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**AS PART OF THE EUROPEAN HERITAGE DAYS, MY EUROPEAN CITY NETWORK IS LAUNCHING A NEW COMPETITION FOR NON-PROFESSIONAL ARTISTS FROM THE NETWORK'S CITIES. THE AIM IS TO FIND AN ARTISTIC WAY OF PRESENTING A EUROPEAN VISION OF YOUR OWN CITY IN A VISUAL FORM WHICH CAN INCLUDE POETIC SIDE.**

## MY EUROPEAN CITY VISUAL ART COMPETITION

We invite you to use your imagination and draw, paint or sketch a picture that embodies the europeanness of your city. A specific place, a personal European experience, a cultural sharing, a urban development; industrial, economical, social..real or futuristic... Everywhere in Europe, there are surprising examples of European areas, stories, histories, shared experiences, projects and anecdotes. Select, create or invent one that inspires you in your city and transform it in your own piece of art.

Look around you, Europe is everywhere, as a part of your city's heritage, culture, history... How do you see or imagine it? How are you inspired by what you feel? How will you show it to others? Feel free to present your own vision of your european city incorporating visual and poetic aspects to your creation.

## COMPETITION RULES

Take your paintbrush, your pencil, your quill, your graphic tablet...and all your creativity, and look for the ideal project.

- Each participant can enter one only creation (draw, comics strip, painting, graff...) with its title.
- Participants will retain ownership and copyright of their creation, however by entering the competition, you automatically give permission and the right to MyEuropean City to use your work at any time for their own purposes and those of the network.
- Mandatory size: jpeg
- Please provide a title for your work. Understandable by everyone, this title is a key to support the European and poetic vision of your creation. Be creative about it, use all disposal tools, symbols, graphic effects, English language...
- Please add your name and contact details onto your entry and return it to us before the 10th of October to: [contact@myeuropeancity.eu](mailto:contact@myeuropeancity.eu)
- Make sure that you have read the conditions and agree with the competition rules.
  
- Each entry will be posted onto our website ([www.myeuropeancity.eu](http://www.myeuropeancity.eu))
- The public can vote via our website and social networks for their favorite work. The work will also be judged by a panel from My European City Network.
- The overall winner will take a part in a artistic meeting during forthcoming event in a country partner of the network.
- 2 runners-up will receive prizes and gifts from the European partners.

## COMPETITION INFORMATION

### HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?

Online and free competition open to adults 18 plus only, residents living in one of the Network's Cities (Entries will not be accepted from professional artists).

Participants must be from one of the network's cities: Arad, Belgrade, Berlin, Jelgava Local Municipality, Nottingham, Region Pays de la Loire, Szczecin.

### SAVE THE DATE!

Official launch September the 10th.

Deadline to enter the competition is October the 10th at midnight.

The judging panel of My European City will meet between the 12th and the 13th of October.

The winners will be notified by e-mail after October 17th.

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