



Grants awarded in 2005

Organization: **Balkan YouthLink**
Country: Albania
Amount: Euro 7,000 Total Budget: 78,406
Project: **O2 Radio: The Independent Voice of Albania**
ECF supports the pilot phase of this community-based, self-sustaining radio station, which provides unbiased news coverage, commentaries, educational and cultural programming. O2 aims to encourage dialogue and public debate by promoting a democratic, educated and culturally aware civil society in Albania. <http://www.mjaft.org>

Organization: **Documentation & Communication Center for Regional Music**
Country: Albania
Amount: Euro 6,000 Total Budget: 30,047
Project: **Networking in-to Europe; Workshop for directors of Music Festivals in South-East Europe**
Meeting and workshop involving directors of local, regional and European music festivals to take place in Tirana during the 6th Meeting of the Balkan Music Information Network(BMIN). The aim is to create a platform of exchange between Music festivals in the Balkans and Europe.

Organization: **Eurozine – Verein zur Vernetzung von Kulturmedien**
Country: Austria
Amount: Euro 25 000
Project: **Eurozine**
Grant awarded in support of Eurozine's next pan European meeting of Cultural Journals (this time in Istanbul) which aims to foster a public space for discussion and debate on cultural, aesthetic, philosophical and political issues. Five focal point texts with special relevance to current European debates will also be commissioned.
<http://www.eurozine.com/>

Organization: **Free Radio Vienna**
Country: Austria
Amount: Euro 12,000 Total Budget: 199,940
Project: **radio.territories - Artistic Approaches towards Radio and Public Space**
A three day conference on media interventions and urban development in Vienna. This initiative is led by a group of community radios and media art institutions in central Europe who are promoting interdisciplinary approaches which fuse new radio art, intervention in public space and media practice across sectors. <http://www.o94.at>

Organization: **Cie 13**
Country: Belgium
Amount: Euro 10 000
Project: **Treadmarks: The Diaspora Project**
Platform for hip hop (including public workshops and performances) with a focus on two local communities in Brussels and Tallinn. The project examines how hip hop expresses issues of fragmentation and displacements in today's society. <http://www.cie13.be>

Organization: **Het Muziek Lod**
Country: Belgium
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 32,690
Project: **Europa**
Research and development of a transnational theatre production which explores European history of the 20th century by tapping into the memory of those who have lived through it. Artists, historians, philosophers and socialists will pass on their testimonies through performances. <http://www.hetmuzieklod.be>

Organization: **IETM**
Country: Belgium
Amount: Euro 21,100 Total Budget: 38,000
Project: **Balkan Express**
A platform for organizations and individuals whose aim is to promote and encourage cooperation in the field of contemporary performing arts in and with the Balkans, addressing the lack of information and communication between young professionals in the region.
<http://www.ietm.org> ECF supports the internships and caravan visits for artists and cultural operators within the region.

Organization: **Gulliver Clearing House Foundation**
Country: Bulgaria
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **The Invisible Minorities**
A mixture of theoretical enquiry and artistic approaches to increase knowledge and acceptance of new minorities in Bulgarian society (eg. Chinese, Kurd, Arab, Russian, Vietnamese communities). Results will include short films made by new minorities, public discussion and debate. <http://www.redhouse-sofia.org>

Organization: **Next Page Foundation**
Country: Bulgaria
Amount: Euro 14,360 Total Budget: 54,570
Project: **Our Stories**
Reading performances and other creative reading/writing activities, involving Roma children from Bulgaria, Macedonia, Romania and Serbia and Montenegro who will participate in producing four books on contemporary topics related to Roma life. The aim is to support processes for social inclusion of Roma people and develop new creative approaches for Romani children books production and promotion.
<http://www.npage.org/en>

Organization: **Display**
Country: Czech Republic
Amount: Euro 14,000 Total Budget: 67,200
Project: **¿Criticize Now!**
International series of exhibitions, discussions and publications in Prague featuring a strong range of politically engaged European artists. The aim of the project is to strengthen the contemporary art scene in the Czech Republic and to establish a network of local and international artists and projects. <http://www.display.cz>

Organization: **Association of NGO's Clubture**
Country: Croatia
Amount: Euro 25 000
Project: **Kultura Aktiva**
Intensive advocacy training and capacity building programme for the independent sector in regions of Croatia beyond the capital of Zagreb. <http://www.clubture.org>

Organization: **Drugo More**
Country: Croatia
Amount: Euro 20 000
Project: **SEAS Rijeka**
Interdisciplinary performing arts initiative and cityscape conference addressing the role of Culture in urban renewal. Events will take place in an ex paper mill with the aim of establishing this as a flexible and permanent space for culture in Rieja. <http://www.drugo-more.hr/>

Organization: **What, How and for Whom / WHW**
Country: Croatia
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **Collective Creativity**
Interdisciplinary, cross-sector investigation of contemporary art practice in east and west via collaboration between an eastern European ngo, a western institution, corporate arts program and independent collective. ECF supports an archive of texts and comments on collective practices and follow-up exhibitions in Zagreb.

Organization: **Studio Emad Eddin Foundation**
Country: Egypt
Amount: Euro 25,000 Total Budget: 188,400
Project: **Othello, or once upon a time in the west, a multidisciplinary theatre performance.**
A contemporary, Euro Mediterranean interpretation of Shakespeare's 'Othello' performed by a mixed cast of European and Egyptian actors/actresses, addressing the complex reality of a mixed marriage (Arab husband/Western wife). This reflection on the current world-wide concern with the Clash of Cultures, especially between North and South, is directed by a theatremaker from Egypt who works with partners in Sweden, Germany and Switzerland. <http://www.seefoundation.org>

Organization: **Townhouse Gallery of contemporary art**
Country: Egypt
Amount: Euro 20,000 Total Budget: 49,162
Project: **Open Studio Project 2006**

Two-week international residency and intercultural exploration in Cairo where 20 artists from various countries, working creatively with sound, are invited to explore innovative ways of articulating and engaging their relationships to each other through an open studio platform. <http://www.thetownhousegallery.com>

Organization: **Artfactories**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 7 000
Project: **Methods and practices: art for social transformation in Europe**

Collaborative research, call for papers and workshop which aim to broaden the scope of evaluations and understandings of contemporary art in the process of social change. <http://www.artfactories.net>

Organization: **Association Babel International**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 28,800 Total Budget: 92,300
Project: **Café Therapy: Only debate can beat fear**

A series of 12 intercultural debates and group sessions (in Berlin, London, Rome, Paris, Amsterdam and Brussels) which will tackle the fears currently dominating our societies eg. fears of globalization, unemployment, immigration, loss of identity. The Results will be a publication of 7 online dossiers analyzing these fears in different respects. <http://www.cafebabel.com>

Organization: **Elshopo**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **Seriall**

Mobile silkscreening printing workshop to address notion of European identity through different approaches to graphic imagery in central and Eastern Europe realized during a truck journey through old and new EU countries. <http://www.elshopo.com>

Organization: **Jeunesse des Démocrates Marocains à l'Étranger**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 36,340
Project: **Quel partenariat entre l'Europe et le Maghreb?**

Networking meeting for young people from Malta, France, Spain, Belgium, Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia and Italy to examine what kind of partnerships are possible between Europe and North Africa. Results should include concrete plans for spin off cultural collaborations and exchanges amongst participating groups. www.jdme.org

Organization: **Khiasma Sud**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 8 000
Project: **Limitrophes**
Series of short stories and scenarios which give a voice to asylum seekers and migrant communities in Europe. Related thematic events will question how policymakers are constructing the Europe of tomorrow. www.khiasma.net

Organization: **NISI MASA**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 7 000
Project: **Jeunes fictions algériennes**
Film scenario workshops for young Algerians who will work with European filmmakers online and then at the Rencontres Cinématographiques de Bejaïa. 6 new short film scripts will be realised. <http://www.nisimasa.com>

Organization: **Pépinières européennes pour jeunes artistes**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 15 000
Project: **Map XXL**
The broadening of Pépinières' MAP programme in support of mobility of young artists and development of new hosting creative centers to include Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro, Cyprus, Estonia, Hungary, Poland, Lithuania, Slovakia and Slovenia. <http://www.art4eu.net>

Organization: **roARaTorio**
Country: France
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 358,655
Project: **Rencontres internationales Pars/Berlin**
A Pan-European network which organizes a film and video festival in Paris and Berlin gathering works by emerging artists and directors. During the event 250 unreleased works will be presented from 70 countries creating a platform for intercultural exchange and networks. ECF supports participating artists from new EU member states and beyond EU borders. <http://www.art-action.org>

Organization: **Buero fuer Off Theater**
Country: Germany
Amount: Euro 14,780 Total Budget: 25,880
Project: **East End / Media Art and Performance Exhibition**
Twelve media art performances from the Ukraine, Russia, Romania and Germany will be presented in Balaklava (Ukraine) where academics will research the references between the projects and the abundant history of the city. The aim of the project is to reinforce the inner working structure of the Ukrainian media art scene and strengthen cross-border collaboration. <http://www.bfot.de>

Organization: **European Cultural Parliament**
Country: Germany
Amount: Euro 7,000 Total Budget: 146,000
Project: **5th Session of the European Cultural Parliament**
Congress bringing together 110 artists and cultural personalities from over 40 European countries to exchange views on how culture can promote European cohesion. The aim of the meeting is to give independent artists a European platform and to strengthen European integration and cooperation process. ECF will support artists coming from the new EU countries and beyond. <http://www.kulturparlament.com>

Organization: **Public Art Lab**
Country: Germany
Amount: Euro 15,000 Total Budget: 311,498
Project: **Mobile Studios – a nomadic platform / Sofia, Belgrade, Budapest, Bratislava, Gdansk**
Nomadic platform of three mobile studios travelling to Sofia, Belgrade, Budapest, Bratislava and Gdansk. Public Art Lab aims to stimulate an open dialogue between cultural operators and the audience through exhibitions, interventions, installations, an urban archive, lobby and public studio space. <http://www.mobile-museums.com>

Organization: **UQBAR ev (Society of Representation Research)**
Country: Germany
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **How to do things? In the Middle of (no)where**
Colloquium, workshop and series of short residencies that serves as an exploration of intercultural competence with artists and cultural producers from the “imaginary” central Europe (including Moldova, Belarus, Ukraine and Lithuania).

Organization: **documenta GmbH**
Country: Germany
Amount: Euro 10 000
Project: **documenta 12 magazine**
Support for the documenta 12 magazines activities.
www.documenta12.de

Organization: **Central European University Foundation (Center for Arts and Culture)**
Country: Hungary
Amount: Euro 9,000 Total Budget: 23,000
Project: **Sustainability and Contemporary Art**

International symposium held in Budapest to propose a creative response to global ecological challenges through arts involving socially engaged artists, environmental activists and ecology theorists coming from Central and Eastern Europe.

<http://www.cac.ceu.hu>

Organization: **ARCI N.A. Comitato Provinciale di Modena**
Country: Italy
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 28,870
Project: **MEDITERRANEAN BRIDGES. Music exchanges of cultures between Bosnian, Spanish and Italian bands**

Small scale initiative bringing together four unsigned bands from Italy, Spain and Bosnia in Mostar, to create original contemporary music based on different cultural traditions.

<http://www.arcimodena.org>

Organization: **Fondazione Adriano Olivetti**
Country: Italy
Amount: Euro 8 000
Project: **Trans:it Moving Culture through Europe**
Final event, book and exhibition which will present and summarize the results of this three part curatorial research project which examines art projects relating to public space, communities, ownership and identity from a geocultural perspective.

<http://www.fondazioneadrianolivetti.it/olivettiingl/novita.htm>

Organization: **Sconfinando**
Country: Italy
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **Translating Space**
Participatory exploration and re-translation of urban space as site for cultural negotiation and transformation. Walking and hospitality in Rome is the backdrop for an exploration of spatial practice involving arts practitioners and different local groups.

Organization: **The National Sculpture Factory**
Country: Ireland
Amount: Euro 14 000 + Euro 7,000
Project: **Cork Caucus + publication**
Artistic research, local grassroots development and international workshop which tackles socio-political issues through art and interdisciplinary activities in Cork's European capital of culture programme www.nationalsculpturefactory.com

Organization: **Zico House**
Country: Lebanon
Amount: Euro 6 010
Project: **Mapping of Street Arts in Central Europe**
To contribute to the long-term development and scope of Beirut's Street Festival, which has been trying since 2002 to present the best in the arts of the street from Europe, from Arab countries and from Lebanon. The project tries to locate interesting street companies in Poland, Croatia and Serbia to present in Beirut's Street Festival.
www.zicohouse.org

Organization: **The Borderland Foundation**

Country: Poland

Amount: Euro 20 000

Project: **The Bosnian Triptych**

Theatrical workshop for children, literary café and symposium to present a critical analysis of Europe's intercultural competence and the challenges of multiculturalism against the symbolic backdrop of Bosnia. ECF supports the New Agora symposium in Iłidza for artists and intellectuals who will write a manifesto aimed towards younger generation of Europeans. <http://www.pogranicze.sejny.pl>

Organization: **Dutch Federation of Artists**

Country: The Netherlands

Amount: Euro 7 500

Project: **A Portrait of the Artist in Europe in 2015 – Artists explore the cultural future of Europe**

Wide reaching platform of meetings and workshops for arts practitioners to foster cultural collaboration between the enlarged EU and along the European borders. The focus here is the Caucasus region. <http://www.fvkv.nl>

Organization: **Transnational Institute**

Country: The Netherlands

Amount: Euro 15 000

Project: **Eurotopia Magazine Supplement**

Experimental socio-political magazine presented as an open platform for debate on the construction of Europe, its policies and role in the world. To be produced and distributed as supplement by seven European magazines. <http://www.tni.org>

Organization: **Stichting Videoletters**

Country: The Netherlands

Amount: Euro 18 000

Project: **Videoletters**

Online communication and training platform which serves as a follow-up to this creative, participatory media project in which young people from former Yugoslavia were encouraged by professional facilitators to create their own "video letters." Results include a televised 20 part series. <http://www.videoletters.net>

Organization: **Stichting Taleb Cherche Midi**

Country: The Netherlands

Amount: Euro 9 000

Project: **Media Art Workshop 2nd edition**

Euro-Mediterranean video art workshop

www.videokaravaan.org

Organization: **Partner & Verbij Tekstproducties**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 10 000
Project: **The cultural Integration Process in Central Europe:
The life of multinational East-West families**
The publication of a non-fiction book, consisting of 'family saga's' from Latvia, Lithuania, Germany, Poland, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia, Austria and Romania.

Organization: **Center for Educational Innovation**
Country: Moldova
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 37,100
Project: **TRICOU**
The creation of a bilingual (Russian and Romanian) youth newsletter written by high school students in Moldova on topics such as culture, ethnicity, social environment. The aim of Tricou is to empower youngsters to participate in media and to improve communication between youth of different ethnicities, from different cities in Moldova.

Organization: **European League of Institutes of the Arts**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 25,000 Total Budget: 55,000
Project: **Innovation Arts and Culture symposium**
Research based on six case studies exploring links between artistic traditions/skills and innovative practice. A video compilation, symposium and brochure will facilitate a sharing of good practice amongst higher arts education institutes with local communities and professional organizations. <http://www.elia-artschools.org>

Organization: **Foundation Be-wonder**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 25,000 Total Budget: 107,000
Project: **Hidden Trees**
Oral history telling project in which a small group of artists will search for forgotten memories of the oldest generations in seven different places in Europe by interviewing them, recording a video document about their stories and organizing theatrical events to share their narratives with the public. <http://www.be-wonder.nl>

Organization: **International Foundation Manifesta**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 25,500 Total Budget: 91,200
Project: **'Notes for the Art School, Pro-positioning a Manifesta 6 School project'**
A Book and Manifesta "Coffe Break" meeting serve as the theoretical framework for the development of an experimental art school in Nicosia (autumn 2006), tackling new models for education accompanied by residencies and site specific exhibitions which could contribute to the strengthening of the cultural sector in southern Europe/Middle East. <http://www.manifesta.nl>

Organization: **Yo! International Youth Opera Festival**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 15 000
Project: **Yo!– Community Opera**
Case study for cross-sector collaboration between a local bus company, amateur singers, opera professionals, residents and school children resulting in six bus operas and neighbourhood projects. This experience will be shared in the YO! working conference to be held during the festival http://www.yo-festival.nl/frame/frameyo_1.htm

Organization: **Vereniging van Onderzoeksjournalisten (VVOJ)**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 9 500
Project: **Global Investigative Journalism Conference 2005**
Conference to stimulate international exchange of knowledge and networking among hundreds of professional journalists from Europe and across the world.
www.vvoj.nl

Organization: **Alcantara**
Country: Portugal
Amount: Euro 22,400 Total Budget: 105,900
Project: **Close Encounters**
Meetings and residencies (in Lisbon and Rio de Janeiro) where twelve artists and theoreticians coming from Europe and beyond will work together on a project around themes of cultural difference, cultural 'translation'/ 'negotiation' and the creation of art in different cultural contexts. <http://www.alkantara.pt>

Organization: **DBM – Danse Bassin Méditerranée**
Country: Portugal
Amount: Euro 25,000 Total Budget: 51,000
Project: **DBM Network – mapping and mobility**
To strengthen its impact after several years of operation within the Mediterranean, DBM will focus on restructuring and redefining its network. Research and a meeting will form part of this process developed for professionals who have an active role in the development of contemporary dance in the Mediterranean. <http://www.dbmed.org>

Organization: **Artphoto**
Country: Romania
Amount: Euro 18,000 Total Budget: 146,200
Project: **[artphoto] image.festival – GOING PUBLIC**
A mobile and open platform event in Bucharest which is part of the artphoto image festival - the first and only international contemporary art festival in Romania. The theme "Resistance in daily life" will be developed through conferences, workshops, film screenings, installations and art works involving the public actively.
<http://www.artphoto.ro>

Organization: **Asociatia Vector**
Country: Romania
Amount: Euro 18 000
Project: **Periferic 7 – Internationale Biennial for Contemporary Art**

Contemporary platform for long-term collaboration between artists in Romania and around eastern borders of the enlarged EU. Results will include systematic mapping and networking, an exhibition, workshops and conferences to support the professional artistic creation of the new generation of artists from Romania, Moldova and Ukraine.

<http://www.periferic.org>

Organization: **CONCEPT Foundation**
Country: Romania
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 22,300
Project: **InformAction Culture**

5-day international drama and education training for people working with and for Roma youngsters from Romania, Hungary, Italy and Slovakia. Results will include a methodological Guide and CD to teach others how to work, in formal and non-formal education, with Roma youngsters. <http://www.concept.ro>

Organization: **ECUMEST Association**
Country: Romania
Amount: Euro 15,000 Total Budget: 20,220
Project: **The role of cultural diplomacy in the integration process – an Eastern European perspective. Building the knowledge base**

A mapping of the current institutional structure, functioning, and policy of foreign cultural diplomacy and cultural cooperation agencies in the CEE countries. Comparative information and analysis will look at how specific policies can be designed in relation to EU integration objectives. <http://www.ecumest.ro>

Organization: **Objective Reality Foundation**
Country: Russia
Amount: Euro 15,000 Total Budget: 104,500
Project: **15 Republics in 15 Years since the Fall of the Soviet Union / A New Place to Live**

Regional collaboration through photography, video, oral history and writing, documenting the current state of 15 former soviet republics after the fall of the Soviet. The project aims to improve cultural communication between former soviet republics (CIS and Baltic states) whilst also raising awareness in Western Europe and beyond.

<http://www.photographer.ru/or>

Organization: **Open Cultural Foundation**
Country: Serbia-Montenegro
Amount: Euro 14,000 Total Budget: 38,760
Project: **Review within Review / Round Table – subproject**

Literary readings, meetings of editors, lectures and promotions of published editions which aim to interconnect the work and experience of Central and Eastern European literary and cultural reviews and to establish a dynamic dialogue between writers and publishers from former Yugoslavia, Central Europe and neighboring countries.

<http://www.okf-cetinje.org>

Organization: **SKENA UP**
Country: Serbia-Montenegro
Amount: Euro 8,000 Total Budget: 61,800
Project: **SKENA UP International Students Film Theatre Festival**

Lectures, workshops, round-tables and discussions bringing together European students and film/theater experts during the Film Theatre Festival in Prishtina (Kosovo).

<http://www.skenaup.com>

Organization: **City TV Foundation**
Country: Slovakia
Amount: Euro 18 000
Project: **11th International Festival of Local Broadcasters and Training of Local Television Braodcasters**

Wide-reaching training initiative and meeting point for professionals involved in local television from central, Eastern Europe and further afield. <http://www.festival.sk>

Organization: **Art Centre**
Country: Slovenia
Amount: Euro 16 000
Project: **Gibanica**

Program of short residencies and presentations in rural communities in Prekmurje, one of the poorest regions of Slovenia. Local inhabitants will be involved in the creative process with European artists who will present exhibitions and performances in the villages.

<http://www.artcenter-slovenia.org>

Organization: **Bunker Productions**
Country: Slovenia
Amount: Euro 24,000 Total Budget: 73,000
Project: **What we do when the petrol is out?**

Lectures, seminars and practical workshops in which researchers, artists, city planners, environmentalists and energy specialists from Ljubljana, Prague, Velenje and Rijeka will search for mutual links between innovative arts, energy resources and urban planning.

<http://www.bunkerproductions.org>

Organization: **KUD Pozitiv**
Country: Slovenia
Amount: Euro 15 000
Project: **Petrovaradin Tribe 05**

Intercultural video workshops and film production against the backdrop of the legendary EXIT rock music festival involving young artists from Ljubljana, Novi Sad, Bulgaria, Romania, Greece and Hungary. This context is used to explore the newly established bonds and energies of the younger generation in former Yugoslavia. <http://www.dic-li.com/pozitiv>

Organization: Slovene Festival Association (in collaboration with EFA)
Country: Slovenia
Amount: Euro 6 450
Project: **European Festivals Research Project (EFRP)**

Comprehensive, mid term interdisciplinary research that aims to study the dynamic, impact and transformation of festivals in Europe and deliver in 2007 some conclusions, trends and recommendations to festival operators, sponsors and public financiers. This grant supports involvement of 8 researchers from Central and Eastern Europe.

Organization: **Consonni**
Country: Spain
Amount: Euro 18 000
Project: **Biopark**

Intercultural art initiative which invites 19 artists to produce works in response to the post industrial context of an abandoned theme park built in the 1980s in Bilbao. <http://www.consonni.org/ingles/index.html>

Organization: **EL TEATRO**
Country: Tunisia
Amount: Euro 9,000
Project: **Femmes en création :
Propos de Femmes Artistes et Intellectuelles pour une
alternative de paix juste dans les pays arabes en
conflit armé**

Regional meeting for women of all ages who are professionally engaged in arts and culture from across the Mediterranean. Activities include debates with a mixed public, cultural management workshops, performances and exhibitions. www.elteatro.net

Organization: **Contemporary Dance Artists Association**
Country: Turkey
Amount: Euro 11,000 Total Budget: 57,670
Project: **Hareket! (Movement!)**

Platform for performances, transfer of skills, ideas and experiences amongst professional dancers, teachers, choreographers and non professional young dancers from Turkey and other parts of Europe. Hareket aims to create a space for intercultural learning within the performing arts. ECF supports the workshop series.

<http://www.catidans.org>

Organization: **European Cultural Association**
Country: Turkey
Amount: Euro 15,000 Total Budget: 20,150
Project: **Cultural Management Programme 2**
Capacity building for cultural operators in Turkey where Turkish and European experts will give training to group of 30-50 cultural managers who were involved in the first series of the programme in 2005. A reference document for other cultural managers in Turkey will be produced. <http://www.europist.net/akd>

Organization: **Opera Circus**
Country: United Kingdom
Amount: Euro 25 000
Project: **The Sevdah Folk Opera**
Collaborative music theatre project that fuses traditional Sevdah music from Bosnia with the operatic voice and contemporary music from Bosnia and the UK.
<http://www.operacircus.co.uk>

Organization: **Serious Events Limited**
Country: United Kingdom
Amount: Euro 18 000
Project: **Moving Music – Music as a tool for exploring migration issues across borders**
Cross border Jazz workshops to explore issues of identity with young people in Seine St Denis, London and Budapest. Results will include performances and models of good practice for education work in music <http://www.serious.org.uk>

Organization: **Media Diversity Institute**
Country: United Kingdom
Amount: Euro 8 000
Project: **Beyond politics – beyond conflict – finding common ground through cultural exchange in Israel**
This project seeks to use cultural exploration as a means of bringing together Arab and Jewish communities in Israel. By working together to create a newspaper supplement young Arabs and Jews (journalism students in faculties in Israel) will demonstrate how shared elements of culture, and positive engagement with difference / diversity can be the basis to create community cohesion where long-standing tensions and violent confrontation have had a detrimental effect.
www.media-diversity.org

Organization: **Somewhere**
Country: United Kingdom
Amount: Euro 6 000
Project: **Bata-ville film: Czech/English subtitling & further marketing**
Czech /English subtitling and distribution of Bata-ville's film
<http://www.commseast.org.uk/>

Organization: **Salus Charitable Foundation**
Country: Ukraine
Amount: Euro 7,000 Total Budget: 17,150
Project: **Popularization of street art activism in Ukraine**
The first street art event in the Ukraine which involves collaboration between German and Ukrainian artists, exchanging ideas and expertise on the subject to strengthen cross-border collaborations and raise community awareness towards this public art form.
<http://www.salus.org.ua>



Cultural development projects in South East Europe

Grants awarded in collaboration with HIVOS – the Dutch Humanist Institute for Co-operation with Developing Countries.

Organization: **fshatiurban/1-60 Insurgent Space**
Country: Albania
Amount: Euro 18,000 Total Budget: 36,400
Project: **1/60 Insurgent Space (2nd ed.)**
Insurgent Space aims to develop in Albania nomadic and non institutional spaces for artistic creation, audience participation and debate on issues of contemporary art and culture. Site-specific work in Tirana will be created by 36 national and international artists who will lead workshops for local art students. <http://www.1-60insurgentspace.org>

Organization: **Institute of Tirana Biennale**
Country: Albania
Amount: Euro 25 000
Project: **Tirana Biennale 3, Sweet Taboos (Sep/Oct 2005)**
International platform of residencies, exhibitions, discussions and conceptual research which reflects the fast developing contemporary art scene in Albania and reflects the Biennale's continued commitment to breaking the region's previous cultural isolation of 45 years. <http://www.tiranabiennale.org>

Organization: **Laborator I Komunikimit**
Country: Albania
Amount: Euro 10 000
Project: **Tirana – Prishtina 385 km**
Artistic interventions organized to establish an alternative network of field-research-and-intervention in the territory connecting tirana and prishtina. Videos, posters and postcards will be produced with local collaborators in response to abandoned sites which symbolise the conflict of recent years.

Organization: **MIFOC (Mostar Intercultural Festival Organizing Committee)**
Country: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Amount: Euro 7 000
Project: **9th Edition of Mostar Intercultural Festival - MIF**
Intercultural festival in Mostar which creates a meeting point for young artists and activists from Mostar and beyond whilst supporting supporting the revival of cultural, artistic and socially engaged activities in the urban context. <http://www.mifoc.free.fr>

Organization: **ODA**
Country: Kosova
Amount: Euro 12,000 Total Budget: 75,568
Project: **ODA FOR DEMOCRATISATION II**
This project is a follow-up of ODA for Democratisation I and consists of two theatre plays, writing workshops and open debates on the topic of "citizens' involvement in decision making processes for the creation of a democratic society. Oda works to strengthen the independent cultural sector in the region. <http://www.teatrioda.com>

Organization: **Lokomotiva Centre for New Initiatives in Arts and Culture**
Country: Macedonia
Amount: Euro 13 609
Project: **Balkan Dance Platform**
Biannual regional dance platform to stimulate contemporary dance production in Macedonia, to organize exchanges as a foundation for future collaboration in the region and to consolidate Lokomotiva as regional source for organisational support in the field of arts and culture. <http://www.lokomotiva.org>

Organization: **Performing Arts Center MULTIMEDIA**
Country: Macedonia
Amount: Euro 20 000
Project: **Strengthening the Cultural Institution "Houses of Culture" in the Republic of Macedonia**
Capacity building and training for strengthening of the public cultural institutions ("Houses of Culture") developed by one of Macedonia's most active independent ngos. <http://www.multimedia.org.mkv>

Organization: **Center for Contemporary Art**
Country: Moldova
Amount: Euro 11,650 Total Budget: 16,650
Project: **.edu ("dot-edu")**
Theoretical seminars/lectures and practical workshops led by German and Russian experts for Moldovan artists working in the field of digital media. Participating artists will be able to develop new theoretical and practical skills so they have the ability to properly adapt to the newest technologies. <http://www.art.md>

Organization: **OWH TV Studio**
Country: Moldova
Amount: Euro 10,000 Total Budget: 44,340
Project: **Video Laboratory for Junior**

One-minute video workshops facilitated by media experts for 30 youngsters from Moldova, Turkey, Germany, Serbia and Montenegro, Italy, England and Romania. Each youngster will create his/her own 60-seconds lasting video and learn more about theoretical and practical facets of media. <http://www.owh.md>

Organization: **Vide**
Country: The Netherlands
Amount: Euro 15,000 Total Budget: 127,350
Project: **Elektra**

Multilateral music theatre project initiated by a Dutch dramaturg which combines ancient Greek texts, songs of Southern Albania and contemporary electro acoustic work. Elektra will take place in and involve artists from Albania, Macedonia and the Netherlands to setup a cultural dialogue between the countries involved and to produce a piece which combines contemporary and traditional music. <http://www.corrinamanara.nl>

Organization: **BAZAART**
Country: Serbia-Montenegro
Amount: Euro 15,000 Total Budget: 68,354
Project: **Myth as Destiny**

Interdisciplinary research which focuses on practical exploration of experimental working models for intercultural practice within the performing arts. Seven groups work for two years on research based art which explores new perspectives on understanding national identity through a transnational platform.

Organization: **Center for Cultural Decontamination**
Country: Serbia & Montenegro
Amount: Euro 14,750 Total Budget: 30,065
Project: **SUSPENDED ADOLESCENCE**

Research, lecture/discussion programme and a publication which will analyse how the popular or youth culture in Serbia has formed the new permanent and temporary modes of social system in this region from 1990 to present. <http://czkd.org.yu>

Organization: **Centre for Contemporary Arts – Belgrade**
Country: Serbia-Montenegro
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **The Conversation**

Exhibition and series of interactive site-specific projects developed through an intercultural collaboration which breaks new ground for public art in Belgrade. <http://www.dijafragma.com>

Organization: **REX Cultural Centre**
Country: Serbia-Montenegro
Amount: Euro 14 000
Project: **Belgrade correspondent**
Sound art presenting an outside view on Belgrade through radio shows produced by visiting artists in collaboration with local cultural operators and radio producers.
<http://www.rex.b92.net>

Organization: **Cultural Front**
Country: Serbia - Montenegro
Amount: Euro 15 000
Project: **Cross Music Information Centre**
Creation of new information tool for independent contemporary music sector in Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Macedonia, Serbia and Montenegro and Kosovo.
<http://www.kfro.org.yu>

Organization: **New Media Center- kuda.org**
Country: Serbia - Montenegro
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **Mobile Laboratory**
6 month collaboration between 3 new media organizations in Serbia, Slovenia and Bosnia to establish a sustainable platform for distribution of new media practices to wider public <http://www.kuda.org>

Organization: **Committee for Civic Initiative**
Country: Serbia - Montenegro
Amount: Euro 12 000
Project: **Cultural Needs, Habits and Taste of Citizens of Serbia and Macedonia**
Practice orientated research involving insitutions, ngos and art groups for development of innovative cultural policies in Serbia and Macedonia according to the needs of this region.<http://www.oqi.org.yu>

Organization: **nKA/ica – Independent Cultural Association, Belgrade**
Country: Serbia-Montenegro
Amount: Euro 18 875
Project: **Real Presence – Floating Sites**
Large scale international workshop, seminars and meeting point for emerging artists from the Balkan region. Aim is to interconnect Serbia with other areas of Europe and neighbouring countries. Final exhibitions will be presented in Belgrade and at the Venice Biennale.