

Ministry of Culture and National Heritage announces call for proposals for Cultural Exchange Fund within EEA Financial Mechanism and Norwegian Financial Mechanism for the total amount: 1 300 000 euro = 4 415 710 PLN (according to rate 1 euro = 3,3967 PLN).

The objectives of the proposals must comply with following **thematic areas of the Fund**:

- music and stage arts;
- cultural heritage;
- plastic and visual arts;
- literature and archives.

The following entities are authorized to apply:

- a) local self-government entities and their associations;
- b) public cultural institutions;
- c) public artistic schools and academies;
- d) state archives;
- e) non-governmental cultural organisations;
- f) artists, authors, organisers of cultural activities administered by one of entities listed in points a-d.

Having at least one **Partner originating from the Donor-States is required**. Partnership has to be proved by the letter of intent (or partnership agreement), which is one of the obligatory annexes to the application form.

Co-financing:

- the minimal value of the grant – 10 000 euro - 33 967 PLN (according to rate 1 euro = 3,3967 PLN)
- the maximum value of the grant – 250 000 euro - 849 175 PLN (according to rate 1 euro = 3,3967 PLN)

Co-financing level: up to 90 % of total eligible costs.

Applicant's contribution (obligatory): minimum 10 % of total eligible costs.

Maximum project duration cannot be longer than 24 months.

Application:

1. obligatory on-line registration of the application form on the internet site: www.fwk.mkidn.gov.pl
2. delivery of the documents (personally or via post):
 - 2 sets of documents in the paper version (an application form and the annexes)
 - 2 CDs with the set of scanned original documents.

Address:

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with postscript: *Cultural Exchange Fund – call for proposals - 2008*

Call for proposals (registration and delivery of the sets of documents to Fund Operator) will last from 15th of April 2008 to 16th of June 2008.

In case of sending documents via post – date of reception of a paper version of the application by MKiDN is valid, not the date of post stamp.

Detailed information on Cultural Exchange Fund (with application form with obligatory forms of annexes) are available at: www.fwk.mkidn.gov.pl

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