# Partner search form

For Creative Europe project applications

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| Call | *Support to European Cooperation Projects 2023* |
| Strand or category | *Small Scale Cooperation Projects*  *Medium Scale Cooperation Projects* |

## Cultural operator – who are you?

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| Name of organisation | SOMA Cultura |
| Country | *Portugal* |
| Organisation website | [*https://www.instagram.com/soma.cultura/*](https://www.instagram.com/soma.cultura/) |
| Contact person | *Saghar Hamidzade*  *saghar@somacultura.pt, +351926679907* |
| Organisation type | *E.g. association/not for profit organisation* |
| Scale of the organization | *3-5* |
| PIC number | *881412423* |
| Aims and activities of the organisation | *SOMA’s mission is to enable and empower migrant artists in Portugal to pursue their creative interests, collaborate with local artists and institutions, and build bridges within communities - strengthening the social fabric of an already diverse society.*  ***Training & Skill Development -*** *We provide training and support to migrant and refugee artists, fostering their self-reliance and enabling them to pursue their creative interests. This includes career development, brand coaching, and facilitating professional content creation.* ***Cross-Cultural Collaborations*** *- We facilitate projects and residencies that encourage collaboration between artists from diverse backgrounds, promoting cultural exchange and understanding.*  ***Community Engagement-*** *We establish connections and partnerships with local art spaces, neighborhoods, and communities to produce events, concerts, and exhibitions that showcase the talent of migrant artists and provide opportunities for powerful encounters.* |
| Role of the organisation in the project | *Project partner* |
| Previous EU grants received | *-* |

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

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| Sector or field | *performing arts, music, social integration, migrant artists & musicians* |
| Description or summary of the proposed project | Our project aims to increase the representation of displaced and/or migrant artists on a national and international level by  creating an online platform for showcasing and cultivating cross cultural collaboration across different institutions. |
| Partners currently involved in the project | local Lisbon-based NGOs |

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

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| From country or region | *All eligible countries* |
| Preferred field of expertise | *Migrant integration, social integration, performing arts, music* |
| Please get in contact no later than | *September 2023 \*flexible* |

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

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| Yes / no | Yes |
| Which kind of projects are you looking for? | migrant and social integration work, music, culture & the arts  community work |

## Publication of partner search

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| This partner search can be published?\* | *Yes* |