

# Partner search form

For Creative Europe project applications

| Call               | Support to European Cooperation Projects |
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| Strand or category | Small Scale Cooperation Projects         |
|                    | Medium Scale Cooperation Projects        |
|                    | Large Scale Cooperation Projects         |

#### Cultural operator - who are you?

| Name of organisation                    | Today Art Initiative   |
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| Country                                 | Armenia  |
| Organisation website                    | Todayart.weebly.com  |
| Contact person                          | Lilit, <u>tai.todayart@gmail.com</u>   |
| Organisation type                       | non-governmental organisation  |
| Scale of the organization               |  |
| PIC number                              | 946034114  |
| Aims and activities of the organisation | <ul> <li>"Today" Art Initiative (TAI) has founded in 2014 year. The aim of the organisation is to develop contemporary art activites and create a platform for experimental and innovative art practices and exchanges. TAI provides opportunities to reflect society's issues and invetigate today's life problems localy and international. The aim of exchanges and residencies is to create the dialogue between art practitioners in larger contextual level such as identity, community, nationality. Our NGO's activities are: development of democracy , human rights sustainability. According to this we have following goals and objectives:</li> <li>Our goals and objectivities include the development of contemporart art scence in Armenia and emphasize the activitiy of it in rural areas. Develop artists in residency program in Armenia with exchage of international artists and bring the new innovative medias in Armenia as collaborative art practices .</li> <li>Provide educational, cultural, information exchanges among youth in Armenian rural areas and other countries.</li> <li>For the realization of all these, we are going to organize different local and international exhibitions, festivals, seminars, researches, exchanges and artists in residency programs.</li> <li>We aim to pay special attention on social projects in order to help young people with fewer opportunities, for their educational processes 3through our non-formal educational art projects, to make them to believe that they are a full member of a society, and has an important role of making the world more bright.</li> <li>On April of 2015 TAI did a large international mail-art exhibition in Armenia, which was the first mail-art exhibition in Armenia. It called "Art for Peace" and the main aim was to promote importance of peace via artworks. Artists from 36 countries (Armenia, Bulgaria, Italy, England, Wales, Estonia, Slovakia, Ethiopia, Brazil, Japan, Hong Kong, Bangladesh, USA, Macedonia, Korea, Morocco, Poland, Ukraine, Iran, Serbiaetc ), ar</li></ul> |

|   | and since 2019 in rural areas of Armenia. We aim to make it as<br>exchange too by giving opportunity to local artists to travel another EU<br>countries. Since 2014 we hosted artists from USA, Poland, Hong<br>Kong, the UK, Italy, Norway, Sweden, Germany, Portugaletc<br>TAI also supports youth in their intellectual, cultural and physical<br>development, to create necessary conditions for full involvement of<br>youth in social-economical, political and cultural life of the society and<br>to help the young people discover their creative potential , thus to<br>promote participation of youth in the civic life and be citizen artists and<br>active youth.<br>In order to promote participation of youth in the civic society, be active<br>artists/citizens and in various types of social youth activities , the<br>organization took part in different youth projects of EU, where the<br>most important projects are Youth in Action and Erasmus+ . |
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| Role of the organisation in the project | Project Partner   |
| Previous EU grants<br>received          | Erasmus projects, Creative Europe   |

## Proposed Creative Europe project – to which project are you looking for partners?

| Sector or field                                | Contemporary art , artists in residency , cultural heritage, visual arts, literature, architecture, arts and new technology,  |
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| Description or summary of the proposed project | We would like to be partners and we are developing a project<br>of Rural Art residencies with European countries. Please, get in<br>contact if you work on rural art residency projects |
| Partners currently involved in the project     | All eligible countries  |

#### Partners searched – which type of partner are you looking for?

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|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| From country or region                | All eligible countries           |
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| Preferred field of expertise          |                                  |
| Please get in contact no              | 1 <sup>st</sup> of December 2023 |
| later than                            |                                  |

# Projects searched – are you interested in participating in other EU projects as a partner?

| Yes / no                   | Yes                               |
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| Which kind of projects are | Small Scale Cooperation Projects  |
| you looking for?           | Medium Scale Cooperation Projects |
|                            | Large Scale Cooperation Projects  |

### Publication of partner search

| This partner search can be | Yes |
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