partners searched:** EU-eligible countries (apart from the UK)

**Partners already identified:**

- Cultural Association "7" (Romania)
- Manchester Metropolitan University (UK)

Profile

**Profile of partners searched:**

The partner should be able to bring additional technological expertise and support – we are looking for a digital lab, a university with a digital arts department, or other similar institutions.

**Profile of the already identified partners:**

Cultural Association "7" is an NGO functioning as a private theatre in Bucharest. We aim to create performances inspired by issues that are relevant to contemporary society.

Manchester Metropolitan University is a leading upper education institution in the UK – main partners: the Department of Contemporary Arts Cheshire and Digital Innovation.