



Norwegian partner search in Cultural Cooperation projects in the EEA and Norway Grants 2014-2021

In order to get the best results from your search for partners for the EEA and Norway Grants, the Arts Council Norway recommends completing the following form. The text boxes that make up the form are based on feedback that we have received from Norwegian cultural players. Tailoring the information to the potential partner/potential partner type as opposed to sending a generic request, always yields the best results. The form can be used for partnership requests sent directly to identified, potential partners, as well as those sent to the Arts Council Norway eeagrants@kulturradet.no and Programme Operators. It can also be used for Norwegian entities seeking partners in the Beneficiary States.

This form will be published on our website.

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<p>Your organisation</p> <p>Describe the type of organisation and include a good description of your own areas of activity/fields (Visual arts, Performing arts, Interdisciplinary art, Music, Architecture, Library activities, Ethnic culture, Literature, Culture and art</p>	<p>The applicant is the commune of Łądek-Zdrój (local government unit), which will hand over the management of the Spa House - Culture and Recreation Center in Łądek-Zdrój.</p> <p>Culture and Recreation Center in Łądek – Zdrój - established in 1992, it is a local government cultural institution with legal personality. The Culture and Recreation Center is supervised by the Mayor of the city of Łądek-Zdrój.</p> <p>The institution's area of operation is the city and commune of Łądek Zdrój with the possibility of operating throughout the country and outside the Republic of Poland.</p> <p>The main goals of Culture and Recreation Center are to promote culture and reading by creating conditions for receiving and contributing to the value of culture by the inhabitants of the city and commune of Łądek - Zdrój, tourists,</p>
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<p>education, Museum and gallery activities).</p>	<p>patients and holiday makers, and promoting the values of the commune of Łądek - Zdrój.</p>
<p>Project idea Provide a brief description of the project idea, what you want to achieve and how you plan to achieve it. Ideally the idea should give an idea of what is planned, but be open enough for the partner to influence.</p>	<p>The commune applies for support under Outcome 1 under the name – “Cultural heritage management enhanced”, whose main objective is to improve the management of cultural heritage by creating appropriate conditions for conducting cultural activities both within the protection of cultural heritage as well as in the field of cultural infrastructure.</p> <p>Our project - Reconstruction of the historic Spa House in Łądek - Zdrój to give cultural functions and improve the management of cultural heritage.</p> <p>As part of the project, the entire space of the Spa House is to be allocated to the educational, socio-cultural needs of the commune. The plans include moving the library to the renovated building, equipping it with an audiovisual collection and creating a media library. The Culture and Recreation Center is also to be moved here, including gallery, theater and restaurant. The idea is also to create Geopolis, i.e. an educational place related to the geography and geology of the Sudetes with an emphasis on mineral waters.</p> <p>The beginning of the Spa House (entered in the register of monuments - register number: A / 4284/1204 / Wł, date of entry: 04.09.1986) was a small lounge erected on the initiative of the spa doctor Dr. Forster in the years 1784 - 1785. It was intended for concerts and theater performances. It also served for social gatherings. The appearance of this building is unknown. The main reconstruction took place in the years 1900-1902. The spatial separation of both wings was preserved. The former portico was replaced with a new, covered terrace with mirror stairs. In addition, from the park side, a covered metal hall linked to the terrace, was added parallel to the southern wing of the Spa House. The decor of the facade was kept in the historicism style. In the years 1921–1922 its northern wing was rebuilt. There was a stage with accompanying rooms and an auditorium was set up in the north wing. In 1928, the theater at the Spa House was also used as a cinema. Nowadays, it was renovated in the years 1953–1955 and 1961–1966. During this work, the metal hall was removed and the portico's balustrades re-walled. There was a cinema theater, library and cafes here. In the 70s and 80s a post office operated in this building, and later a pharmacy for a short period.</p> <p>PROJECT - VISUALIZATION - AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE https://polska-org.pl/8115872,Ladek_Zdroj,Wizualizacje_projekty.html</p>
<p>Relevance of potential partner: Based on your research show why you have identified this particular potential partner is relevant, for example does the organisational type match, similar or complementary experiences, etc.</p>	<p>We are looking for partners in the following categories: cultural heritage, cultural and artistic education and construction, expansion, renovation of cultural infrastructure (for example: local government units, culture centers, non-governmental organizations, museums, libraries, art galleries, units in the field of adapting historic buildings to contemporary functions).</p> <p>Implementation of tasks in the following areas:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) participation of residents and guests in cultural and recreational life, 2) various forms of cultural education and reading development, 3) various forms of cultural heritage presentation, 4) cultural, entertainment and recreational events, 5) museum and exhibition activities, 6) promotion of tourist and spa assets of the Łądek-Zdrój commune,



<p>If you have not identified a specific potential partner, try to describe the type of organisation you are looking for. Try to be specific and to link it to your areas of activity, project idea and the role of the partner.</p>	<p>7) taking actions for the tourist development of the Łądek - Zdrój commune.</p> <p>In the following forms:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) organization of performances, concerts, exhibitions and outdoor events, 2) running artistic centers, clubs, groups and sections of interest, 3) organizing reviews, festivals, entertainment and recreation events, 4) running an artistic impresario, 5) the production of theater performances, radio and television programs, 6) conducting courses, training sessions, workshops and forms of improvement as well as instructional and methodical activities in various fields of culture and art, 7) running the library and reading room, including multimedia reading rooms.
<p>Partner role: What role do you foresee the partner as having in the project? What value do you feel the partner can contribute to the project?</p>	<p>Our expectations of our partner (for example):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - conducting courses, trainings, workshops and forms of improvement, as well as instructional and methodological activities in various fields of culture and art, - exchange of know-how and experience, - assistance in promoting tourist and spa values of the Łądek-Zdrój commune, - experience in adapting historic buildings to contemporary functions, - increase in energy efficiency of buildings.
<p>Any other comments/ relevant information</p>	<p>Łądek - Zdrój is one of the oldest health resorts that received city rights in the 13th century. The city lies in the southwestern part of the country, in the Kłodzko land, geographically belonging to the Sudetes. The city prospered in the valley of the Biała Łądecka River, which is the border separating the Golden Mountains and the Śnieżnik Massif. From 2019, Łądek - Zdrój is the only spa in Poland that belongs to the prestigious group of the European Association of Historical Thermal Cities (EHTTA).</p> <p>The Spa House is located in the immediate vicinity of historic buildings: the health resort "Wojciech", Vienna Cafe - Albrechtshalle, Spa Park, concert shell and the monument of nature Aleja Modrzewiowa. Every year, events related to the International Dance Festival (its 22nd edition will take place this year) and the Mountain Festival (we're celebrating our 25th anniversary in 2020). It was in Łądek-Zdrój that the Piolet d'Or award was granted twice - for outstanding achievements in mountaineering by the French organization Groupe de Haute Montagne and Montagne Magazine since 1992.</p> <p>The Spa House is at the center of most events taking place in Łądek-Zdrój.</p>

