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FOREWORD

2016 is marked by the unprecedented expansion of the UNESCO Creative Cities Network. Indeed, in December 2015, ten years after its creation, the Network welcomed 47 new cities from 33 different countries, bringing the total number of member cities to 116, in 54 countries. With 22 cities from countries not previously represented, the Network has reached a critical size bearing witness to an enhanced diversity and geographical representation.

2016 is also a key year for the launch of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development that will guide the strategies and priorities of inclusive economic growth, social cohesion, environmental sustainability, security and peace. Cities are expected to play a key role in the United Nations global development framework, which includes a specific goal intended to “make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable”, with a focus on culture and creativity, among the key areas of action. The Creative Cities Network is a crucial partner for UNESCO to demonstrate the power of culture and creativity for sustainable development.

By strengthening cooperation with and among cities that have recognized creativity as a strategic factor for sustainable development, the UNESCO Creative Cities Network clearly has a strategic role to play in the advocacy, implementation and follow-up of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. In order to be successful, the agenda has to be placed at the local level and stress the critical role of local governments, the diversity of local stakeholders, and the need to invest in capacities and resources at the local level for more ownership, monitoring and accountability. Moreover, cultural values, creative assets and culturally-sensitive approaches are crucial to facilitate and foster the economic, social, cultural and environmental aspects of sustainable development.

The UNESCO Creative Cities are the avant-garde of this novel approach to redefining development strategies centered on culture and creativity, through their commitment to developing concrete policies and measures, innovative inter-city partnerships and participatory processes involving the public and private sector and civil society. In line with UNESCO’s priorities and goals, member cities demonstrate how creativity can be both an enabler and a driver for sustainable and inclusive growth, social cohesion, well-being, gender equality, environmental sustainability, and human-centered urbanization.

Developed thanks to the generous support of the Municipality of Beijing, designated UNESCO Creative City of Design in 2012, this communication support spotlights the current members of the Network, featuring a short description of each city as well as their added value to the Network. Other communication materials, including a new website, are also being produced to more effectively showcase the Network’s achievements and future development potential. By offering an overview of the Creative Cities’ assets, activities, experiences and visions, this booklet is also intended to serve as a tool for further engagement and cooperation between member cities, while allowing candidate cities to gain valuable insights into the Network’s goals and actions.

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2016 年对于联合国教科文组织创意城市网络来说是前所未有地扩大其规模的一年。2015 年 12 月，在其创立的第十个年头，创意城市网络迎来了来自于 33 个国家的 47 个新成员城市，从而使成员总数达到了 54 个国家的 116 个城市。来自于新加入网络的国家的 22 个新成员城市使得网络达到了关键性规模，也见证了其日益壮大的多样性和地域代表性。

2016 年也是启动实施“2030 年可持续发展议程”的关键之年，它将为包容性经济增长、社会和谐、环境可持续性、安全与和平方面的相关政策和优先事项的制定提供指引。城市将在联合国的全球发展框架中发挥关键作用，其中一项具体目标便是“让城市和人类定居地变得更包容、安全、有活力和可持续”，而文化和创意将成为关键行动领域中的重点。创意城市网络将作为联合国教科文组织的关键合作伙伴，以展示文化和创意对于可持续发展的推动力量。

通过加强与拥有创意为可持续发展战略因素的城市的合作以及促进这些城市之间的合作，联合国教科文组织创意城市网络对于“2030 年可持续发展议程”的推动、实施和跟进发挥着战略性作用。为取得成功，议程中必须确认并强调地方政府的关键作用。地方利益相关者的多样性，以及在地方层面对能力与资源进行投资的必要性，以便更加有效地掌控、监测和明确责任。此外，文化价值、创意资产以及注重文化的理念对促进城市在经济、社会、文化和环境方面催生可持续发展起着至关重要的作用。

通过承诺制定具体政策和措施，建立创新城市间合作关系，以及创建包含公私部门与民间社团的参与性进程，联合国教科文组织创意城市是尝试重新定义以文化和创意为核心的发展战略途径中的先锋。成员城市展示了创意是可持续性与包容性增长、社会和谐与福祉、性别平等、环境可持续性，以及以人为本的城市化进程的实现者和推动者，这与联合国教科文组织的优先事项和目标相辅相成。

得益于 2012 年成为联合国教科文组织创意城市设计之都的北京市市政府的慷慨支持，本宣传材料通过对每个城市的简介及其对网络所做出的贡献的介绍，重点展示了创意城市网络的现有成员，包括新网站在内的其他宣传材料也正在制作中，以便更加有效地展示该网络所取得的成就及其未来的发展潜力。通过展示创意城市的资源、活动、经验和愿景，我们希望本手册不仅服务于成员城市间更进一步地投入与合作，同时帮助候选城市更好地了解该网络的目标与行动。

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The resolution of “Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development” approved by the United Nations General Assembly in September 2015, for the first time at the global level, acknowledges the key role of culture, creativity and cultural diversity to solving sustainable development challenges.

Applicable to every country, city and person, over the next fifteen years, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) will guide all efforts by the international community and each country to end all forms of poverty. In the wake of recent rapid and massive urbanization trends, cities more than ever drive national, regional and global economies, induce green growth and economies, engender livable societies and shape our world with their culture, diversity, creativity and their innovative and standard-setting forces.

Culture represents a source of innovation and creativity. Creativity is a major driver of the creative economy where Cultural and Creative Industries (CCI) have become powerful engines of green economic growth, income generation and employment, with knowledge as a prime mover. The report “Cultural Times - the First Global Map of Cultural and Creative Industries” unveiled by UNESCO, the International Confederation of Societies of Authors and Composers and EY in December 2015, demonstrated that in 2013 CCI generated US$ 2.250 billion in revenues, equating to 3% of world GDP, and 29.5 million jobs (1% of the world’s active population), making US$200bn contribution to global digital sales. Besides, CCI promote the overall creativity of societies, contribute to achieve people-centered, inclusive and sustainable development.

Therefore, network of creativity at the high level of urban governance is particularly valuable in light of the unanimous international commitment to implement the 17 goals of the SDGs. We are respectful for UNESCO to create such a far-sighted project - the UNESCO Creative Cities Network (UCCN), and thankful that Beijing was designated as Creative City of Design. We are glad to support UNESCO to make the first UCCN booklet and wish it will help enhance worldwide visibility of our UCCN.

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2015年9月，联合国大会决议通过《变革我们的世界：2030年可持续发展议程》，首次在全球层面承认了文化、创意、文化多样性对于解决可持续发展所面临的挑战的关键性作用。

《2030年可持续发展议程》的17项可持续发展目标（SDGs）适用于每个国家、城市和个人，接下来的十五年将引导国际社会和各国采取各种措施努力解决所有形式的贫困。在目前快速和大规模的城市化浪潮中，城市比任何时候都更能推动国家、地区和全球经济发展，引发绿色增长和经济，营造宜商社会，运用其文化、多元性、创意、创新和标准制定能力塑造我们的世界。

文化是创新创意的源泉，创意是创意经济的主要推动力，文化创意产业已经成为经济绿色增长、创造收入和就业的强大引擎。2015年12月联合国教科文组织、国际作家与作曲家联合会和安永会计师事务所共同发布的《文化时代——第一张文化创意产业全球地图》指出，2013年文化创意产业平均创造产值2.25万亿美元，占全球GDP的3%，雇佣2950万员工（占全世界工作人口的1%），对全球数码经济贡献约2000亿美元。此外，文化创意产业有利于提升全社会的创造力，推动以人为本的、包容的可持续发展。

因此，创意领域城市治理的高级别网络对于达成国际共识，落实可持续发展目标十分宝贵。我们对教科文组织于2004年创立了联合国教科文组织创意城市网络这一富有远见的项目表示敬意，再次感谢授予北京该网络“设计之都”的称号，我们很高兴支持制作首本《联合国教科文组织创意城市网络》宣传册，希望它进一步提升网络的知名度。

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北京设计之都协调推进委员会办公室主任
2016年5月
INTRODUCTION TO THE UNESCO CREATIVE CITIES NETWORK

Context
Culture and creativity play a key role in sustainable urban development. They contribute to diversifying the economy and generating jobs but they also enhance the quality of life of citizens by contributing to a city’s social fabric and cultural diversity, and help define shared identities. Similarly, by boosting cultural participation and by generating or reviving public living spaces, creativity also becomes a driver of inclusion and well-being.

Cities are at the heart of these development processes based on the potential of culture and creativity. Today, more than half of the world’s population live in urban areas and three quarters of economic activity is concentrated here, including a large share of the creative economy. Urban areas are vital spaces for growth, innovation and inter-cultural dialogue. But they also face common challenges: constant redefinition and innovative strategies are needed in view of the 21st century’s upheavals such as economic crises, environmental issues, growing populations and social tensions.

The UNESCO Creative Cities Network
Launched in 2004, the UNESCO Creative Cities Network (UCCN) strengthens cooperation with and among cities that have recognized creativity as a strategic factor of sustainable development on an economic, social, cultural and environmental level.

By joining the Network, cities commit to sharing best practices, developing partnerships that promote creativity and cultural industries, strengthening participation in cultural life and integrating culture in urban development plans.

Building on this commitment, the 116 member cities from 54 countries that currently form this growing network, work together towards a common mission: placing creativity and cultural industries at the core of their development plans at the local level and actively cooperating at the international level.

The UNESCO Creative Cities Network covers seven creative fields: Crafts and Folk Art, Design, Film, Gastronomy, Literature, Media Arts, and Music. While cities from the same creative field share information and collaborate intensely to develop joint partnerships, all member cities also have the possibility to peer-learn at common gatherings such as international conferences or the Network’s Annual Meeting.

Objectives
The UNESCO Creative Cities Network aims to:

- strengthen international cooperation between cities that have recognized creativity as a strategic factor of their sustainable development;
- stimulate and enhance initiatives led by member cities to make creativity an essential component of urban development, notably through partnerships involving the public and private sectors and civil society;
- strengthen the creation, production, distribution and dissemination of cultural activities, goods and services;
- develop hubs of creativity and innovation and broaden opportunities for creators and professionals in the cultural sector;
- improve access to and participation in cultural life, as well as the enjoyment of cultural goods and services, notably for marginalized or vulnerable groups and individuals;
- fully integrate culture and creativity into local development strategies and plans.

Areas of action
The objectives of the UNESCO Creative Cities Network are implemented both at the level of the member cities and at the international level, notably through the following areas of action:

- sharing experiences, knowledge and best practices;
- pilot projects, partnerships and initiatives associating the public and private sectors, and civil society;
- professional and artistic exchange programmes and networks;
- studies, research and evaluations on the experience of the Creative Cities;
- policies and measures for sustainable urban development;
- communication and awareness-raising activities.
联合国教科文组织创意城市网络介绍

背景

文化与创意在城市可持续发展中发挥着关键作用。它们不仅有利于经济多样化并且创造就业，通过对城市的社会构成和文化多样性做出贡献来提升市民的生活品质，同时有助于建立共同的身份认同。同样，通过促进文化参与，创意也成为空间，意为构建城市包容性和福祉的动力源泉。

城市是基于文化与创新的发展进程的核心。如今，全世界一半以上的人口生活在城市地区。同时，包括创意活动在内的全球四分之三的经济活动都汇集于此。城市是增长、创新和跨文化对话的重要空间。但它们也同样面临着共同的挑战：经济危机、环境冲击、人口增长和社会矛盾等 21 世纪的剧变需要我们不断地对战略重新定义和创新。

联合国教科文组织创意城市网络

创立于 2004 年的联合国教科文组织创意城市网络（UCCN）致力于与将创意视为经济、社会、文化和环境层面可持续发展的战略因素的城市合作，并且同时加强这些城市间的合作。

通过加入网络，成员城市致力于分享最佳实践，建立旨在促进文化和创意产业的合作伙伴关系，加强对文化生活的参与，并且将文化纳入城市发展规划之中。

基于这一承诺，来自 54 个国家的 116 个成员城市构成了这一不断扩展的网络。其共同使命是将创意和文化产业置于地区发展规划的核心，同时积极开展国际合作。

联合国教科文组织创意城市网络涵盖手工艺与民间艺术、设计、电影、美食、文学、媒体艺术和音乐七个领域。同一创意领域的成员城市积极分享信息并且拓展合作伙伴关系，同时全体成员城市通过各种国际会议和创意城市网络年度大会齐聚一堂，相互学习。

目标

联合国教科文组织创意城市网络的目标如下：

- 加强将创意视为可持续发展战略因素的城市间的国际合作；
- 通过经济部门和民间团体的合作伙伴关系，激发和强化成员城市引导的视创意为城市发展重要组成部分的各类举措；
- 加强文化活动、产品和服务的创建、制作、传播和宣传；
- 建立创意和创新枢纽，拓宽文化领域创作者和专业人士的机遇；
- 改善人们对文化生活的获取和参与，促进人们尤其是边缘化和弱势群体与个人对文化产品和服务的享有；
- 将文化与创意充分纳入地方发展战略和规划中。

行动领域

上述目标同时在成员城市层面以及国际层面实施，并且主要通过以下行动领域进行：

- 分享经验、知识和最佳实践；
- 与公私部门和民间团体相关联的试点项目、合作伙伴关系与倡议；
- 专业类与艺术类交流项目和网络；
- 关于创意城市经验的考察、研究和评估；
- 针对可持续发展的政策和措施；
- 传播与公众意识提升活动。
CREATIVE CITIES OF CRAFTS AND FOLK ART
Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art
创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都

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DESCRIPTION

Located in the southeast of Saudi Arabia, Al-Ahsa is one of the largest palm tree oases in the world, with an area of 379 kilometres and a population of 1.3 million inhabitants. The city has an ancient tradition of handicrafts, considered as both cultural and social practices passed on from one generation to the next. Around fifty expressions of crafts and folk art have remained throughout the city’s history and bear witness to Al-Ahsa’s scenic wealth, including textiles from palm trees, pottery, weaving and joinery.

Crafts and folk art make a considerable contribution to the city’s economic development, with growth highlighted by the 36 weekly open markets, as well as by the increase of visitors to cultural festivals. Some events, including the National Festival for Heritage and Culture Janadriya, reaches more than 68,000 visitors in total per year. Other popular festivals, such as the We all are Producers Festival, Harjer Market and the Okaz Annual Market for Innovation and Creativity, have also experienced creative success.

To continue growth in the sector, the city has implemented a specific National Project for Artisans and Handicrafts as well as a Human Resources Development Fund aimed at reshaping the crafts and folk art sector. In cooperation with the Centre for Social Development in Al-Ahsa, the Palm Centre for Crafts Industries notably emphasizes on capacity building and job creation for young women and men by training more than 450 people since its creation.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Al-Ahsa envisages:

- improving the working environment for craftsmen and craftswomen through training activities and by fostering market opportunities through the creation of a new market place dedicated to the sector;
- strengthening the role of crafts and folk art and their impact in promoting sustainable development and reducing unemployment rates, by supporting youth artisans while emphasizing on gender equality; and
- enhancing cooperation and exchanging best practices with the Creative Cities of Crafts and Folk Art.

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对网络的贡献

作为创意城市手工艺和民间艺术之都，阿尔阿萨希望：

- 改善手工艺人的工作环境，为他们开展培训活动，并为手工艺和民间艺术部门专门建造一个新的商业中心以增加市场机遇；
- 鼓励青年手工艺人并强调性别平等，由此增强手工艺和民间艺术在促进可持续发展以及降低失业率方面的作用和影响；
- 加强与其他“创意城市手工艺和民间艺术之都”的合作，并交流最佳做法。
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Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art
创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都
DESCRIPTION

Flowing through the golden desert and around emerald islands, the Nile forms the lifeline of the city of Aswan and its unique archipelago. In Ancient Egypt, Aswan, known as “Sono” meaning “the market”, was a commercial centre for convoys going to and from Nubia. Aswan was also known as the Land of Gold, given its treasured history as a cemetery for the Nubian kings who had presided over the city over thousands of years.

Aswan has remarkable heritage in crafts and folk art, creative exchange, arts education, and civil engagement. Its traditional crafts include beadwork, tablecloth production, palm branch and leaf creations, and clay and needle-work products.

Folk traditions and customs in clothing and jewelry are present at local ceremonies such as weddings, funerals and other important events. Aswan is celebrated for its more than 50 traditional folk dances that are still part of the local culture today, thanks to initiatives such as the Aswan Folk Troupe comprised of dancers and musicians who perform around the country.

To preserve and maintain these long-lasting traditions in crafts and folk art, Aswan also has several institutions such as the Aswan Museum and the Nubia Museum, which houses an anthropology department focusing on the preservation of the folk art from Aswan. The city also organizes numerous events celebrating the local culture drawing artists from around the world, such as the International Symposium of Sculpture which focuses on reviving the Egyptian art of carving on the hard stone of Aswan.

Aswan’s museums, International Symposium of Sculpture and the Aswan Folk Troupe are illustrations of the local community’s efforts to support sustainable development, mutual understanding, the fight against poverty and illiteracy through culture and creativity.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Arts, Aswan envisages:

- promoting the sustainable development of local communities;
- organizing cultural events;
- developing capacity building initiatives for artisans; and
- engaging in exchange and cooperative initiatives within the crafts field and with the UCCN as a whole.
BAMIYAN (AFGHANISTAN)
巴米扬 (阿富汗)

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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Bamiyan envisages:

- establishing the Bamiyan Cultural Centre which aims to build capacities of the local youth through training programmes and to foster the dissemination of cultural activities and expressions;
- mapping the creative industries in Bamiyan as a first step in the process of identifying the best ways of offering opportunities and facilities to the local creators;
- positioning the city as a creative hub in the field of Crafts and Folk Art, at the national and international levels; and
- enhancing cooperation and exchange with other Creative Cities of Crafts and Folk Art.

DESCRIPTION

Situated at an altitude of 2,500 meters, Bamiyan, also called the “Land of Shining Light”, is the largest city of the central region of Afghanistan. Declared as a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 2003, the cultural landscapes and archaeological remains of the city – especially of carved monumental Buddha statues – continue to testify to Bamiyan’s rich history. Known for being crossed by the ancient Silk Road, Bamiyan’s cultural assets have benefited from a diversity of cross-cultural influences and features that are particularly reflected in the field of crafts and folk art.

Bamiyan nurtures creativity and culture as key levers for urban renewal and for the improvement of social conditions, with special attention given to the involvement of women. Envisioned as a trailblazer in developing crafts and folk art, the Department of Rural Rehabilitation and Development has conducted a project through the AREZO NGO and the Afghanistan Rural Enterprise Development Programme (AREDP) on carpet weaving which largely employs women and people from vulnerable communities.

Recognized as the 2015 capital of the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC), Bamiyan asserts its commitment in collaborating on an international level, in promoting collective self-reliance and in fostering socio-cultural development. At the local level, the municipality has adopted the Bamiyan Cultural Master Plan as a central policy whose main purpose is to enhance inclusive and sustainable urban development through cultural and creative industries.

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作为创意城市手工艺和民间艺术之都，巴米扬希望：

- 建立巴米扬文化中心，以通过开展培训计划对当地青年进行能力建设，井促进文化活动和表现形式的传播；
- 盘点巴米扬的创意产业，以此作为确定为当地创作者提供机会和设施的最佳途径的第一步；
- 在国家和国际层面将该市定位为手工艺和民间艺术领域的创新中心；
- 加强与其他“创意城市手工艺和民间艺术之都”的合作与交流。

概述

巴米扬海拔高度 2500 米，有“光耀之地”的称号，是阿富汗中部地区最大的城市。2003 年，该市的文化景观和考古遗迹，尤其是其巨型雕刻佛像，被宣布为“联合国教科文组织世界遗产地”，是巴米扬丰富历史的持续见证。巴米扬因位于古代丝绸之路沿线而闻名于世，其文化财富得益于跨文化影响和特征的多样性，并且在手工艺和民间艺术领域表现得尤为明显。

巴米扬一贯注重培育创意和文化，并将其视为重建城市和改善社会环境的重要杠杆，尤其关注妇女的参与。农村复兴和发展部被视为手工艺和民间艺术领域的开拓者，通过非政府组织 AREZO 和阿富汗农村企业发展计划（AREDP）开展了一个地毯编织项目，以雇用妇女以及弱势群体成员为主。

巴米扬已被公认为 2015 年南亚区域合作联盟（SAARC）之都，并宣布将致力于在国际层面开展协作，促进群体自力更生以及推动社会文化发展。在地方层面，市政当局通过了《巴米扬文化总体规划》并将其作为一项中心政策，主要目的是通过文化和创意产业推动城市实现包容和可持续发展。
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As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Durán envisages:

- increasing the number of cultural events to foster the diversity and quality of the cultural offerings and the capacity to participate in cultural creation;
- nurturing the city's identity, history and heritage through the implementation of the projects “Memories of the Railway” and “History of frontages”, notably aimed at providing creative spaces to local artists;
- encouraging youth and people from vulnerable and disadvantaged groups to participate in the city's cultural life and to nurture social inclusion and civic awareness; and
- enhancing cooperation both at the local and the international levels by exchanging best practices with other Creative Cities of Crafts and Folk Art.

DESCRIPTION

Durán, a city of an approximate 500,000 inhabitants, is known as the “Railway Town of Ecuador” thanks to its history as the first railroad hub of the country. As the main meeting point between the highlands and the coast of Ecuador, Durán has retained its heritage through the localised exchange of cultural practices and knowledge, which has impacted several of its current forms of folk art, especially urban art. Deeply rooted in this historical legacy, the city considers culture and creativity as mediums for collective memory, urban well-being, and social cohesion.

Since 2007, the Festival Memories of the Railroad has been held annually in honour of the former railway workers of the ancient Eloy Alfaro Railroad. The event has given rise to an ongoing two-year project undertaken by the municipality called History on Frontages. This scheme gives free rein to the local artists and allows them to paint one hundred murals on house frontages illustrating the history of the city. With strong participation from the youth, the city sees urban art as a tool for civic awareness and demonstrates this by the implementation of a second initiative entitled Youth for Human Rights involving more than 150 young artists.

Through a variety of artistic forms, Durán hosts many cultural events to establish links between modern creative fields and historical customs and folk art. With the aim of sustaining the city's cultural heritage and nurturing its rich history, Cultural Nights is a flagship project supported by the municipality which showcases works by local artists. The Durán Convention Centre Luis Sánchez Borja also plays a prominent part in fostering the city's cultural life, turning this once industrial city into a lively place for creativity to thrive.

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As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Fabriano envisages:

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- developing “The new workshops of the creative city”, a training route promoted by the Merloni Foundation to help new generations of international artisans make new technologies their own;

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DESCRIPTION

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Since the 12th century, the city has been a centre of production and dynamic trade, particularly in the handicraft sector: blacksmiths, potters, weavers and master papermakers have forged its reputation. The centuries have transformed these artisans into industrial craftsmen, especially in the paper sector.

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DESCRIPTION

With a history stretching back 5,000 years, Hangzhou is one of China’s seven ancient capitals. Recently Hangzhou has undergone a process of transformation focused on upgrading the city’s secondary and tertiary industries through the development of its cultural and creative industries. Hangzhou’s rich history and culture have proven to be particularly vital in this progress, notably regarding craft industries.

The city is renowned for several handicraft traditions including silk and tea production and porcelain and bronze sculptures. Having long been the historic design, production and trade centre of Chinese silk, Hangzhou has been able to preserve this traditional craft heritage. In addition, Hangzhou is also known as China’s Tea Capital, since the city has always been one of the country’s most famous tea production areas, particularly concerning the production of the West Lake Longjing Green Tea. Furthermore, the stone carvings by the Xiling Seal Engraver’s Society are particularly noteworthy as a witness of the city’s long-lasting crafts and folk arts tradition.

Recognized by the Chinese Government as a “National Cultural and Creative Centre”, Hangzhou is in a strategic position in the country’s overall development. In 2014, the creative industries made up 17.5% of the city’s GDP, with more than 336,000 people employed in the sector.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Hangzhou envisages:

- further formulating and implementing targeted development policies intended to optimize the framework for the cultural and creative industries;
- fostering local human resources and expertise and extending exchanges within the UCCN; and
- improving the transmission, protection and innovative utilization of crafts and folk art, thereby enhancing the global competitiveness of Hangzhou’s creative industries.

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作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，杭州希望：

- 进一步制定和实施旨在优化文化创意产业框架的针对性发展政策；
- 培育当地人才和专家，扩大与联合国教科文创意城市网络的交流；
- 改进手工艺与民间艺术的传播、保护和利用创新，以提高杭州的创意产业的全球竞争力。

概述

杭州的历史可以追溯到五千年前，是中国七大古都之一。目前，杭州正处于通过发展文化创意产业来提升城市第二、三产业的转型期。事实证明，杭州丰富的历史和文化对此至关重要，并且尤其体现在手工业方面。

这座城市因众多手工艺传统而闻名，其中包括丝绸和茶叶的生产以及瓷器和青铜雕塑。杭州有历史悠久的中国丝绸设计，也是中国丝绸的生产和贸易中心，并且一直将该传统工艺传承至今。此外，由于该市一直是全国最著名的产茶区之一，西湖龙井绿茶尤为出名，杭州也被称为中国的茶都。特别值得一提的是，西冷印社金石篆刻也是这座城市历史悠久的手工艺与民间艺术传统的见证。

杭州被中国政府定位为“全国文化创意中心”，在全国整体发展中处于战略性地位。2014年，杭州的创意产业占据全市GDP的17.5%，从业人员超过33.6万人。
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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Icheon envisions:

- revitalizing its ceramic industry and enhancing the international image of Icheon ceramics through holding large-scale, craft-related exhibitions around the world; and

- developing cooperative projects with the member cities of the UCCN, especially among cities from the crafts and folk art field.

DESCRIPTION

Since its designation as UNESCO City of Crafts and Folk Art, Icheon has consolidated itself as a model of the Korean crafts industry. Icheon plays a key role in developing modern ceramics and in handing down traditional Korean ceramics, an ancient art going back over 1,000 years, from one generation to the next.

Housing all of the necessary infrastructures in the ceramics process such as industrial enterprises, educational institutes and craft-related support facilities, Icheon has been designated as the only crafts specialized zone in Korea. The ceramic belt around Icheon accounts for 55% of the domestic ceramic industry. The 320 ceramic studios located in the area make Icheon Korea’s largest centre of the craft industry.

Events such as the Icheon Ceramic Festival and the Icheon International Sculpture Symposium illustrate the city’s status as a place of exchange, mutual understanding and creative activities. Today the city of Icheon is developing creative policies and programmes that are destined to put its people at the centre of the city’s transformation as a UNESCO Creative City. Icheon aims to preserve its creative and cultural resources and share these values with other cities around the world.

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- 通过在全球举办大型手工艺相关展会，振兴陶瓷产业，提升利川陶瓷的国际形象；

- 与联合国教科文创意城市网络其他成员，尤其是其它手工艺和民间艺术之都，共同开展合作项目。
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As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Isfahan envisages:

- developing capacities of artists and creative entrepreneurs by providing financial support and training in management and marketing through the Creative Isfahan Plan, launched by the Municipality in 2014;
- encouraging gender equality in the crafts and folk art’s production through the Closet Remodel Plan, aimed at valuing women with traditional know-how in the field and turning them into producers to carry on their knowledge and stimulate the local economy;
- of crafts and folk art through the web information platform of the Creative City of Isfahan which identifies existing opportunities in terms of training, employment, entrepreneurship; and
- fostering international cooperation and exchange of expertise with other Creative Cities through joint projects in the line with the city’s Innovative Craft Programme highlighting innovation based on interdisciplinary approaches.

DESCRIPTION

Considered as a hub for crafts and folk art, Isfahan is the third biggest city in Iran with 1.5 million inhabitants. Its creative sector comprises the country’s specialized stakeholders in 67 different disciplines including carpet weaving, metalwork, woodwork, ceramics, painting and inlay works of various kinds. According to Isfahan Territorial Planning, at least 9000 crafts and folk art workshops and enterprises contribute to the Isfahan economy, the majority of which can be located in the historical Naqsh-e Jahan Square, inscribed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1979 and dedicated to the sector.

While the Naqsh-e Jahan Square remains the major centre for showcasing high-grade works through permanent exhibitions, other events give both a local and international focus to the city’s dynamism in the field of crafts and folk art, such as the International Cultural Heritage Festival, which attracts the annual participation of 26 countries worldwide. The highlight of this event is the workshop dedicated to female artisans emphasizing Isfahan’s commitment to valuing female artworks to perpetuate traditional know-how.

As Isfahan primarily considers crafts and folk art as key levers to foster social reintegration and cohesion, employment growth, as well as for preserving vanishing traditions and knowledge, the Municipality’s programmes reflect these objectives by working in close collaboration with creators. A wide range of training workshops and financial support mechanisms have been developed, notably in the framework of the Handicrafts Cooperative Societies, gathering both public and private entrepreneurs to formulate innovative projects and policies to enhance the status of creators and the contribution of crafts and folk art for sustainable urban development.

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DESCRIPTION

A city known for its rich heritage, radiant carnival and singular know-how, Jacmel is proud of its history as a hospitable city and a prosperous trading port. In the wake of the January 12, 2010 earthquake, Jacmel is preserving and enhancing its invaluable tangible and intangible heritage.

Jacmel is investing in its renewal by promoting culture, traditions, art and crafts. The Carnival of Jacmel, known for its creativity and exceptional originality, is the starting point for the creative development of the city. Its painting, sculpture and giant papier-mâché masks being anchored deep in local traditions. Every year the carnival brings together the know-how of craft art artists in collaboration with many professional crafts and folk art associations. This event attracts thousands of Haitians, as well as tourists from around the world. The challenge is now to revive this vibrant component of Haiti’s culture.

“Destination Jacmel” focuses on the restoration and protection of the historic centre in order to develop cultural tourism. In passing on Jacmel’s traditions to future generations, collective memory is both preserved and celebrated. The cultural richness of Haiti is also marked by many artistic personalities, including painter Préfète Duffaut, writer Rene Depestre and the poet Pommayrac Alcibiade, who endowed Jacmel with this exceptional motto “Jacmel, Sursumcorda! ” (Jacmel, higher and higher!). This motto still resonates today in the heart of all Jacmelians.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Jacmel envisages:

• extending the range of artistic creation, especially through vocational training in the arts-related professions;

• promoting the creation schools in the fields of Cinema (Ciné Institute), Sound (Mizik Audio Institute), and Music (Dessaix-Baptiste Institute); and

• supporting dance groups and schools, visual artists and artisans of Jacmel and their links with professionals from other member cities in order to develop the creative potential of the Caribbean.
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As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Jaipur envisages:

- enhancing the working conditions and status for craftsmen through the Citizens Outreach Cell, as well as the Heritage Walks, to foster a sustainable urban and socio-economic development based on direct selling and workers’ well-being;
- establishing the onsite and online museum Jaipur Haat, as well as the Crafts and Folk Art Gallery at the Jaipur International Airport, to facilitate international showcasing of local works of crafts and folk art; and
- encouraging exchange of knowledge and know-how with other Creative Cities of Crafts and Folk Art, notably through local and international festivals and fairs.
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As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Jingdezhen envisages:

- organizing exchanges and cooperation initiatives among different member cities;
- promoting industrial and technological cooperation;
- exchanging creative production processes;
- holding summits, forums and seminars focusing on the protection and promotion of intangible heritage and crafts. These events will aim to make full use of the different industrial characteristics of the member cities through promoting knowledge sharing.

DESCRIPTION

Often called the “Porcelain Capital” for its important role in the domestic and international ceramic industry, Jingdezhen is renowned for its ancient porcelain production that stretches back more than 1,700 years. The most important ceramic production centre in China, Jingdezhen produces high quality porcelain that is highly appreciated both in China and around the world. For hundreds of years, porcelain travelled over land and by sea along the Silk Road to different parts of the world, acting as a medium to facilitate the cultural and commercial exchange between China, Africa and the Arab States. Furthermore, the World Summit of Mayors from Ceramic Cities and the Jingdezhen International Ceramic Fair were successfully held in the city. These activities and celebrations have established a platform for diversified cooperation and communication, transforming Jingdezhen into a creative ceramic city full of potential.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，景德镇希望：

- 组织成员城市间的交流与合作活动；
- 促进工业和技术领域的合作；
- 交流创造性生产工艺；
- 举办以保护和弘扬非物质文化遗产与手工艺为主题的峰会、论坛和研讨会，通过促进知识共享，充分发挥成员城市各自的优势。
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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Kanazawa envisages:

- maintaining traditions and traditional techniques as well as developing and innovating in new technology;
- developing human resources domestically and internationally with other Creative Cities of all creative fields;
- protecting cultural diversity through internationalization;
- developing cultural exchanges between Creative Cities involving the exchange of experiences, visions, knowledge, and skills;
- promoting craft tourism and creative tourism;
- strengthening the links between related creative fields such as crafts and design or gastronomy and crafts;
- promoting new industries and city development; and
- contributing to the expansion of the UCCN by supporting candidate cities.

DESCRIPTION

Influenced by the presence of the samurai and their lifestyle, Kanazawa is recognized for its many artisan workshops which characterize the city as a City of Crafts and Folk Art. Crafts and the samurai-influenced culture continue to play an important part of daily life. In the past, the feudal lords invited skilled artisans from Kyoto and Edo (now Tokyo) to introduce craft techniques that combined dynamism with the elegance of the samurai culture. This combination is what makes Kanazawa’s crafts unique.

Today, many fields of craftwork continue to exist and have significantly contributed to improving people’s daily lives. Some examples are the Kaga-yuzen silk dying technique which is still used for making kimonos or gold leaf and lacquer ware.

Local artisans are now looking to build synergies with other creative fields in order to combine traditional crafts with innovation and new technologies. Kanazawa’s creative economy is driven by a highly sensitive consumer market, cultural investments, and the citizens’ taste for craftwork.

The Kanazawa Citizens’ Art Center, founded in 1996 and open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, offers free areas for artistic activities. Inaugurated in 2004, the 21st Century Museum for Contemporary Art makes modern art and craft collections available to over 1.5 million visitors per year.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，金泽希望：

- 保持传统和传统技艺，同时发展和开拓新技术；
- 在国内和国际层面，与其他创意城市共同培养所有创意领域的人力资源；
- 通过国际化来保护文化多样性；
- 进行创意城市间的经验和愿景、知识和技能领域的文化交流；
- 促进手工艺旅游和创意旅游；
- 加强相关创意领域之间的联系，如手工艺与设计，或美食与手工艺；
- 促进新兴产业和城市发展；
- 通过对创意网络候选城市的支持，为创意城市网络的扩展做出贡献。
LUBUMBASHI (DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO)

Designated UNESCO Creative City in 2015

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DESCRIPTION

The second largest city of the Democratic Republic of the Congo with 1.7 million inhabitants, Lubumbashi is situated along the mining region of the Copperbelt. As copper and malachite industries have long been backbones of the local economy, Lubumbashi is committed to give new impetus to the city’s development by using creativity to highlight its industrial legacy. With more than 50 workshops are dedicated to malachite carving, city policies reflect the trade’s stature as a key lever to stimulate employment.

Workers of the copper mines have anchored many artistic expressions in the city’s cultural identity, from street performance to popular theatre and music including karindula and brakka. This vast amount of creativity has led to the creation of the Copper Eaters Festival, which for the last fifteen years has celebrated artisan work. This event is central to the city’s strategy to foster urban vitality, cultural participation and social cohesion. In addition, the city hosts the Picha Encounters, also referred to as the Lubumbashi Biennale for Visual Arts, which is known to be one of the most innovative and experimental cultural events in Africa for showcasing urban-related works of art.

So far, culture and creativity within the city has been developing in the informal sphere. However, the Municipality, together with civil society, is keen to work towards developing a comprehensive policy framework for culture. Current measures facilitate the establishment of cultural organizations and creative industries, as well as increase the number of training programmes and job opportunities for artists and artisans. Lubumbashi is eager to develop its networks further with the aim of allowing this post-industrial city to advance with a sustainable urban renewal and development path, using culture and creativity as a driver.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Lubumbashi envisages:

- undertaking research on the production and dissemination, as well as social impact of crafts and folk art by valorising the city’s mining legacy and the status of artisans;

- developing local, regional and international networks of crafts persons to increase employment opportunities and training offered for young people;

- involving other Creative Cities of Crafts and Folk Art to undertake research on contemporary approaches on the notion of folk art, as well as on collective memory in post-industrial cities; and

- supporting fair trade of works of crafts and folk art in the global market.

概述

作为拥有170万人口的刚果民主共和国第二大城市，卢本巴希市位于非洲铜矿富集带的采矿区。长期以来，铜、孔雀石产业一直是当地经济支柱，卢本巴希市因此而致力于通过创新来凸显其工业遗产作为城市发展新动力。卢本巴希市有50多家工作室从事玉石雕刻工作，该市的政策反映了贸易作为重要的刺激就业的杠杆地位。

在该城市文化特征方面，铜工人们展现出许多艺术表现形式，从街头表演到流行戏剧和音乐，包括karindula和brakka等表现样式。大量的文化创意活动促成了“铜虎节”（Copper Eaters Festival）的形成，并且在过去的十五年中歌颂工匠们的劳作。该活动是促进城市活力、文化参与和社会凝聚力的城市战略的核心。此外，该市还举办“相遇皮查”，也被称为“卢本巴希视觉艺术双年展”。众所周知，这是非洲地区用于展示与城市相关艺术作品的活动中最具创新性和实验性的文化活动之一。

迄今，在卢本巴希市，文化和创意一直在非正式领域得以发展。但同时，该市及其民间社会都热切于强化综合性文化政策框架。其所采取的措施有助于建立文化和创意网络，增加年轻人就业机会和培训机会。卢本巴希市渴望进一步发展其文化和创意网络，以文化和创意作为驱动力，推动这座后工业城市在可持续性城市变革和发展道路上前进。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，卢本巴希希望：

- 通过重视城市矿业遗产和艺术工匠的状况，开展在生产和发展方面，以及工艺品和民间艺术对社会的影响方面的研究；

- 开发本地性、区域性和国际性工艺人才网络，增加年轻人就业机会和培训机会；

- 参与其他创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都的活动，从而开展对民间艺术概念的当代阐述的研究，以及在后工业城市中集体记忆的研究；

- 在全球市场上支持工艺品和民间艺术的公平贸易。
Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art
创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都

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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Nassau envisages:

- forging stronger relationships with UCCN cities via electronic media;
- hosting Unesco Creative Cities Network conferences;
- sharing historical and educational information on the Bahamian straw and Junkanoo traditions in addition to fostering educational exchange programmes on this topic;
- strengthening the city’s relationship with Santa Fe, fellow Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, with which it has already developed an active partnership; and
- acting as a conduit for the promotion of the UCCN and the creative tourism model throughout the Caribbean region.

DESCRIPTION

One of the oldest cities of the Americas, Nassau, the capital of the Bahamas, is located on the island of New Providence. The city and country lie at the crossroads between North America and the Caribbean and have long been a hub for waves of migration between the Antilles and the continent, as well as a meeting ground for disparate groups from the African diaspora.

The crafts and folk art of Nassu reflect this history of migration, contributing a distinct culture, whilst showing clear kinship with their countries of origin. Bahamian cultural forms may thus be viewed as a bridge between the cultural complexes of the two regions.

Junkanoo and straw art are among the most outstanding Bahamas’ creative and cultural traditions. Firmly grounded in Bahamian history and heritage, the Junkanoo masquerade tradition, has had a significant positive impact on the development and preservation of the country’s indigenous arts and crafts. At the same time, it has privileged creativity and resourcefulness in the use of available materials and has provided an avenue for greater economic independence for generations of Bahamians. Through the development of the local creative economy and exchange with other Creative Cities, Nassau plans to diversify its economy and increase participation in cultural life.

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作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，拿骚希望：

- 通过电子媒体与创意城市网络成员建立紧密联系；
- 举办创意城市会议；
- 分享关于巴哈马秸秆艺术和贾卡努彩装游行（Junkanoo）历史性和教育性信息，并且发展关于该主题的教育交流项目；
- 在已经建立的活跃的合作伙伴关系基础上，继续加强与同为手工艺与民间艺术之都的圣达菲的联系；
- 成为加勒比地区推广联合国教科文组织创意城市网络和创意旅游模式的窗口。
PADUCAH (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)

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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Paducah envisages:

- providing a platform for UCCN members to showcase their creativity in the United States. Since joining the Network in 2013, Paducah has arranged cultural exchanges with several UNESCO Creative Cities;
- fostering national and international awareness of the UCCN through Paducah’s branding, public relations, marketing, speaking engagements and social media campaigns;
- utilizing the UNESCO Creative Cities platform to take a leadership role in educating the tourism industry, the national arts community and government officials on the value of creativity, creative tourism and the UCCN;
- emphasizing the role of Crafts and Folk Art, notably of fibre arts, in creative expression; and
- championing partnerships with UCCN members in the United States to strengthen the Network’s collaborative impact.

DESCRIPTION

A national heritage destination, Paducah has a longstanding tradition in the fine craft of quilt making. Also known as “Quilt City”, Paducah is home to the National Quilt Museum of the United States. The largest museum of its kind in the world, the National Quilt Museum encompasses 30,000 square feet of gallery space, and features a 320-piece collection of contemporary quilts and ever-changing thematic exhibitions that celebrate traditional quilt making methods. Workshops taught by world-class instructors are also offered.

Fabric and craft-related industries, supported by a steady stream of visitors seeking creative inspiration in Paducah’s artistic landscape, favourably impact the local economy year-round. The city’s award-winning Artist Relocation Program has brought together painters, bookbinders, leather crafters, fibre artists and jewellery makers from around the globe to the Lower Town Arts District. Located in Paducah’s oldest residential neighbourhood, the District is also home to the Paducah School of Art and Design, which offers visual arts education in cutting-edge facilities.

The Yeiser Art Centre, Maiden Alley Cinema, Market House Theatre, Clemens Fine Arts Centre and the Carson Centre all contribute to Paducah’s vibrant cultural offerings including live theatre, visual art exhibitions, independent films and classical performances by the Paducah Symphony Orchestra. Paducah’s heritage is reflected and preserved in its architecture and wall-to-wall murals. The 50 life-sized murals by internationally recognized artist Robert Dafford, depict pivotal moments from Paducah’s past. Host to AQS Quilt Week, Barbecue on the River, Lower Town Art and Music Festival, and the River’s Edge International Film Festival, Paducah offers authentic cultural experiences that reflect the creative nature of this historic river city.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，帕迪尤卡希望:

- 为联合国教科文组织创意城市网络成员在美国提供一个展示其创意的平台。自2013年加入网络以来，帕迪尤卡与部分网络城市组织了文化交流活动;
- 通过帕迪尤卡在品牌包装、公共关系、市场营销、受邀演讲以及社会媒体宣传方面的工作，在国家和国际层面提高社会和大众对联合国教科文组织创意城市网络的认识;
- 利用联合国教科文组织创意城市网络这一平台，提高旅游产业、国内艺术界以及政府官员对于创意、创意旅游以及联合国教科文组织创意城市网络价值的认识;
- 强调手工艺和民间艺术在创意表达中所起到的作用，尤其是纤维织物艺术;
- 支持与联合国教科文组织创意城市网络中其他美国成员城市的合作伙伴关系，以加强网络的协同影响力。
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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Pekalongan envisages:

- safeguarding the Batik tradition and its unique combination of art, craft and income generation for Pekalongan’s citizens;
- developing the social, cultural and economic infrastructures linked to the Batik-making process;
- strengthening relevant institutions and supporting scientific and technological advancement in order to stimulate education on Batik, and to safeguard and develop Batik culture;
- fostering the creative economy through supporting clusters and centres specialized in Batik as well as increasing efforts to promote Batik on local, national and global levels;
- creating collaborative networks with academic, governmental and civil society stakeholders in the Batik industry;
- promoting an environmentally friendly Batik industry; and
- developing information and communication technologies to support the development of the Batik sector.

DESCRIPTION

Pekalongan, also known as the “Batik City” is home to 300,000 people. It is a multicultural city where different ethnic communities live together, often enjoying each other’s cultural expressions in the many exhibitions, parades and events held throughout the year.

Handcrafts, such as hand-drawn and hand-stamped batik, are the main pillars of the city’s economy. Closely tied to art, culture and the economy, batik design and production are an essential part of Pekalongan’s identity. Integrated into the city’s educational system, Batik culture is also well integrated into the city’s creative economy development plans.

Safeguarding and further developing Batik culture and the surrounding Batik craft villages is a priority for Pekalongan. The Batik Museum and the adjacent workshops for students form an important arts centre and have been recognized as a Best Safeguarding Practice of intangible heritage.

Pekalongan is an excellent example of how culture-based development can support citizens, particularly women, in developing viable income generating activities and improving their quality of life.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，北加浪岸希望：

- 保护蜡染传统及其将艺术、手工艺和北加浪岸市民创收相结合的独特性；
- 发展与蜡染制作流程相关的社会、文化和经济基础设施；
- 为促进蜡染教育，保护和发展蜡染文化，加强相关机构，并且支持相关科技进步；
- 通过支持蜡染工艺集聚区和中心，在地区、国家和国际层面加大力度推广蜡染，以促进创意经济发展；
- 在蜡染行业与来自学术、政府和公民社会的各利益相关方一起建立合作网络；
- 推进环保友好型的蜡染产业；
- 发展信息和通信技术以支持蜡染行业的发展。

概述

北加浪岸，也被称为“蜡染之城”，拥有30万人口，是一座多元化的城市，不同的族裔社群生活在一起，并且通过常年举办的各种展览、游行和活动相互沉浸于彼此不同的文化表达中。

手绘和手工印制蜡染等手工艺品是城市的主要经济支柱，与艺术、文化与经济紧密联系的蜡染设计和生产是北加浪岸城市特征的重要组成部分。蜡染文化不仅融入了城市的教育体系，也被很好地纳入了城市的创意经济发展规划。

保护和进一步发展蜡染文化以及周边蜡染工艺村是北加浪岸的优先事项之一。蜡染博物馆和毗邻博物馆的学生手工坊形成了一个重要的艺术中心，并被视为非物质文化遗产保护的最佳实践方式之一。

北加浪岸出色地展示了基于文化的发展是如何支持市民，尤其是妇女，开展可行的创收活动和提高生活质量。
SAN CRISTÓBAL DE LAS CASAS (MEXICO)
圣克里斯托瓦尔 - 德拉斯卡萨斯 (墨西哥)

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DESCRIPTION

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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, San Cristóbal de las Casas envisages:

- mapping the creative sector under the methodology of Participatory Action Research of FalsBorda to support and orient creativity-related policy development at the local, regional and national levels;
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Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art
创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都

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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Santa Fe envisages:

- developing partnerships and pilot programmes that contribute to the development of creative tourism;
- bringing together UCCN members to exchange on areas of common interest in order to strengthen the creation and production of cultural goods and participation in cultural life;
- participating in meetings and conferences that promote the sharing of research, studies and practical experience on the integration of culture and the creative industries in local development; and
- facilitating and participating in exchanges providing training and capacity building for artists, administrators and officials.

DESCRIPTION

Culture has always been at the heart of Santa Fe and has been an integral part of the city’s history and cityscape. The exchange of goods and ideas is deeply rooted in Santa Fe, starting with the trade fairs attended by Native Americans and Mexico’s indigenous population, to El Camino Real and the Santa Fe Trail, to the vibrant markets and art fairs of today. Santa Fe’s appointment to the UNESCO Creative Cities Network is a testament to the city’s important achievements in cultural industry development.

Santa Fe has a wealth of cultural resources that have helped build the city into what it is today. Native American traditions, including weaving, pottery, jewelry and dance remain an important part of contemporary Native culture and are present throughout the city. Spanish colonial art forms also continue to thrive today including folkloric dances, straw applique and tinwork. Santa Fe, where one in 10 jobs are tied to arts and cultural industries, is also home to more than 250 galleries, a vibrant performing arts community and an impressive range of museums.

Three major annual art markets are organized each year: the Santa Fe International Folk Art Market; the Traditional Spanish Colonial Market and the Indian Market. Santa Fe is also proud to have the highest percentage of writers and authors in the labor force in the US.

One percent of Santa Fe’s hotel tax supports local arts organizations, helping to maintain a flourishing arts community, employ artists and attract tourism. Furthermore, two percent of the cost of city buildings and infrastructure support site-specific public artworks. The Railyard, for example, is home to galleries, restaurants and the Santa Fe Farmers’ Market, one of the most widely recognized farmers’ markets in the United States. The Santa Fe University of Art and Design also contributes to the city’s vibrant creative economy by bringing creative young people to the city.

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作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，圣达菲希望:

- 开发有助于创意旅游业发展的合作伙伴关系和试点项目；
- 组织创意城市网络成员就共同感兴趣的领域进行交流，以加强文化产品的创作和生产，以及对文化生活的参与；
- 参与以分享促进文化和创意产业融入地方发展的研究、案例和实践经验为目的的会议和大会；
- 为艺术家、管理者和官员提供培训和能力培养，以促进并参与各种交流。
SASAYAMA (JAPAN)
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DESCRIPTION

Located in the Hyōgo region of Japan, Sasayama bears witness to a rich diversity of over 4,700 different expressions of crafts and folk art. The best known is the tanba-yaki pottery, which skillset has been passed down from one generation to the next for over eight centuries, and is considered as one of the six most ancient potteries in Japan called the “Six Old Kilns”. As a genuine symbol of the local pride, the know-how of tanba-yaki pottery is still perpetuated within the new generation of artisans.

Every year, the best works of tanba-yaki are showcased at the Tanba-yaki Pottery Festival held in the Museum of Ceramic Art. This event annually attracts more than 140,000 visitors from Japan and all over the world. In addition, Sasayama is also known for its Dekancho Festival, which takes place at the former site of Sasayama Castle, and is dedicated to the popular folk dance bon-odori, which originated from the city.

To sustain the crafts and folk art sector, the city has implemented several training schemes and cooperative associations. Sasayama fosters a comprehensive and integrated policy framework by involving different stakeholders of the creative sector in the decision-making process. The city is firmly committed to invest in creativity for moving along a sustainable urban development path: a pledge recently supported by the rehabilitation of about fifty ancient houses into creative spaces.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Sasayama envisages:

- transmitting and perpetuating the traditional know-how of tanba-yaki pottery within the next generations of artisans;
- establishing a school of artisans focusing on research and innovation, and involving multi-stakeholder cooperation;
- cooperating actively with other Creative Cities, notably on exploring fruitful linkages between the creative fields of crafts and folk art and gastronomy;
- fostering artistic exchanges through the Tanba International Residency programme aimed at investing in youth creativity for revitalizing abandoned houses and using recycling and environment-friendly materials and methods; and
- positioning the city as a successful model of creativity-led sustainable urban development.

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作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都， Sasayama 希望：

- 向下一代手工艺师传承 “丹波烧” 陶器传统工艺技术;
- 通过与各利益相关方开展合作，建立以研究和创新为重点的手工艺师学校;
- 积极与其他创意城市合作发展，尤其是在手工艺和民间艺术及美食创意领域之间探索卓有成效的关联;
- 通过“丹波国际驻留计划”开展艺术交流，注入青年创意，以推动废弃房屋的复兴，以及可回收和环保材料与方法的运用;
- 将该市定位为由创意引领的可持续发展的成功典范。
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CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Crafts and Folk Art, Suzhou envisages:

- proposing a wide range of pilot projects which increase the accessibility to cultural life and cultural products;
- fostering innovation in the manufacturing, distribution and sharing of cultural products;
- strengthening the whole creative industry production chain;
- improving the visibility of creative projects in the city’s urban spaces; and
- strengthening the creative industries and further incorporating them into Suzhou’s development plans.

DESCRIPTION

Suzhou is situated in the Yangtze River Delta on the west shore of the Pacific Ocean. The first evidence of settlement dates back more than 2,500 years. Suzhou is home to a number of impressive historical sites, including the city’s numerous temples and its Classical Gardens, which have been designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Pilot city of the unique “Chinese Ethnic and Folk Culture Protection Project”, Suzhou is known for its traditional handicrafts involving paintings and calligraphic art. Recognized for their elegance and beauty, calligraphy, carving and embroidery are of particular importance to the people of Suzhou.

Building on these traditions, Suzhou is focusing on fostering creativity and promoting the integration of its renowned history and culture together with tourism, innovative businesses, technology, fashion and other creative domains. An innovative metropolis and an important business centre, Suzhou is striving to build itself into a hub of international talents, industries and information.

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作为创意城市手工艺与民间艺术之都，苏州希望：

- 开展一系列以提升文化生活和方便文化产品获取的试点项目；
- 在文化产品的制作、传播和共享方面进行创新；
- 强化整个创意产业生产链；
- 提高城市规划中的创意项目的知名度；
- 加强创意产业，并进一步将其纳入苏州的发展规划。
CREATIVE CITIES OF DESIGN
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DESCRIPTION

The city of Bandung, capital of West Java Province in Indonesia and home to 2.5 million inhabitants, is an innovative hub for creativity and entrepreneurship. With many initiatives driven by the city’s young demographic, Bandung hosts a variety of workshops, conferences and festivals, all encouraging the development of creativity, prototypes and product design in particular. In fact, 56% of Bandung’s economic activities are design-related, with fashion, graphic design and digital media being the top three subsectors in the local creative economy.

With 8 urban villages now established as creative villages, Bandung has secured a deep understanding and established expertise in the development of creative cities. This knowledge is demonstrated by the variety of programmes and events organised by the city, such as Helarfest – one of the Bandung Creative City Forum (BCCF) signature programmes aimed at fostering networks among creative cities. The Creatives Cities Conference hosted by the city is also a key platform for discussing sustainable urban development and sharing ideas such as the attempts to find innovative ways of improving the sustainability of the city. Through the creation of the DesignAction.bdg workshop, Bandung hopes to find concrete solutions to urban issues through civic engagement by improving inclusive public space with design.

The Bandung Municipal Government has made a strong commitment to stimulating the creative economy through the implementation of new centres, industry areas, R&D support and events. Examples include a Regional Development Acceleration Innovation Program (PIPPK) and Melati credit system, which provides financial support to actors and incubates new creative industries. Launched in 2015, the Bandung Creative Centre (BCC) also functions as a hub for stakeholders at both the national and international level for fostering the exchange of creative experiences and ideas.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Bandung envisages:

- establishing a thematic public park in Bandung dedicated to the UCCN, which will represent the Creative Cities in various artistic forms, as well as showcasing a diversity of urban cultures;

- enhancing collaboration with other Creative Cities through creative festivals, joint events and workshops, notably by organizing an annual Asian-African Carnival with the aim of promoting under-represented cities and South-South cooperation; and

- establishing 30 Creative Hubs and supporting 100,000 new creative entrepreneurs over 5 years to enhance the local creative economy, notably through the Little Bandung Initiative, which will have a dedicated corner for exchange of joint products, workshops and events with other cities in the Network.

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作为创意城市设计之都，万隆希望：

- 在该市建立一个联合国教科文组织“创意城市网络”主题公园，展现不同形式的创意城市，以及城市文化的多样性；

- 通过举行创意节日、联合活动和讲习班的方式加强与其他“创意城市”的协作，尤其是通过组织一年一度的亚非狂欢节来宣传代表性不足的城市，并且推动南南合作；

- 在5年之内建立30个创意中心，并为100000名新创意企业家提供支持，以促进当地的创意经济，尤其是落实“小万隆”倡议，建立专属交流场所以供与网络内的其他城市共同进行产品开发，举办讲习班和活动。
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DESCRIPTION

The historic ancient capital and political centre of China, Beijing, with its history reaching back over 3,000 years, is recognized today as the country’s cultural centre. Beijing has 47 public libraries, including the National Library of China, over 170 museums and more than 300 theatres, including the National Centre for the Performing Arts, which gives more than 12,000 performances every year.

With 119 design colleges and more than 30,000 students, Beijing is known for its vibrant design sector. One of Beijing’s pillar industries, the design sector employs nearly 250,000 people and has a total value estimated at over 160 billion RMB. Beijing holds the internationally recognized Beijing Design Week, the China Red Star Design Award, Beijing Fashion Week, the Beijing International Film Festival, the Beijing International Cultural & Creative Industry Expo and the Beijing Science and Technology Exposition.

Beijing has more than 30 Creative Cluster Areas and provides approximately 270 design and creativity workshops to foster women’s employment. Additionally, in 2012 the city of Beijing and the University of Nairobi joined forces to build the Beijing – Nairobi Innovation & Design Research Center. Beijing is also proud to be home to some of the world’s most celebrated architecture, such as the National Centre for the Performing Arts designed by French architect Paul Andreu, the Galaxy SOHO designed by Zaha Hadid, and Terminal 3 of Beijing Capital Airport designed by Norman Foster.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Beijing envisages:

- undertaking research pertaining to the creative economy and its various dimensions, bearing in mind their relevance for sustainable development;
- fostering capacity-building relating to the creative economy and establishing data platform service for the Network; and
- identifying and promoting opportunities for women and youth to be involved in the creative economy, especially in design.

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作为创意城市设计之都，北京希望：

- 从事创意经济及相关领域的研究，高度关注它们与可持续发展的有机联系；
- 开展创意经济领域的能力建设，建立服务于网络的数据平台；
- 发掘并提供机会使女性和青年参与创意经济，尤其在设计领域。
Creative City of Design
创意城市设计之都

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DESCRIPTION

A true centre for the creative industries for both amateurs and established creators alike, Berlin has demonstrated remarkable social, economic and cultural achievements in the field of design. A crossroad of diverse backgrounds and histories, Berlin is celebrated for its design tradition and contemporary creations.

The Projekt Zukunft, originating in the Berlin Senate Department for Economics, Technology and Research, has notably had a key role in supporting the creative economy. Projekt Zukunft develops strategies for Berlin as a centre for the arts; builds platforms for cultural exchanges; initiates networks for the digital and creative economy; organizes exchanges with businesses; develops new communication instruments; compiles studies; and implements innovative projects for the economy and the society as a whole.

There are five Arts Universities and numerous privately funded institutions in Berlin which offer a wide range of design-oriented educational opportunities. Thanks to these infrastructures, the city is home to more than 5,000 design students. Close relations with other institutions from around the world have created an excellent basis for exchange programs and international collaboration.

There are also numerous regional and international networks for design and fashion in Berlin. A wide range of them are based in the city, including Create Berlin Network, the International Design Center Berlin, designpool and berlindesign.net.

The open-minded atmosphere in Berlin provides the ideal framework for internationally recognized trade fairs, festivals and platforms such as Design Mai, Update, the Berlin Photography Festival and the Walk of Fashion, all of which promote international exchange and support Berlin’s design.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Berlin envisages:

- actively contributing to and participating in UCCN activities;
- disseminating and sharing knowledge and lessons learnt in the field of design; and
- exchanging and collaborating with both Cities of Design and the UCCN as a whole.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市设计之都，柏林希望：

- 积极推动和参与创意城市网络的活动；
- 传播和分享设计领域的知识与经验；
- 与其他设计之都，以及整个创意城市网络进行交流与合作。
BILBAO (SPAIN)

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DESCRIPTION

Renowned for its rich industrial past, Bilbao has experienced over the past decades sweeping social, cultural and economic transformations. Creativity, design and culture are central to the city’s development strategy, owing to their important role for the development of the local communities, but also as a driver of the economic and social transformation.

Thanks to public and private support and extensive social involvement, Bilbao has become a reference in fields such as architecture, industrial and interior design, new technologies, fashion, audio-visual, video games and crafts. All these sectors are represented in the Bilbao Bizkaia Design and Creativity Council (BiDC), a public and private body comprising more than 150 members who share a common goal; fostering design and creativity to lead the new economy.

These joint efforts have resulted in the transformation of Bilbao into a vibrant and dynamic city with major cultural facilities contributing to the economy in terms of wealth creation, employment and social well-being.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Bilbao envisages:

- promoting design-orientated urban policies;
- integrating goals related to cultural and creative industries into local development plans;
- promoting educational programmes;
- hosting international design events;
- organizing and taking part in international events; and
- cooperating with other UCCN members (pilot projects, studies and meetings).

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作为创意城市设计之都，毕尔巴鄂希望：

- 推动以设计为导向的城市政策；
- 将与文化和创意产业相关的目标纳入地方发展规划之中；
- 促进教育项目；
- 举办国际设计活动；
- 组织和参与国际活动；
- 与其他创意城市网络成员合作（如示范项目、研究和会议等）。
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Budapest, capital of Hungary with 1.7 million inhabitants, thrives from its creative industries which employment rate has been annually increasing by 18% since 2007. The city is considered as an incubator for start-ups in the field of design, making it the fastest growing sector of the local creative economy with a threefold increase of its gross added value in the last decade. Budapest has a comprehensive vision of design, which is seen as a driving force for sustainable urban development.

While the city holds many major events dedicated to design, such as the Design Week Budapest and the AjándékTerminál fair, the city mainly functions as a laboratory for innovations using design as a lever for fostering awareness towards urbanity and improving the quality of public spaces. The Design Terminal, the Hungarian University of Creative Arts (MKE) and the Moholy-Nagy University of Arts (MOME) are the most active in conducting programmes in this field with MOME implementing several transversal laboratories and research groups including Eco-Lab – sustainability, SocioLab – social construction, Design – tech and media, and Design – social sensitivity. In recent years, the city has also undertaken several research and mapping initiatives related to cultural industries.

The municipality works in close collaboration with the civil society to better foster a good quality of urban life. Among other multi-stakeholders initiatives, the “Your place, your success!” campaign, the “I’ll be right back” project and the Culburbproject demonstrate the particular dynamism of the city in terms of reshaping neighbourhoods and suburbs in difficulties through cultural facilities and creative industries.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Budapest envisages:

- implementing an incubation programme for small and medium enterprises (SMEs) in the field of design, opened to creative entrepreneurs from Budapest and other Creative Cities of Design;

- fostering networking through the “Made in the City” initiative, aimed at establishing cross-cutting activities between creative fields covered by the Network;

- involving other Creative Cities in Budapest’s major events such as the Design Week Budapest, the Brain Bar Budapest and the Budapest 3D Printing Days, to share innovative ideas and experiences in connecting creativity, new technologies, and sustainable development; and

- increasing the quality of urban life through the Smart City Lab, served as a platform between the civil society and public institutions for the systematic improvement of the municipal urban planning.
BUENOS AIRES (ARGENTINA)
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DESCRIPTION

In Buenos Aires, creativity is seen as a key factor in economic and social development. The city has a consolidated creative sector that has grown rapidly in recent years. Between 2004 and 2012 the sector grew 89.1% in real terms and today represents up to 8.6 % of the city’s GDP and 9.1 % of the city’s workforce, employing almost 150,000 people.

The Ministry of Economic Development of Buenos Aires promotes the growth of the creative industries through a district development policy. It incorporates economic incentives to promote the establishment of creative industries in specific districts; undertakes major public works projects to redress inequalities in infrastructure and transport connectivity; and fosters the recovery of public areas for recreation and socialization. This policy is implemented in four underdeveloped neighborhoods, each devoted to a specific sector: technology, audiovisual, arts and design.

The Design District was created in 2014 to concentrate the city’s design industry and services in a specific territory and thus create a design intensive manufacturing cluster. The Metropolitan Design Centre (CMD), established in the heart of this district, is the major design and industrial institution of the city. Its main objectives are to encourage private and public design-related initiatives; support the sector’s internationalization and contribute to turning Buenos Aires into a benchmark of design in Latin America. Additionally, the CMD hosts the International Festival of Design, an event addressing professionals, students and the public at large which showcases sustainable and socially inclusive design.

Through public-private partnerships, Buenos Aires has been able to harness the energy of its design sector for the development of innovative initiatives on the local, regional and international levels. Spanning the fields of fashion, architecture, industrial, interior and urban design, and with a keen focus on incorporating the latest technology and know-how, Buenos Aires is a city that inspires design.

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DESCRIPTION

With a population of approximately 1,800,000 people, Curitiba is the eighth most populous city in Brazil, and the largest in the country’s Southern Region.

Curitiba is a culturally rich city which gathers a great number of venues, events and artists in areas such as music, gastronomy, theater and design. The local creative industries support the tourism industry, generate innovation clusters and promote sustainable growth and development.

Curitiba has diversified its economic development through strategic investments in the creative industries and has also engaged a broad network of stakeholders in building one of the most dynamic and modern design scenarios in Brazil.

Recognizing design as an agent for urban transformation, relying on the engagement of all sectors and celebrating the accomplishments of its territory, Curitiba is reinventing itself and aims to improve the quality of life of its citizens through numerous creative economy initiatives.

Since the 1970s, Curitiba has become a national and international benchmark in innovation and urban culture. The city links the frenetic pace of a metropolis with concerns for the environment, the preservation of cultural heritage and the expansion of citizenship. Curitiba is also among the cities with the highest quality of life ratings in the country. Curitiba’s urban planning model combines land use and road systems and public transportation (TOD), allowing for a more humane, innovative and inclusive city centered on human beings.

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对网络的贡献

作为创意城市设计之都，库里蒂巴希望：

- 与创意城市网络成员合作并交流经验，探寻创新性和创新性的方法来解决城市面临的主要挑战；
- 举办全体创意城市网络成员参与的活动；
- 强化“Viva Mais Curitiba”和“创意库里蒂巴”城市项目，为在地方层面上实现创意城市网络的使命而做出贡献；
- 改善创意城市之间的交流，提高对创意城市网络所取得成果的认识以及库里蒂巴在网络中的参与度。
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DESCRIPTION

Detroit, metropolis of more than 6 million inhabitants, is considered as a hub for industrial design and the beating heart of creative industries in the state of Michigan (United States of America). In the light of its industrial past, Detroit has built itself as a cradle of American modernist design and as a global center for prolific designers including Eames, Knoll, Saarinen and Yamasaki. The industry of design has been a driver for the city’s urban regeneration and represents today a significant lever for employment and an economic engine by employing more than 45,000 people and generating $US 2.5 billion in wages.

In view of its rich legacy in the automotive industry, Detroit hosts the International Auto Show Industry Days, drawing 5,000 automotive and design stakeholders from no less than 60 countries. The Society of Automotive Engineers Conference is a similarly popular event which explores the connections between engineering and industrial design. Detroit is also home to the Detroit Design Festival, the largest festival of design dedicated to freelance professionals in North America; showcasing 70 workshops and exhibitions annually attended by 500 designers worldwide.

To further nurture the vibrant sector of industrial design, the Detroit Creative Corridor Center (DC3) was opened in 2010 by the municipality. It serves ever since as the city’s advocacy organization by providing leadership, resources, data and analytics necessary to sustain the economic output and social impact of the city’s global creative economy. The main objective of DC3 being to give international recognition to Detroit as a global center of design, innovation and creativity.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Detroit envisages:

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- creating new enterprises and opportunities for designers, and encouraging the next generation to follow careers in the creative industries;
- launching the DC3 Creative Industries Roundtable to foster synergy between public-private stakeholders in the field of design, in order to conduct collective research and coordinate efforts for more participatory and human-centred approaches of design;
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概述

底特律是一个拥有600多万居民的大都市，被视为密歇根州（美利坚合众国）工业设计的中心和创意产业的动力核心。基于其工业历史，底特律已将自己打造成为美国现代主义设计的摇篮，以及云集了如埃姆斯、克诺尔、萨里宁和山崎等多产设计师的全球性中心。设计业成为了城市新生的动力，如今已是该市一个十分重要的就业杠杆和经济引擎，从业人口超过45000人，产生的薪资总额达到25亿美元。

由于在汽车工业领域拥有丰富的经验，底特律举办了国际车展工业节，吸引了60多个国家的5000名汽车和设计领域的利益攸关方的参与。汽车工程师协会大会是另一个受欢迎的活动，旨在探讨工程和工业设计之间的关系。该市也是底特律设计节的举办地，是北美洲为自由职业的专业人士举办的最大的设计节，设有70个工作坊和展览，共有500名来自世界各地的设计师参加。

为进一步培育充满活力的工业设计行业，市政府于2010年建立了“底特律创意走廊中心（DC3）”，自此，该中心成为了底特律市在设计领域的推广组织，通过提供必要的指导、资源、数据和分析，支持该市创意经济的经济产出和社会影响力。“底特律创意走廊中心”的主要目标是使底特律成为国际公认的全球设计、创新和创意中心。

作为创意城市设计之都，底特律希望：

- 加强公共政策，尤其是建立底特律艺术、文化事务和创意产业理事会以及密歇根设计理事会，从而使工业设计对城市发挥关键作用；
- 为设计师创立新企业并创造机会，鼓励下一代人从事创意产业的工作；
- 召开“底特律创意走廊中心”创意产业圆桌会议，增强公私利益相关方在设计领域的协同作用，以便开展研究和协调工作，采用更具参与性和以人为本的设计方法；
- 邀请其他“创意城市设计之都”参与底特律设计节——工业节，以分享最佳实践和经验，尤其是在设计、制造、老工业城市的重建与可持续城市发展之间的关联的方面；
- 为来自联合国教科文组织“创意城市网络”的新兴设计师举办竞赛，如“Electicity”、“CAMP 底特律”和“底特律设计节之公共设计装置”。
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**DESCRIPTION**

Dundee is a remarkable city with a population of 147,000 inhabitants – small and compact, but reaching far beyond its boundaries with a thriving and innovative design heart. Just a century ago, Dundee was an economic power house – a centre for the textile trade and shipbuilding. Although now mass production is almost all gone, design is still an integral part of Dundee’s contemporary creative scene and economy, with expertise in fashion and textile, art and jewellery as well as a wealth of digital companies making their mark on the world.

Dundee has two world class Universities: the University of Dundee boasts Duncan of Jordanstone School of Art and Design, one of the top art schools in the UK. Abertay University specialises in digital design and is a world leader in computer games teaching and research. Dundee is seen as a home of gaming by many, with Grand Theft Auto and Lemmings first created in the city. Today, Minecraft, the number one game in the world, is made for console there. Comic book graphic design has been part of what Dundee does for decades, and Dundee is the home of favourites such as OorWullie, Dennis the Menace and Desperate Dan.

With a £1 billion waterfront urban redevelopment project that will include the first Design Museum in Scotland, Dundee uses design and creativity to build and sustain economic growth, but also to change lives in the city. The City Values agreement shows Dundee’s commitment to using design to improve people’s lives and foster sustainable urban development. The city is now home to a cutting edge life science sector, a dynamic digital media industry, respected higher education institutions, major events, including the Dundee Design Festival, and a vibrant design and creative industries sector.

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DESCRIPTION

With approximately 300,000 inhabitants, Graz is the second largest city in Austria and is home to two UNESCO World Heritage sites: the old town in the city centre and the castle of Eggenberg. In 2003, Graz was European Capital of Culture and in March 2011, it was designated UNESCO City of Design. Graz is known for its lively creative scene and internationally renowned educational and research institutions. There are also many innovative companies based in Graz that recognize design and creativity as unique opportunities for innovation.

Following Graz’s designation as UNESCO City of Design, major advances in the economic and tourist sector are expected for the Graz metropolitan area and for the surrounding region of Styria. To that effect, the networking association Creative Industries Styria (CIS) was founded to contribute to promoting international collaboration and enhancing connections with the private sector.

Recognizing design as an attitude in urban culture, Graz acknowledges the pivotal role of intelligent design on the living environment and values both the aesthetic component of design as well as its ability to make daily life more liveable.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Graz envisages:

- strengthening cooperation with other cities from the UCCN, notably during the Graz Month of Design, with a view to further developing the international component of the Network;
- increasing the visibility of the Cities of Design;
- reinforcing intra-network communication with a view to strengthening the creative community within a globalized economic context; and
- enhancing knowledge exchange.
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DESCRIPTION

Using an approach that is both collaborative and practical, Helsinki uses design to improve city life. In its efforts to create a better city, Helsinki calls on the creativity of designers to imagine innovative ways of focusing on human needs. By following this approach, Helsinki is proud to say that the city is being created through the creativity of its people.

As Creative City of Design, Helsinki will continue to develop educational opportunities related to design in the primary schools and through recreational activities.

For Helsinki, design is a strategic tool in building an open city. The availability of public information increases citizens’ understanding of their living environments. This, in turn, helps citizens become more involved in city life and allows designers and developers to use this data to create services that meet users’ needs. The city’s belief that good design should be available to everyone is illustrated in the integration of design in the local transport system through practical metro seats which were designed in collaboration with the users.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Helsinki envisions:

- sharing its experiences in public sector design services: Helsinki has been using design in public sector service development for several years and has hired three “city designers” to help the city integrate design into its services;

- developing a more open and transparent city: Helsinki has opened more than 1,100 datasets as open data. One of the key developments in increasing transparency in the administration has been publishing the city’s procurement and decision making data; and

- improving design-related educational opportunities: Helsinki continues enhancing educational tools that help children use design and understand how design works.

概述

赫尔辛基使用既有合作性又有实用性的方法——设计——来改善城市生活，为努力营造一座更美好的城市，赫尔辛基呼吁设计师利用创意和创造力来构想并关注人类需求的创新方法。以此，赫尔辛基可以自豪地宣称，正是该市市民的创造力创建了这座城市。

作为创意城市设计之都，赫尔辛基将通过休闲活动，继续在小学阶段通过寓教于乐的方式发展与设计相关的各种教育机会。

对于赫尔辛基而言，设计是一种构建开放城市的战略工具，对公共信息的获取增加了市民对其实生活环境的理解。这也将有助于市民更多地参与到城市生活中，并且能够使设计师和开发人员通过使用这些数据创造出符合用户需求的服务。赫尔辛基的理念是优秀的设计应该向所有人开放。当地交通系统整合设计中，用户合作参与设计的实用性地铁座椅便是实例之一。

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作为创意城市设计之都，赫尔辛基希望：

- 分享其在公共领域设计服务的经验：多年以来，赫尔辛基一直在公共服务的发展过程中运用设计，并聘请了3位“城市设计师”来帮助该市将设计整合到城市服务中；

- 建设一座更开放、更透明的城市：目前为止，赫尔辛基已经开设了1100多个数据集作为开放数据，在提高行政管理透明度方面的一项重要举措是公开与政府采购和决策相关的数据；

- 改善设计相关的受教育机会：赫尔辛基将继续强化教育工具，帮助孩子们使用设计并且理解设计是如何起效的。
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DESCRIPTION

With a population of 300,000 inhabitants, Kaunas is the second largest city of Lithuania. Known for being the temporary capital city of the independent Republic of Lithuania during the interwar period, Kaunas sought to become a modern European city. Lithuanian architects started to design and build houses in the style of modernism – in German called the Bauhaus – which was avant-garde in Europe at that time. Today, this legacy remains, and design and architecture are still the main driving sectors of the city’s creative economy.

Kaunas intends to make this rich legacy a stepping-stone to foster a modern, creative and inclusive city. A wide cultural offering is provided through the city’s 60 museums and galleries, as well as festivals and fairs such as the Kaunas Architecture Festival (KAFE), the Design Week and the Kaunas Biennial. In addition, the city is home to the Architecture and Urbanism Research Centre, which supports design-driven creative hubs integrating features of traditional architecture into the modern urban life.

As the architecture of buildings and streets retains the city’s cultural identity while emphasizing collective memory, the municipality has dedicated a large area of the old town to cultural and creative events. The city has made itself an environment conducive for creativity by establishing facilities for young entrepreneurs such as the Talent Garden Kaunas and the Arts Incubator. Urban creativity, good quality of life and sustainable urban development are at the core of the on-going strategic development plan of Kaunas until 2022.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Kaunas envisages:

- creating a municipal funding programme aimed to support the mobility of young artists and students through residencies and exchange programmes within the UCCN;
- nurturing collective memory with the use of information and communications technology (ICT) to develop an interactive memory storage, and new applications showcasing and revalorizing the city’s artistic heritage from the interwar; and
- developing joint initiatives with other Creative Cities of Design including brainstorming sessions on how to invest the public space with works of design to improve quality of urban life.

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作为创意城市设计之都，考纳斯希望：

- 创建一项市政融资计划，通过联合国教科文组织“创意城市网络”内的驻留和交流计划，为青年艺术家和学生的流动提供支持；
- 使用信息通信技术（ICT）开发一种交互式记忆存储，并利用新的应用程序展示并重现这座城市来自两次世界大战之间的艺术遗产的风采，孕育集体记忆；
- 与其他“创意城市设计之都”制定联合倡议，包括举行“头脑风暴”会议来探讨如何在公共空间利用设计作品来提高城市生活质量。
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DESCRIPTION

Since pre-modern times, Kobe has been at a crossroads for the exchange of goods, cultures and information. In this way, the city has formed its own distinct culture by fusing together diverse elements and traditions from around the world.

The opening of the Kobe port in 1868 led to the development of urban resources which have shaped the city’s image. Additionally, through the process of reconstruction following the Great Hanshin Earthquake of 1995, Kobe has learned the importance of strong interpersonal ties and the spirit of mutual aid, values that can be found in the city’s creative sector today.

Following Kobe’s designation as Creative City of Design, the former Raw Silk Testing Centre was renovated and transformed into the “Design and Creative Centre Kobe”, which serves as a hub for creativity and houses projects in line with Kobe’s Creative City programme. Aspiring to be a modern design city focusing on growth and the wellbeing of its citizens, Kobe believes that design has the power to communicate both beauty and empathy. Kobe is committed to using design as a tool to address the challenges facing today’s societies.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Kobe envisages:

- developing the art and culture festival “Kobe Biennale”, which gathers art from Japan and around the world;
- hosting the creative workshop “Chibikkobe” at the Design and Creative Center (KIITO) that will bring together Kobe’s children and creators; and
- promoting the issue+design project, developed to tackle social problems through creativity and design.

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作为创意城市设计之都，神户希望：

- 发展汇集日本和世界各地艺术的“神户双年展”文化艺术节；
- 在设计和创意中心（KIITO）举办创意工场“Chibikkobe”，将神户的儿童和创作者汇聚在一起；
- 推动“问题+设计”项目（issue+design project），通过创意和设计解决社会问题。
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DESCRIPTION

Founded in 1642, Montréal is the largest metropolis in the Province of Québec, Canada, with a population of about 1.9 million. The city is also the world’s second-largest French-speaking city. In 1991, Montréal became the first North American city to create the position of a design commissioner, dedicated exclusively to the development and promotion of design and to raise awareness among private and public sector stakeholders of the benefits of good design.

Montréal is definitely a “city of designers”: Over 25,000 professionals work in this lively field that is responsible for 34% of the overall economic impact of the cultural sector. Strategies have been developed over the years to highlight Montréal’s designation as a UNESCO City of Design, such as ensuring better recognition for designers, improving access to public commissions for designers, raising awareness of the talents of Montréal designers and architects, and developing their markets. Efforts to broaden the use of design and architecture competitions have resulted in multiple calls to creative practitioners aimed at increasing design quality for buildings and public spaces.

The city also boasts a significant number of venues for the presentation of design, along with well-known organizations that highlight the creations of designers and architects from Montréal and elsewhere. These include the Design Centre of Université du Québec in Montréal, the Canadian Centre for Architecture, the Montréal Museum of Fine Arts and the Maison de l’architecture du Québec.

Montréal is home to a host of renowned educational institutions, including some 20 college-level teaching institutions and more than 50 research chairs, including the UNESCO Chair in Landscape and Environmental Design at Université de Montréal and four others with a design focus.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Montréal envisages:

- contributing extensively and actively to the coordination and development of the Network through various means, such as the coordination of the CODE Project for the UNESCO Cities of Design; the organization of international colloquia in partnership with Saint-Étienne or Montréal’s status as Guest City at the 2015 Designmonat in Graz;

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DESCRIPTION

Located in the centre of Japan, Nagoya is the capital of the Aichi prefecture. The region is home to 49 universities and museums and counts over 2 million inhabitants. Leading engineers from all over the country have gathered here and have created advanced designs and technology, such as mechanical dolls that are the foundation of today’s Monozukuri manufacturing.

As early as 1989, Nagoya has put design at the forefront of its development. Since then, the municipality has focused on community building, product manufacturing and the fostering of human resources. In Nagoya, design is synonymous with humanism, a philosophy that aims to achieve lasting peace by combining activities directed towards a new way of life, human wisdom, as well as techniques and technologies that have been evolving since antiquity.

Over the years Nagoya has organized various major international design conferences, such as the World Design Exposition and has established the International Design Centre of Nagoya. This centre is intended to promote the design sector through several initiatives including the creator’s shops, which support the work of young designers; the gallery showcasing a collection of American Art Deco; and the Design Gallery, an open space for exhibitions by designers and other creators. Equipped with a multi-purpose hall, seminar rooms and the Design Lab incubation offices, the centre serves as a comprehensive support base for design. It leverages an international network aiming at the development of a wide variety of creative enterprises.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Nagoya envisions:

- creating opportunities for the next generation: setting up collaborations between businesses and schools to discover and develop talented young designers in order to invigorate regional industry; and promoting partnerships between citizens and the design sector;

- expanding the city’s environmental efforts: Nagoya has overcome major environmental issues through the restructuring of its garbage disposal system and through extensive awareness raising campaigns developed in cooperation with civil society. In the future, Nagoya will implement a variety of projects aimed at the creation of a “recycling society” and the development of an eco-friendly city; and

- networking with diverse cultures: Cooperating with other members of the Creative Cities Network, Nagoya is determined to establish a global perspective with young designers, and engage in new projects together.

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作为创意城市的名古屋，其希望有:

- 为下一代创造机会：在企业和院校间建立合作，发掘并培养有才华的年轻设计师，以此振兴地区产业；推动市民与设计产业之间的各种合作；

- 加大对改善环境方面的努力：名古屋通过重组其垃圾处理系统，与社会民众合作开展意识提升活动，克服了一系列重大的环境问题。在未来，名古屋还将以创造“循环社会”和建设生态友好城市的宗旨，开展各类项目；

- 通过与其他创意城市网络成员的合作，名古屋立志与年轻设计师一起，建立全球视野，并且共同参与新项目。

概述

名古屋是爱知县的首府，位于日本中部地带，该地区人口数量超过200万，并且拥有49所大学和博物馆。全国各地的优秀工程师聚集于此，创造出先进的设计和技术，例如成就了当今制造业基础的机械玩偶就诞生于此。

早在1989年，名古屋就将设计作为其发展的优先项目。自那时起，市政当局便专注于社区建设、产品生产和人力资源的培训。在名古屋，设计是人文主义的同义词，是一种通过结合引领全新生活方式的活动、人类的智慧以及自古以来不断演变的技艺和技术以实现持久和平的一种哲学。

多年来，名古屋组织了各种大型国际设计会议，如世界设计博览会，并建立了名古屋国际设计中心。该中心旨在通过多种举措推动设计产业的发展，其中包括支持年轻设计师创作的“创意商店”，用以展示一系列美国装饰艺术作品收藏的美术馆，以及一个供设计师和其他创作者使用的公开展览空间等。名古屋国际设计中心配备有多功能厅、研讨会议室以及命名为“设计实验室”的产业孵化办公室，为设计产业的发展提供全方位支撑。同时，它也带动了推动各类创意企业发展国际网络。
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Fourth largest city of Mexico with an approximate 1,540,000 inhabitants, Puebla is distinguished by its steadfast creativity-led development. The local creative economy represents 7.26% of the state GDP, generating 38,663 formal jobs, or 5.4% of jobs in the economically active population (EAP). In line with the national commitment to rely on the immense potential of creativity for sustainable urban renewal, Puebla has, within a five-year period, invested with $1,250 billion in 1,374 creative projects, of urban design in particular, to improve quality of life through efficient access to urban services, as well as to increase available infrastructure for creative entrepreneurs and creators.

Puebla fosters cross-cutting approaches as highlighted by the unique International Festival of Brilliant Mindswich aims to arouse curiosity by showcasing the most innovative ideas in design, science, technology, politics, education and business. In addition, the flagship city programme, “Puebla Capital of Innovation and Design”, works toward a multi-stakeholder and multi-level approach of cooperation by involving one hundred people from businesses, academia, civil society and governments in decision-making processes. By working together, they aim to establish common ideas to further promote design as a strategic tool for participatory urban planning, as well as inclusive competitiveness and prosperity.

The municipality is committed to ensuring resilient, safe, human-centred urban development and social stability through creativity. Many initiatives were organised to support this such as the “Celebraton” project in which the city commissioned local architects to design artistic warning signs on pedestrian crossings, which in turn significantly reduced transit accidents throughout the city. Another flagship project, called “Reciclatón Puebla”, asked 241 universities and 492 diverse institutions to participate in a campaign of mass recycling to raise awareness on environment sustainability. Puebla is thus well on the way to achieving creativity-led sustainable development.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Puebla envisages:

- implementing the Model City housing project aimed to foster sustainable urban design, inclusive productivity and social integration, with the overall goal of ensuring a good quality of urban life for all by 2020;
- carrying out the Puebla University Capital; a multi-stakeholder and multi-level initiative focused on local and regional mechanisms and strategies placing knowledge and education as core enablers for sustainable urban development;
- positioning Puebla as a national and international reference in the field of design with the Puebla Capital of Innovation and Design project, focusing on creative thinking, innovation and design as strategic assets for prosper competitiveness based on participatory governance;
- implementing the Smart Puebla project aimed to comprehensively respond to the needs of denizens in the areas of mobility, urban planning, government, economy, energy, environment, resilience, security, education and health; and
- cooperating actively within the UCCN through multi-disciplinary projects allowing cross-cutting approaches for achieving sustainable urban development.

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作为创意城市设计之都，普埃布拉希望：

- 实施“模范城市”住宅项目，旨在促进可持续的城市设计、包容性生产力和社会融合，确保 2020 年大众城市生活质量良好的总体目标达成；
- 开展“普埃布拉高校之都”项目，即重点关注地方和区域机制及策略的多方利益相关方、多层次举措，将知识和教育作为城市可持续发展的核心动力；
- 利用“普埃布拉创新和设计之都”项目，将普埃布拉市定位为设计领域的国家和国际典范，重点关注创意思维、创新和设计，并以其作为基于参与式城市治理竞争力的战略资产；
- 实施“智慧普埃布拉”项目，旨在全面应对居民区迁移、城市规划、政府、经济、能源、环境、复兴、安全、教育和健康方面的需求；
- 在联合国教科文组织创意城市网络内通过跨学科项目开展积极合作，利用跨领域交叉方式实现城市可持续发展。
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Saint-Étienne is a constantly-changing city, driven by the relationship between art and industry for more than two centuries. From the industrial city to the visionary city, Saint-Étienne makes "living together" the common denominator of all its actions. It uses design as a developer and catalyst for the creative potential of all. Saint-Étienne is a UNESCO City of Design since 2010, strengthening a network strategy developed by the notoriety of its higher school of art and design, the success of the International Design Biennial since 1998, and the pole of excellence represented by the Design City since 2005. Saint Étienne Metropole is the first French local authority to integrate, since 2010, a design management function in the design and implementation of its public policies. This approach helped to equip the area with design innovation tools focused on practice and experimentation. The action resulted in hundreds of achievements transforming the daily lives of companies, communities and citizens; thus highlighting the plurality of the design fields: service design, product design, digital design, graphic design, design and social innovation, and industrial design. Saint Étienne Metropole won the Design Management Europe 2013 award, which rewarded the contribution of design management to the success of strategies of companies and public services from 17 European countries. These concrete long term actions provide a clear design vision and make the Saint-Étienne area a fertile ground for innovation. The city has many major institutions in the field of design, such as the Design City, Saint Étienne Metropole Modern Art Museum, the Museum of Art and Industry, Le Corbusier’s Firminy-Vert and even La Rotonde, centre of scientific, technical and industrial culture. Finally, many opportunities for vocational training are offered in addition to the numerous major events organized in the field of design.

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- creating links between creative communities; and
- forming a pole of expertise which aims to develop cooperation to make cities more human and more creative.

两个多世纪以来，艺术和工业之间的联系推动了圣艾蒂安的发展，也使其成为一个不断变革的城市，从工业城市发展成一个具有远见的城市。圣艾蒂安的每一次变革都体现了“共同生活”，以及把设计作为激发所有创造性潜能的推动力和催化剂的理念。2010年，圣艾蒂安成为联合国教科文组织“设计之都”。此后，其在艺术与设计学院良好声誉的影响下，创始于1998年的国际设计双年展屡获成功。自2005年以来，通过以“设计城”为代表的产业集聚群的创立，圣艾蒂安发展出一套网络策略，并将其不断强化。

2010年，圣艾蒂安大区成为法国第一个将设计管理功能纳入公共政策的制定和实施的地方行政单位。该举措为圣艾蒂安大区提供了一种注重实践与实验的设计创新模式，并造就了改变企业、社区和市民日常生活数百项成果。这一举措彰显了设计领域的一切多样性：服务设计、产品设计、数字设计、图像设计、设计和社会创新以及工业设计等，不一而足。圣艾蒂安大区曾荣获2013年欧洲设计管理大奖。此奖用以表彰设计管理对来自17个欧洲国家的企事业单位的战略成功所做出的贡献。这些具体的长期举措催生了清晰的设计理念，使圣艾蒂安成为创新的沃土。

圣艾蒂安在设计领域有很多重要的机构，包括“设计城”、圣艾蒂安大区现代艺术博物馆、艺术与工业博物馆、勒科比西耶设计的绿色菲尔米尼（Firminy-Vert）建筑群以及拉罗通德（La Rotonde）科学、技术、工业文化中心。除了举办很多设计领域的重大活动，圣艾蒂安还提供众多职业培训的机会。

**对网络的贡献**

作为创意城市设计之都，圣艾蒂安希望：

- 传播以传统和“以人为本”的新生活方式为重点的设计文化；
- 分享经验和优秀的设计实践；
- 加快城市发展；
- 提高居民生活质量；
- 推广当地设计师和企业；
- 在创意社群之间建立联系；
- 组建高度专业的团队，以促进合作，使城市更加人性化、更具创造性。
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DESCRIPTION

Seoul is the capital city of Korea and is the social, economic and cultural centre of the country. With approximately 73% of Korean designers concentrated in Seoul, the city is at the heart of the national design scene. Seoul’s design sector focuses on various IT related devices, digital home appliances, the automotive industry as well as various cultural and economic activities to serve over 10 million city residents.

Design connects industries and new value creators. The Government of Seoul is therefore supporting technological development through linking its design companies with the city’s leading industries. In particular, the Dongdaemun Design Plaza (DDP), designed by Zaha Hadid, was created as a cultural hub at the centre of the busiest and most historic district of Seoul. This mega infrastructure, dedicated to design and the creative industries, has revitalized the economy of the district. The 86,574m² DDP comprises a Design Museum, an Art Hall and a Design Lab including a design library and educational design facilities.

In recent years, over 170,000 jobs have been generated within Seoul’s design industry alone. Nearly a third of these jobs are in the manufacturing and design consultancy sectors; another third are in fashion design. Moreover, Seoul is home to thousands of advertising specialists, architects, game designers and digital content developers.

A city’s creative output is based on its identity. Seoul’s greatest strength is its ability to celebrate diversity. Achieving remarkable growth within a short period of time was made possible by people’s ability to embrace diverse values and deal positively with the conflicts and compromises that emerge in such a process.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Seoul envisages:

- developing the goal of transitioning the Creative Cities into healthy and sustainable places through the knowledge sharing and exchange;
- promoting industrial exchange to cooperatively overcome the challenges of the information era;
- communicating on Seoul’s urban achievements through policy exchange; and
- carrying out student exchanges in order to foster creativity.
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DESCRIPTION

Shanghai is located on the east coast of China near the Yangtze River Delta. Recognized internationally for its mixture of Western and Eastern cultures, is the largest commercial and financial centre in China with a surface area of 6,340.5 km² and a population of 24.15 million inhabitants. Shanghai was the first city in China to have creative industry units such as the first design, film and music studios.

In February 2010, Shanghai joined the UNESCO Creative Cities Network as City of Design, demonstrating its determination to put design at the core of its sustainable economic growth and development plan. In 2013, the creative industries in Shanghai reached an added value of 255.5 billion Yuan, an increase of 11.8% from the previous year. The added value of industrial design increased by 10.3% to attain 63.6 billion Yuan meanwhile the added value of architecture design increased by 10.8%, to reach 128.5 billion Yuan.

By the end of 2013, Shanghai was home to 87 Creative Clusters, over 4,000 innovative design-related agencies and institutions, 239 art institutions, 283 art and cultural community centres, 100 museums, 25 libraries and 743 archive institutions.

Shanghai established the UNESCO Creative City (Shanghai) Promotion Office within the framework of the Municipal Commission of Economy and Technology, which is the main governmental organization responsible for promoting the subnetwork of Cities of Design; upgrading industries through mobilizing all related sectors; promoting the planning and implementation of policies; and supporting international cooperation and exchange in the creative design industries.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Shanghai envisages:

- strengthening the exchanges on creation, production, distribution, and enjoyment of cultural goods and services between Cities of Design and other creative fields of the UCCN;
- producing a Creative Cities Development Report to share the experience and best-practices of being a creative city; and
- developing initiatives linking design and folk arts to demonstrate the importance of combining modern design and cultural heritage.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市设计之都，上海希望：

- 加强与创意城市网络中的设计之都以及其他创意领域的城市之间的文化产品与服务的创作、生产、流通和享有的交流；
- 制作创意城市发展报告，分享创意城市的经验和最佳实践；
- 开发将设计与民间艺术相结合的项目，展示现代设计和文化遗产相融合的重要性。
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DESCRIPTION

Shenzhen is a major design hub and one of the leading design cities in China. The city, once an ordinary border town neighbouring Hong Kong, was chosen as China’s first special economic zone on August 26th, 1980. As the vanguard spearheading China’s reform and opening-up policy, the city has been regarded as the model for the country’s economic success over the past three decades. The concept of modern Chinese design was gradually created in Shenzhen and has increasingly become a part of the city and its residents.

Shenzhen has more than 6,000 design firms accounting for 100,000 employees, creating a yearly output of around 11 billion Yuan (US$1.54 billion). Designers in Shenzhen cover various design fields such as graphic design, industry design, interior and architectural design, fashion design, toy design, jewellery design, crafts design, etc. The city has become China’s largest production base for women’s clothing. More than 30,000 designers work for more than 800 Chinese fashion brands.

The capacity for innovation is strong in Shenzhen. Nowadays the city is recognized as one of the comprehensive Chinese bases for high-tech industries and an important centre for the development of intellectual property rights. About 40,000 patents are granted to Shenzhen enterprises annually, half of which are concerned with innovative designs.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Shenzhen envisages:

- organizing the Shenzhen Design Award for Young Talents (SZDAY), involving all members of the Network, targeting young designers under 35. The award focuses on the contributions of creativity to environmental sustainability, social and economic development and the quality of living in cities. Furthermore, the SZDAY aims to encourage exchange between young talents from different countries, inspire cooperation between creative cities and nurture the sharing of experiences and ideas for developing creative and cultural industries;

- hosting the annual Graphic Design Biennale Exhibition in China, one of the most influential graphic design events in China; and

- organizing international conferences on a regular basis such as the International Conference on Creative Design for Sustainable Development, held in Paris, involving other Creative Cities.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市设计之都，深圳希望：

- 举办面向所有创意城市网络成员城市中35岁以下青年设计师的深圳创意设计新锐奖（SZDAY）。该奖项着眼于创意对环境的可持续性、社会和经济的发展以及城市生活质量所做出的贡献。此外，新锐奖旨在鼓励来自不同国家的青年人才间的交流，激发创意城市之间的合作，推动创意和文化产业发展经验与理念的交流；

- 举办中国最具影响力的平面设计活动之一“平面设计双年展”；

- 定期举办有其他创意城市参与的国际性会议，例如之前在巴黎举办的可持续发展创意设计国际会议。
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DESCRIPTION

Located in Southeast Asia, Singapore is a modern, cosmopolitan and bustling city-state, where design has always played a significant role in its development. Being a densely populated city of 5.5 million inhabitants, Singapore’s urban design incorporates smart solutions to meet the needs of its citizens in terms of housing, healthcare, education and transportation. Design remains the key driver of the local creative economy by contributing annually about $2.13 million to the city-state’s GDP, with an estimated 5,500 active design enterprises employing up to 29,000 people.

To further spearhead the development of design, in 2003, the Ministry of Culture established the now prominent DesignSingapore Council, responsible for the design-related main programmes and events, including the Singapore Design Week (SDW). The SDW stimulates multi-stakeholder cooperation, as well as multidisciplinary approaches that are core to Singapore’s vision of design based on social inclusion, environmental sustainability and well-being.

Singapore has completed a master plan to work towards sustaining the design sector called the “DesignSingapore Council – II”. This initiative consisted of a three-pronged strategy. In a six-year period, the city has: strengthened local capacities of design professionals for the global competitive cluster, enabled small and medium-sized (SMEs) enterprises to leverage design as a driver for the city’s economic and social sustainable growth, and developed innovation, research and development to enhance productivity and competitiveness of the sector at the international level.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Singapore envisages:

- extending the training programmes of the Design Thinking & Innovation Academy, focusing on design as an enabler of sustainable growth, productivity and prosperity;
- addressing the specific needs of the elderly population through the “Public Service Transformation” programme aimed to adapt urban services and therefore enhance the quality of life of the elderly in the city;
- encouraging cross-disciplinary approaches through the implementation of the “National Design Centre – Cross-creative collaborations” workshops, mixing design with crafts and folk art and gastronomy;
- organizing an exhibition showcasing best practices and projects of the Creative Cities of Design, to serve as a dialogue platform while enhancing international networking for urban planners and designers; and
- promoting multidisciplinary projects, highlighting the contribution of design to global sustainable urban development.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市设计之都，新加坡希望：

- 扩展“设计思维与创新学院”的培训课程，重点关注设计作为可持续增长、生产力和城市繁荣的驱动力；
- 通过“公共服务转型”计划，解决老年人口的特殊需求，以改进城市服务，从而提高城市老年人的生活质量；
- 通过举行“国家设计中心交叉创意合作”研讨会鼓励跨领域方式的运用，整合民间艺术和手工艺设计及美食文化；
- 以展览会作为对话平台，展示各“创意城市设计之都”的最佳实践和项目，同时加强城市规划者和设计者的国际网络的建设；
- 推进跨领域项目，突出设计对全球可持续城市发展的重要作用。
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Torino has been one of Italy’s main industrial centres with the rise of the steel, mechanic, chemical, textile and automobile industries, which have dominated the city’s development for almost a century. Over the past few decades, the city has successfully transformed itself from an industrial centre to a creative hub. Torino’s knowledge of design and production processes, acquired through its industrial past, has laid the foundation for the future. Torino is one of the most dynamic cities in the cultural and creative field in Italy. The Creativity and culture field in Torino represents 9.1% of total Italian number of active bodies and companies, the third in Italy, with about 100,000 employees and people involved. In the metropolitan area, there are about 1,000 creative companies involving 47,000 employees and contributing with an annual revenue of 13 million Euro to the local creative economy.

In 2008, Torino was designated as World Design Capital and has, ever since, distinguished itself as a hub in this field. The city comprises seven universities and institutes offering high level design-related courses to around 100,000 students, namely the University of Torino, the Polytechnic of Torino, the Accademia Albertina of Fine Arts, the IED - European Institute of Design, the IAAD - Institute of Applied Arts and Design, the University of Piemonte Orientale, and the University of Gastronomic Sciences. In the design sector, the most important gatherings are the Artissima fair, the View Conference and Fest, Torino City of Design event, Operae – Independent Design festival, Salonedell’Auto, Torino Fashion Week. In addition, Torino is an UN and UNESCO centre with ILO, UNICRI, UINSSC and SIIOI seats, as well as the Residences of the Royal House of Savoy and in the MAB with Collina Po being inscribed on the World Heritage List.

The promotion of creativity and sustainability as well as the regeneration of urban spaces are at the core of the city’s development. The municipality is committed to lead its policies towards improving the social and environmental conditions with design thinking by raising the whole design chain thanks to a design advisory board involving different stakeholders, to capitalize on the full synergetic potential of working towards common goals with a common strategy on design. The city is also engaged to spread design culture inside the public administration decision making policies, as well as raise awareness among all citizens about the capacity of design knowledge and use to improve the cultural and social conditions and environments.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Design, Torino envisages:

- multiplying cultural exchange programmes, residencies, workshops and seminars with other Creative Cities of Design to foster the mobility of artists;
- organizing public events to enhance the city design chain by sharing experiences and raising awareness on the design added value for the citizens’ well-being;
- nurturing cooperation with other Creative Cities of Design to support the international independent design through exhibitions and business opportunities;
- generating new educational, employment and business opportunities for designers and companies through ICT to be shared at the international level.

2008 年，都灵被命名为“世界设计之都”，此后该市成为了设计领域的枢纽和中心。该市拥有都灵大学、都灵理工大学、阿尔贝蒂纳美术学院、欧洲设计学院、应用艺术与设计学院、皮埃蒙特东方大学等 7 所高等学府和研究机构，为大约 10 万名学生提供与设计相关的高水准课程。在设计领域，该市最重要的活动包括“Artissima博览会”、“景观会议和集会”、“都灵设计之都”活动、“Operae-独立设计”节、汽车展和都灵时装周等。此外，都灵市是联合国教科文组织下属和相关机构的所在地，其中包括国际劳工组织、联合国区域间犯罪和司法研究院、联合国系统职员学院和意大利国际组织协会，同时也是收录入世界遗产名录以及地处人与生物圈计划之科里纳山丘地区的萨沃王宫所在地。

推广创意和可持续性以及城市空间的再生是该市发展的核心。基于其涵盖各利益相关方的设计咨询委员会，该市致力于通过设计思维来提升整个设计链，从而引导其政策来改善社会和环境条件。同时基于共同的设计策略，充分利用工作协同潜力以达成共同目标。该城市还在公共行政决策体系内传播设计理念，以及提升所有民众对于设计知识和应用在改善文化和社会条件及环境的能力的认识。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市设计之都，都灵希望：

- 扩大与其他创意城市设计之都间的文化交流计划、驻留计划、研讨会和讨论会，以提高艺术家的流动性；
- 举办公共活动，通过分享经验提升城市设计链，并且提高在设计提升公民福祉所产生的附加值方面的认识；
- 通过展览和商业机会，与其他创意城市设计之都进行合作，为国际独立设计提供支持；
- 通过在国际层面上共享信息和通信技术为设计师和企业创造新的教育、就业和商业机会。
CREATIVE CITIES OF FILM
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DESCRIPTION

Located in the south of the Republic of Macedonia, Bitola is the second largest city in the country with around 122,000 inhabitants. The city’s film heritage originated from the early 20th century with the film industry now representing the backbone of the city’s creative economy. Bitola’s history with film dates back to the Manaki brothers who, as film and photography pioneers, brought to Bitola – formerly named Manastir – the Bioscope 300 film camera. The brothers famously filmed the very first motion pictures shot in the Ottoman Balkans.

Today, the legacy of the Manaki brothers remains unchanged as illustrated by the Manaki Brothers International Cinematographers Film Festival held in their honour every year since 1979. The Documentary genre is a prominent part of the Bitola film culture with many initiatives supporting the field, such as the International Festival of Non Professional Documentary Film - Camera 300. The Cultural Summer Bit Festival also hosts a Documentary Programme which supports nongovernmental organisations and independent directors producing documentary films. Funded by the city, the programme has produced more than 50 documentaries since starting.

As the city is alive with film, the Municipality has recently implemented two main programmes dedicated to supporting film creation: the Open Studio Film City and Filmland Bitola. Both aim to promote the industry and make the city an internationally-known centre for film. Filmland Bitola specifically provides assistance to both local and international filmmakers on technical services, notably on the identification of locations, and has so far benefited 16 films from various countries worldwide.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Bitola envisages:

- nurturing the vibrant role of film in Bitola’s creative economy, notably by expanding the scope of the programme Filmland Bitola through public-private and inter-sectoral partnerships involving public cultural centres, universities, academia and private production companies;
- fostering the city’s cultural offerings through exhibitions, festivals, workshops and other events especially based on the film heritage of the Manaki brothers;
- positioning Bitola as an international hub for film creation by providing special provisions to both local and international film professionals; and
- exchanging experience and knowledge with other Creative Cities of Film, to discuss how the creative industry of film can foster sustainable and inclusive urban development.
Creative City of Film
创意城市电影之都

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DESCRIPTION

In 2009 Bradford was designated as a UNESCO City of Film in recognition of the city’s rich film heritage, its inspirational movie locations and its many celebrations of the moving image through the city’s annual film festivals.

Bradford has a long history associated with film and filmmaking dating back to the birth of cinema and has long been acknowledged by the film industry as a film-friendly city. Bradford is a key location for film and television production and boasts a number of key film festivals including the Bradford International Film Festival, the Bradford Animation Festival and is also home to the National Media Museum.

Bradford offers learning opportunities for students of all ages. Primary school children benefit from a unique film literacy programme; secondary school pupils have the opportunity to study the ways in which films create meaning as part of the English National Curriculum; and three colleges and the University of Bradford provide over 45 related introductory, post-graduate and PhD courses. Opportunities for professional development in the film sector are also present.

The sheer volume and quality of work in Bradford’s film sector explain why so many film industry professionals choose to base themselves here. Thanks to the resources, facilities, support and passion for this creative field, Bradford is home to both amateurs and professionals alike.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Bradford envisages:

- using culture and creativity to drive social and economic development;
- fostering collaborations with other creative cities and sharing best practices; and
- informing local, national and international policies.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市电影之都，布拉德福德希望：

- 利用文化和创意，驱动社会和经济发展；
- 建立与其他创意城市的合作，分享最佳实践经验；
- 汇报当地、国家以及国际政策。
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DESCRIPTION

Through the early influence of Western culture, Busan developed strong roots in the film industry and was the first city in Korea to release a motion picture. Busan has also benefitted greatly from its natural environment of mountains, rivers, and sea, which provide many popular shooting locations for films as well as for national and international TV programmes.

In recent decades, Busan has developed into a creative hub, which is nowadays vital to the Asian film and visual industry. Focussing on sustainable growth, Busan has fostered amenities related to film, such as the improvement of production conditions or the installation of new R&D companies.

Launched in 1996, the Busan International Film Festival (BIFF) has become Asia’s premier film festival. With world-class infrastructure and professional human resources, Busan is now a standard-setter in the film industry. The Busan Cinema Centre, which was built to mark the success of BIFF, stands as a symbol of Busan, city of film. Established in 1999, the Busan Film Commission offers a full film production network covering planning, shooting and distribution.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Busan envisages:

- becoming a creative city of “Films for All”: ensuring an equal opportunity to benefit from the film industry, either in the creation, production, distribution or in the enjoyment of films;
- ensuring that citizens of all ages and from different communities across the city have equal opportunities to participate in a variety of film activities while guaranteeing both the physical and human infrastructure to offer creative, social and economic opportunities;
- further supporting the film, tourism and leisure industries;
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DESCRIPTION

Both an outpost facing west towards the Americas and a gateway to Europe, Galway stands at a pivotal vantage point on the West Coast of Ireland. Galway’s historic Spanish Arch, the remainder of a centuries-old bastion, is a reminder of the city’s multi-cultural, multi-lingual history and present-day character where imagination, commerce and the arts flourish.

The surrounding landscape, culture and language have attracted artists, musicians and writers for generations. In recent decades Galway has seen the rise of a burgeoning film, television and animation sector, bringing significant economic activity to the area. Galway is expanding its film audiences by building Galway’s first Art House Cinema and by supporting the development of the city’s film festivals and increasing the opportunities for film exhibitions in the region.

Galway’s overall vision is to showcase the rich heritage, tradition and legacy of film in the area, to broaden ongoing film activities and to enrich the social, economic and cultural contributions across the region.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Galway envisages:

- encouraging participation in and access to film-related events notably through community involvement in the documentary film process;
- embedding film into its civic life and ensuring that regional creative industries contribute to local and national development plans;
- extending Galway’s capacity for future productions;
- creating a Film Commission to help local and incoming production companies;
- enhancing media literacy and creative practices through working with teachers and schools on pilot programs and workshops.
- increasing opportunities for film education and training for primary, secondary and post-graduate school students as well as industry professionals;
- establishing sustainable local, national and international partnerships including student exchanges and film co-productions; and
- promoting cultural tourism as well as protecting and expanding the city’s film heritage and archives.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市电影之都，戈尔韦希望：

- 增强对于电影相关活动的参与度与涉及面，尤其是通过纪录片领域的社区参与度；
- 将电影植入市民生活，并确保区域创意产业有益于当地和国家的发展规划；
- 扩展戈尔韦未来的电影制作能力；
- 建立一个电影委员会以帮助当地和外来电影制片公司；
- 通过与教师和学校合作试点项目和工作坊，加强媒体方面的素养和创意实践；
- 增加针对小学生、中学生、研究生和业内专业人士的电影教育和培训机会；
- 建立地区性、国家性和国际性的可持续合作伙伴关系，包括学生交流和电影的联合制作；
- 促进文化旅游，保护并扩展城市电影遗产和档案。
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DESCRIPTION

Capital city of Italy with 2.9 million inhabitants, Rome has a rich legacy in motion pictures dating back to the early 20th century with the creation of the Cinecittà Studios. Being home to the largest film production facility in Europe, Rome became internationally renowned as the hub of Italian cinema. Adopted hometown of Federico Fellini, the so-called “Eternal City” has sustained its reputation as a vibrant city of film, and now supports a large sector with over 1300 active enterprises in the film industry, generating an annual added value of about 750 million euros. In addition, Rome’s film market has significantly strengthened with strong public-private cooperation.

Every autumn since 2006, Rome welcomes a wide audience of 150,000 from 25 countries to the International Rome Film Festival, which ranks among the top film festivals in the world. Following a week of film screenings, the audience is invited to reward the best films with “People’s Choice Awards”. This participative process highlights Rome’s steadfast commitment in making the film sector a key driver for social inclusion and cohesion. One of the sections of the Festival called “Alice Nella Città”, is also unique by being devoted to films directed by children divided in two groups: the over-12 and under-12.

Local institutions have strongly supported the emergence of cultural and creative industries in the past five years. Amongst other supporting programmes, the “Roma Provincia Creative” has established a regional fund to benefit young creative entrepreneurs, as well as a social network to exchange and promote their innovative projects. In the film sector, the Culture and Tourism Department of Rome has developed an urban renewal programme to restart the activity of 42 abandoned movie theatres by commissioning small and medium-sized local cooperatives to revitalize urban areas with creativity and innovation.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Rome envisions:

- establishing the Italian Audiovisual and Cinema Museum (Museo Italiano dell’Audiovisivo e del Cinema) aimed to both preserve and raise awareness about Italian film heritage, as well as to provide good practices in film restoration;
- increasing employment opportunities in the film sector for young entrepreneurs thanks to the Audiovisual Employment Observatory and based on strong public-private partnerships;
- encouraging cross-cutting approaches of film, music and literature through the “E-motion Rome” project;
- cooperating with other Creative Cities of Film to build a common data hub on audiovisual heritage at an international level to nurture intercultural dialogue and appreciation of cultural diversity;
- fostering the mobility of cinema students within the UCCN through exchange programmes of the International Film Preservation School and
- implementing the “Cine-Creative Communities” programme aimed to promote the film sector in least developed cities as a solid and self-sustainable creative economy.

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作为创意城市电影之都，罗马希望：

- 建立“意大利视听和电影博物馆”：旨在保护和提高对意大利电影遗产的认知以及在影片修复领域提供良好的实践；
- 在电影领域，依靠“视听领域就业观察中心”并于强大的公私伙伴关系为年轻创业家增加就业机会；
- 通过“E-动感罗马”项目鼓励采用电影、音乐与文学跨领域方式；
- 与其他创意城市开展合作，建立一个国际水准的视听遗产公共数据中心，以培养跨文化对话和文化多样性的追求；
- 通过“国际电影保护学校”交流计划在联合国教科文组织创意城市网络内增强电影院校学生的流动性；
- 实施“电影创意社区”计划，以电影产业作为实现强有力且自身可持续的创意经济，促进最不发达城市电影产业的发展。
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A coastal city of 435,000 inhabitants, Santos has a rich film legacy dating back to the 1900’s. In the mid-20th century, the city’s film industry reached the pinnacle of its success with the creation of the Clube de Cinema de Santos; the first established film club in Brazil. Ever since, the city has been committed in sustaining its film sector and making it a key driver of the local economy. With the support of the Santos Film Commission, 300 productions have been shot in the city in a five-year period, generating more than US$ 2.3 million of added value. Santos has 21 thriving production film companies and collectives that are extending their activities to an international level.

In 2002, Santos’ audiovisual sector gained strength with the launch of the Santos Short Film Festival, which is now ranked as one of the top 3 most attended festivals in Brazil. All the festival activities are free of charge and, in addition to film exhibitions and the screening of a thousand of short films, the programme also offers workshops aimed to inspire young people from different backgrounds to undertake studies and follow professional careers in the film sector. Besides the unique Cinema Transmedia Experience, Biennale is a non-competitive event focusing on innovative approaches to film appreciation with the use of new technologies.

The Cinema Coordination Section of Santos City Hall takes great care to further promote access to, and participation in, cultural life while ensuring social inclusion of all layers of the population, especially the most vulnerable and disadvantaged ones. In this framework, the “Community Cinema” project aims to democratize cinema by organizing weekly open-air film screenings throughout the city’s neighbourhoods, with a strong focus for the most deprived. In two years, the programme has directly benefitted over 2,500 people, proving the key role of cinema to nurture social cohesion.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Santos envisages:

- increasing employment opportunities for young people through the “Cine Escola” project focusing on capacity building and sustainable integration into the labour market;
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DESCRIPTION

The history of cinema in Sofia dates back to the beginning of the twentieth century. Over the decades, Sofia has become the centre of the Bulgarian film industry. Movies produced in the city have on many occasions been presented at international festivals. As a part of the UNESCO Creative Cities Network, Sofia will maximize its potential and broaden its outreach as a City of Film.

Sofia is home to a wide variety of cultural enterprises and an active service sector focusing on the film industry. Many professional organizations bringing together film directors and producers are also based in Sofia. The municipality of Sofia has therefore decided to target the expansion of the film industry as a strategic factor for the city’s sustainable development, with special focus being given to the stabilization and growth of small cultural enterprises.

Bulgaria’s biggest film school (NAFTA) is located in Sofia. It has gained wide attention through the organization of several international student film festivals. Students and lecturers are actively involved in the exchange of ideas with film schools and universities from abroad. Over the past eighteen years, the Sofia Film Festival has emerged to become the Balkans’ largest and most important film festival. Furthermore, the National Film Archive, focusing on the rich history of film in Bulgaria, is also located in Sofia.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Sofia envisages:

- broadening the network of national film organizations with a view to promoting the exchange of good practices and experiences, as well as collaboration with the other members of the UCCN;
- implementing new activities to support the creative sector’s small and medium-sized enterprises in order to create new jobs, especially for young people;
- conducting research in educational institutions concerning the Creative City Index;
- developing training programs for students in the cultural field;
- promoting the Bulgarian film industry around the world and building a new generation of film makers favouring international exchange; and
- providing alternative means of awareness-raising campaigns for all aspects of film, media literacy and audience development.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市电影之都，索菲亚希望：

- 扩大国家电影组织网络，以促进与创意城市网络其他成员城市之间优秀实践与经验的交流及合作；
- 为支持创意领域中小型企业而开展新的活动，创造新的就业机会，尤其是针对年轻人；
- 在教育机构开展关于创意城市指数的研究；
- 开发文化领域的学生培训项目；
- 在世界范围内推广保加利亚电影业，培养增进国际交流的新一代电影制作者；
- 针对电影、媒体素养和观众培育中的各个领域，实施提高大众意识的新举措。
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DESCRIPTION

Sydney is Australia’s undisputed film and television production hub. A city rich in culture with a passion for cinematography, Sydney leads Australia in the screen sector, with nearly 60% of all people employed nationally in production and post-production businesses based here. More than half of all Australian production and post-production businesses are located in the State of New South Wales.

The local creative industries have produced world-class talents including director George Miller, actors Hugh Jackman and Cate Blanchett as well as digital animation pioneers Animal Logic, creators of The Lego Movie. Sydney also boasts a kaleidoscope of filming locations from pristine beaches, lush mountains and bush land to stunning cityscapes.

Sydney is home to Fox Studios Australia, with the biggest sound stage in the Southern Hemisphere. The studio, which brought to life films including The Matrix, The Great Gatsby and The Wolverine, provides state of the art filming and digital resources for filmmakers.

Sydney’s dynamic and exciting screen productions challenge perceptions and help audiences to see the world differently, while at the same time telling great stories. From television series set in Sydney such as Redfern Now, or Janet King to movies on the big screen, Sydney loves watching movies as much as it loves making the content. The Sydney Film Festival, the Arab Film Festival, the Academy accredited Flickerfest short film festival, the Queer Screen Film Festival and the Tropfest Film Festival, to name just a few, reflect the eclectic cultural diversity of the city.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Film, Sydney envisages:

- promoting creativity and diversity in screen production, distribution and enjoyment;
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作为创意城市电影之都，悉尼希望：

- 促进电影制作、发行和观赏领域的创意与多样性；
- 继续为寻找世界级制作平台的创意产业提供友好和方便实用的环境。从经济角度而言，悉尼的影视制作基础设施使该市成为开发和制作电影项目的可行之地；
- 承诺公正、道德和可持续的电影制作，加强地区和国际参与者之间的合作。
CREATIVE CITIES OF GASTRONOMY
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DESCRIPTION

Belém, capital city of the Pará State with 1.5 million inhabitants has 65% of its territory distributed across 39 islands. This geographical asset offers the city a diversity of local food products such as seafood, açaí, cocoa and pupunha. Gastronomy is anchored in the city’s life, as it is home to the historic food market, Ver-o-Peso, which has given rise to the largest annual festival in the Amazon region dedicated to gastronomy. Today, the sector plays an important role in the local economy by employing 43,000 people.

The initiatives and programmes developed by the city particularly focus on food technology and innovation, as demonstrated by the establishment of the Institute for Food Technology affiliated with the Federal University of Pará, as well as by many research laboratories devoted to sustainable agrofood systems. A 2015 initiative, titled Belém City of Taste, testifies to significant efforts to improve nutrition habits of the population, notably of the youth.

Belém assumes a pivotal role in recognizing the field of gastronomy within local and national cultural policies. In September 2013, the city hosted the first Conference on Amazonian Gastronomy, which resulted in a request to the federal authorities to recognise gastronomy in all public policies related to culture. The proposal was adopted two months later by the official National Conference on Culture of the Ministry of Culture.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Belém envisages:

- establishing the Global Centre on Gastronomy and Biodiversity to improve the conditions for food clusters in technology, training and services involving the rural and urban dimensions, with the objective of setting the city as a global model in food technology and innovation;
- organizing the dialogue event dedicated to global creative gastronomy and focused on Belém special dishes and their corresponding dishes from other cuisines, while taking advantage of the comparative advantage of the UCCN by involving other Creative Cities of Gastronomy;
- implementing the cross-cutting project Paulo Martins aimed at establishing a pedestrian boulevard dedicated to gastronomy, music and folk art to foster the quality of urban life; and
- nurturing the dissemination of culinary specialties by establishing the Food Museum, the House of Herbs and Seasonings, as well as the Farm-to-Table restaurant that will be a creative facility for distributing local products through a permanent partnership with 1,400 families from communities of the 39 islands of Belém.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，贝伦希望：

- 建立美食和生物多样性全球中心，改善农村和城市地区食物聚集区在技术、培训和服务方面的条件，以便将该市确立为食品技术和创新方面的全球标杆；
- 组织全球创意美食方面的“对话”活动，重点关注贝伦市的特色菜品以及其他菜系中的对应菜品，同时，通过其他“创意城市美食之都”的参与来发挥联合国教科文组织“创意城市网络”的比较优势；
- 实施“保罗·马丁斯”跨部门项目，建造一条美食、音乐和民间艺术步行大道，以提高城市生活的质量；
- 促进对特色美食的宣传，尤其是通过建立食品博物馆、香草和调味料储藏室，以及“从农场到餐桌”餐厅。该餐厅创意设施旨在通过与贝伦市39个岛屿上的1400个社区家庭建立永久性伙伴关系来销售当地产品。
Creative City of Gastronomy
创意城市美食之都

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Bergen is a vibrant port city at the gateway of the fjords. Being the second largest city in Norway with 275,000 inhabitants, it has a millennium experience in international trade for seafood reflecting on its traditional and coastal gastronomy. The city’s food culture originating from sea biodiversity is considered as the most sustainable in Europe. Deeply linked to healthy nutrition, gastronomy in Bergen thrives from organic food; the production of which is supported by more than 3000 farmers and 200 artisan food entrepreneurs. In addition to this, another 6500 people are employed by the aquaculture industry and fisheries.

Bergen hosts the world’s largest conference on seafood, the North Atlantic Seafood Forum Conference (NASF), with the participation of over 40 countries, providing a platform for discussing innovative perspectives on sustainable global harvesting of resources from oceans and seas. Bergen is also home to a unique Centre of Expertise for Sustainable Seafood, as well as to the National Institute of Nutrition and Seafood Research (NIFES).

Organic food and sustainable seafood are at the core of the city’s cultural identity and development. There are many local and national initiatives supporting the sector, including Fiskesprell with its training courses for kindergartens on the creative dimensions of seafood, as well as programmes established by the Organic Agricultural College. To further nurture the value of these assets, the city has implemented the Community Development Plan Bergen 2030 aimed at enhancing sustainable development, reducing its carbon footprint and protecting biodiversity.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Bergen envisages:

- increasing the impact of cross-sectoral and public-private initiatives related to gastronomy, notably by partnering with Food Arena – a training centre established in 2014 to promote local food and products – and with the NGO Sustainable Living, to initiate projects for the promotion of sustainable food systems through raising awareness on nutrition habits and global food production;

- enhancing collaboration and sharing good practices with other Creative Cities of Gastronomy by taking advantage of existing programmes, including the Brasmus Mobility and the Economic Area Agreement, to develop initiatives such as an Asian-Nordic gastronomy project and a crossover Nordic cluster of Creatives Cities; and

- pursuing the well-established cooperation with cities from the region of Africa, especially in the area of research on the management of fisheries, with the aim of fostering North-South partnerships in the field of gastronomy.

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作为“创意城市美食之都”，卑尔根希望:

- 扩大与美食有关的跨部门以及公私合作举措的影响，特别是与成立于 2014 年的旨在宣传本地食品和产品的培训中心“食品竞技场”以及非政府组织“可持续生活”建立伙伴关系，以启动各个项目，并且通过提高对营养习惯和全球食品生产认识来促进可持续粮食系统的发展；

- 利用包括“伊拉斯谟流动项目”和“经济区协定”在内的现有项目，加强与其他“创意城市美食之都”的协作并分享优良案例，从而发展诸如亚洲—北欧美食项目和跨北欧创意城市群等倡议；

- 寻求与非洲城市之间建立牢固的合作关系，尤其在渔业管理研究领域，以在美食领域建立南北伙伴关系。
BURGOS (SPAIN)
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Located in northern Spain and home to 178,000 inhabitants, Burgos is known for many of its landmarks including the caves of the Sierra of Atapuerca, inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List in 2000. The archaeological excavations undertaken in these sites have made the city an international hub for studies on human evolution. This distinctive feature is reflected in its gastronomy and food industries, which represent a creative and economic impetus for the city by employing 26% of the active population. Burgos' vision of food is especially linked to scientific research on the evolution of the human species.

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Burgos is leading on a pioneering study in gastronomic evolution. Based on experimental studies on the consumptions of food energy by the human body, this project, Human Motors, run by the Global Laboratory on Gastronomic Evolution, aims to raise awareness, at the local and international levels, on the linkages between food and human evolution. To this end, the University of Burgos (UBU) also joins forces with several programmes on food science, vanguard gastronomy, food safety, biotechnology and nutrition, by developing the design of new food with special characteristics aiming to improve cardiovascular health.

Burgos has held the title of the Spanish Capital of Gastronomy since 2013 and has further developed its creative industry of gastronomy ever since. There are many ongoing projects dedicated to the field supported by the municipality, such as Devora and Burgos Alimenta. The city is also engaged in several networks of gastronomic cities at the European level intended to promote gastronomy as a key momentum for sustainable urban development.

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Burgos envisages:

- involving other Creative Cities of Gastronomy to undertake joint research and share experiences in the framework of the project Human Motors, and positioning the programme as the international pioneer and reference point in fostering awareness on the linkages between food, health and the evolution of the human species;
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作为创意城市美食之都，布尔戈斯希望：

- 与其他“创意城市美食之都”在“人类发动机”项目框架下共同开展研究并分享经验，同时将这一计划定位为提高对食品、健康和人类物种进化之间关联性的认识方面的国际先驱与参照；
- 实施“创意美食产业计划”，并在城市中心建立美食区，从而培育以美食为驱动力的地方创意经济；
- 分享最佳实践，促进专业交流，并与其他“创意城市美食之都”开展城际美食活动，进一步推动该领域成为促进城市发展与活力的核心力量。
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Renowned for its gastronomy, Chengdu is the cradle and centre of Sichuan cuisine. Along with Guangdong cuisine, Shandong cuisine and the Yangtze and Huaihe riverside cuisine, Sichuan cuisine is one of the four references of Chinese cuisine.

A Chinese saying states that “the best cuisine is from China, while the richest flavor is from Chengdu”. In Chengdu, gastronomy and life are fused and are based on the notion of striving for harmony while preserving form, beliefs which are rooted in the most ancient Chinese philosophy. The most outstanding feature of Chengdu cuisine is its great variety of flavors, based on the artful mixture of sweet, sour, bitter, spicy and salty flavors.

Catering is also an important part of Chengdu’s service sector. Chengdu, the provincial capital city of Sichuan, is home to 62,509 catering enterprises giving work to 248,500 employees. In 2008, the city accomplished retail sales of nearly USD 44 billion, ranking fifth across the country, contributing significantly to local employment and economic growth. To date, the city boasts over 60,000 restaurants and more than 2,300 renowned chefs and serving masters.

Chengdu is a city recognized for its extensive public participation in gastronomy. Gastronomy activities organized by governmental and non-governmental organizations take place all over the city throughout the year, including events such as the Chengdu International Food and Tour Festival.

Chengdu is proud of having created the first brewery, tea culture centre and food museum in China. Thanks to its popular food culture and tourism resources, Chengdu is recognized by the World Tourism Organization (WTO) and the China National Tourism Administration as one of the Best Tourist Cities in China, and was granted membership to the World Center of Excellence for Destinations (CED).

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Chengdu envisages:

- exchanging with other cultures and becoming an innovative international City of Gastronomy;
- protecting traditional culture by involving citizens in gastronomy-related events and actions;
- developing the creative industry of gastronomy and cuisine research; and
- offering educational and training programmes in gastronomy.

对网络的贡献
作为创意城市美食之都，成都希望：

- 加强与其他文化的交流，成为创新的国际美食城市；
- 组织市民参与美食活动，保护传统文化；
- 发展美食创意产业和烹饪研究；
- 提供美食教育和培训项目。
DÉNIA (SPAIN)
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DESCRIPTION

Situated at the eastern tip of Spain, Dénia is a Mediterranean port city with an ample space for traditional fishing; a sector which contributes about 15 million euros in sales annually to the local economy. The gastronomy and food industries are the main economic drivers of the city, with more than 500 enterprises generating 2,500 direct jobs. Dénia’s vision of gastronomy particularly focuses on the emergence of innovative models of local food ecosystems.

The gastronomic sector draws inspiration from the Mediterranean diet and concepts such as Slow Food by promoting healthy food based on local resources and products with the goal of ensuring more sustainable development. Dénia also emphasizes the importance of transversal approaches, as well as multi-stakeholders cooperation, to promote gastronomy by developing a wide range of activities and events involving both local and international actors, such as the International Creative Cuisine Competition of the Red Prawn of Dénia, which has an annual participation of 50 chefs worldwide.

Dénia is committed to sharing knowledge, experiences and best practices, especially in the framework of the Open Africa programme; an initiative undertaken by the Baleária Cultural Foundation, thanks to which it has launched a fruitful relationship with Tangier (Morocco) as twin cities. Through this programme, Dénia intends to spread the actions and objectives of the UNESCO Creative Cities Network to Africa and Arab States to encourage more cities from these regions to join in the future, for further fostering multilateral cooperation.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Dénia envisions:

- implementing the multi-stakeholder initiative Xarxa Local Food Ecosystem, intended to increase the production of fresh, in-season, autochthonous and healthy food, as well as to foster a collaborative and sustainable industry of gastronomy;

- encouraging gastronomic entrepreneurs and incubating the emergence of new food industries to stimulate the quality of urban life through innovative forms for protecting the city’s gastronomic cultural heritage;

- setting up an exchange programme between chefs and culinary students from the Creative Cities of Gastronomy;

- exchanging knowledge, methodologies and best practices with other Creative Cities of Gastronomy, notably on models intended to incorporate sustainable development into local food ecosystems in order to produce a “Decalogue of Good Practices”; and

- disseminating the actions and objectives of the UCCN, notably through the Open Africa programme to encourage cities from Africa and the Arab States to join the Network and to nurture North-South, South-South and North-South-South cooperation.

概述

德尼亚位于西班牙东端，是地中海沿岸的一个港口城市，拥有可供从事传统渔业活动的充足空间；渔业行业每年为当地经济贡献约1500万欧元的销售额。美食和食品工业是该市主要的经济动力，拥有500多家企业，并且创造了2500个直接工作岗位。德尼亚在美食领域的愿景侧重于开辟当地食物生态系统的创新模式。

该城市美食行业的灵感来源于地中海饮食和理念，例如“慢食”，其目的是通过推广取材于当地资源和产品的健康食品来确保可持续发展。德尼亚还强调跨领域方式以及多利益相关方合作的重要性，并组织了德尼亚红虾国际创意烹饪大赛（每年有来自世界各地的50名主厨参赛）等一系列广泛的活动，使地方和国际行动方参与其中，从而推动美食业的发展。

德尼亚致力于分享知识、经验和最佳实践，尤其是在“开放非洲”计划的框架下，该计划是巴利阿里文化基金会实施的一项倡议。通过该倡议，德尼亚与丹吉尔（摩洛哥）结为姐妹城市，取得了丰硕的成果。德尼亚打算借助该计划向非洲和阿拉伯国家宣扬联合国教科文组织创意城市网络的行动和目标，鼓励这些地区的更多城市未来加入该网络，以便进一步促进多边合作。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，德尼亚希望：

- 为“创意城市美食之都”中厨和学习烹饪的学生制定合作计划；

- 与其他“创意城市美食之都”交流知识、方法和最佳实践，特别是以将可持续发展纳入当地食物生态系统的模式为主题而进行的交流，以便编制“良好做法十诫”；

- 通过“开放非洲”计划，鼓励非洲和阿拉伯国家的城市加入网络，以及促进南北合作、南南合作和南北南合作。
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Known as the “The Cinderella of the Pacific”, Ensenada stretches for 125 kilometres down the beautiful Baja California Peninsula in Mexico. This coastal city, with over 460,000 inhabitants, is home to the nation’s second most important port area, connecting a maritime network of over 68 ports in 28 countries worldwide. Aside from being an ideal location for fishing and mariculture, Ensenada is the largest wine producer in the region, producing 90% of the country’s wine across more than 500 labels and 50 wineries. This diversity of natural resources provides to the city’s gastronomic sector a momentum to flourish.

Ensenada’s vision of food and gastronomy is aligned with creativity, sustainability, innovation and intercultural dialogue. Among other initiatives, the Ensenada for Everyone festival brings together ethnic minorities and immigrant groups to share a diversity of gastronomic know-how. The city also focuses on nurturing sustainable and innovative food systems through advanced scientific research and urban programmes, such as the Urban Vertical Gardens programme aimed at alleviating local food security issues by raising awareness on environmental-friendly cultivation methods and locally grown crops.

With its thriving sectors of wine and fisheries, the city takes care to cultivate its leadership through multi-stakeholders programmes, including the Cluster del Vino, launched in 2008 by the Secretariat of Agriculture, Cattle, Rural Development, Fisheries and Food (SAGARPA). This programme aims to build bridges between local producers, research centres and governmental institutions, to work together and spearhead the development of common and innovative solutions related to sustainable management of natural and food resources.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Ensenada envisages:

- nurturing multi-stakeholder cooperatives and cross-cutting researches with other Creative Cities through the up-coming Laboratory of Cultural Innovation aimed at supporting research projects on social equality and environmental protection;

- fostering the urban quality of life and sustainable consumption of food with the creation of Ensenada’s Gastronomic District, as well as of the Food and Urban Dining Bank; an exchange platform aimed at reducing food waste and offering social-urban diners targeting the most vulnerable groups of the city;

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- nurturing the role of gastronomy in improving environmental preservation and sustainable urban development through fora, including the International Design and Gastronomy Forum, Ensenada Creative Mornings and the Food Design and Science World Forum; and

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Located both on Santa Catarina Island and on the mainland, Florianopolis is known as “Brazil’s Quality of Life Capital”, the “Best Brazilian City for Entrepreneurship” and “Brazil’s Oyster Capital”.

Florianopolis’s designation as UNESCO Creative City of Gastronomy is as an extraordinary incentive for the city to promote sustainable development through the cultural industries and thus contribute to attracting investments and qualified human resources.

Florianopolis is committed to implementing two major innovative actions leading to the creation of the Gastronomy Observatory and the Cultural Innovation Lab. The first is designed to collect, analyze and make available information and knowledge from the gastronomy sector meanwhile the second will work on transversal actions combining crafts, design and gastronomy. Florianopolis is also engaged in formulating and implementing public policies for the development of the local creative economy. In particular, the city is focusing on the gastronomy sector, technical cooperation and exchange projects, as well as research and training programmes.

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Florianopolis envisages:

- producing an annual food festival with the participation of “guest chefs” from other creative cities;
- creating a biennial award given to the best restaurants in Florianopolis based on criteria that encourage the improvement of services and products;
- publishing an annual guide of Florianopolis’s gastronomic offerings;
- conducting, in parallel with the fifth Brazilian Design Biennial to be held in 2015, a workshop with experts on the theme of creative cooperation linking design, crafts, gastronomy and tourism. The goal is to design, develop and offer to the city’s bars and restaurants innovative tools for the preparation and presentation of typical gastronomic dishes;
- creating the Gastronomy Observatory intended to widen the circulation of information related to the food chain through the production, analysis and global dissemination of data; and
- expanding academic exchange programmes for students from schools of gastronomy and professionals from the industry.
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Located South-East of the Anatolia Region in Turkey, Gaziantep is well-known for its long gastronomic history which has been at the core of its cultural identity since the Iron Age. Nowadays, gastronomy remains the main driving force of the local economy. In a city of 1,890,000 inhabitants, 60% of the active population is employed by the sector, and a significant 49% of the enterprises are mainly dedicated to food including spices, cereals and dried fruits. In Gaziantep, gastronomy is also synonymous with festivity, intercultural dialogue and social cohesion.

Gaziantep Pistachio Culture and Art Festival has livened up the city and stands as the flagship event with its wide range of performances combining gastronomy, music, literature and folk art. Other local festivals included the Shira Festival, which is an unique 3-day event gathering almost the whole city to share the diversity of local cuisines inherited from the Gaziantep’s location on the ancient Silk Road. The city takes advantage of this distinguished geo-cultural location to enhance cooperation with sister cities, notably at the Silk Road Mayor Forum which aims to foster the development of sustainable cities by tackling poverty and environmental issues.

The Municipality demonstrates a strong commitment in improving urban quality of life and supporting sustainable development through many environmental and ecological programmes including a climate change action plan, an environment protection plan and the creation of an eco-park. This third programme is aligned with the production of renewable energy by transforming pistachio shells, unused until now, into an innovative source of energy foreseen to benefit both industrial and residential use.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Gaziantep envisages:

- nurturing intercultural dialogue through the Kitchens in Districts project aimed at establishing fully equipped kitchens for people with low economic resources to both cook and share their know-how with other denizens;
- enhancing social inclusion through the Atelier Without Obstacles project by offering vulnerable groups and disabled people training courses on the creation and management of creative enterprises;
- encouraging multi-levels cooperation by conducting researches and collecting data with other Creative Cities of Gastronomy, notably on the history of the ancient Silk Road’s food culture; and
- organizing an International Festival of Gastronomy to share experiences and know-how with other Creative Cities of Gastronomy.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，加济安泰普希望：

- 通过“地区厨房”项目促进跨文化对话，旨在为低收入的人们建造设备齐全的厨房，供其烹饪美食、与其他居民分享美食知识；
- “无障碍工作室”项目通过为弱势群体和残疾人提供创建和管理创意企业方面的培训课程，提高社会包容性；
- 通过与其他“创意城市美食之都”开展研究和收集数据，鼓励多层次合作，尤其是在古代丝绸之路饮食文化的历史以及野菜的烹饪知识这两方面；
- 举办“国际美食节”，与其他“创意城市美食之都”分享经验和知识。
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DESCRIPTION

Known as the “Taste City”, Jeonju is a city renowned for its gastronomy and food industry. With its long-standing tradition in the production of rice cultivated on the Honam Plain, fish and salted fish from the Yellow Sea, fresh vegetables and wild greens from the mountains, Jeonju is recognized as a reference for high quality traditional Korean food. The city has made continual efforts to protect traditional food culture and develop the gastronomy sector.

To support the development of the traditional food culture, Jeonju offers various traditional food and cooking programmes at universities, high schools and private institutions. The city also created the Creative Culinary Institute of Korea and the Bibimbap Globalization Foundation through innovative partnerships involving the public and the private sectors. Additionally, Jeonju’s infrastructure enables the city to host various food festivals including the Jeonju Bibimbap Festival and the International Fermented Food Expo, thus contributing to the internationalization of traditional Korean food, while also establishing a model for sustainable development for the food industry of the 21st century.

As a UNESCO City of Gastronomy, Jeonju will develop the food industry together with other Cities of Gastronomy from around the world through sustainable partnerships and collaborations based on its rich cultural heritage in traditional food.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Jeonju envisages:

- continuing to be actively engaged in collaborating and networking with cities around the world to promote cultural diversity and sustainable development;
- strengthening exchanges with the Cities of Gastronomy in particular through specific agreements;
- participating in international forums and the UCCN’s annual meetings;
- pursuing close collaboration with the private sector in order to host a wide array of forums and symposiums intended to stimulate the implementation of the UNESCO Creative Cities Network’s goals;
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概述

作为“风味之都”，全州因美食和食品产业而著称，产于湖南平原历史悠久的大米，从黄海捕获的海鲜和腌鱼，以及来自山区的新鲜蔬菜和野菜，全州被认为是高品质传统韩国食品的标志性城市。

全州市一直努力保护传统美食文化，并发展美食行业。

为了支持传统美食文化的发展，全州在大学、高中和私立机构都提供各式各样的传统食品和烹饪项目。通过与公、私部门的创新性合作，该市还创建了韩国创意料理学院和石锅拌饭全球推广基金会。此外，全州完善的基础设施为该市举办包括全州石锅拌饭节和国际发酵食品博览会在内的各种食品节庆活动提供了保障。这不但有助于韩国传统食品的国际化，同时也为21世纪食品产业的可持续发展树立了楷模。

作为联合国教科文组织创意城市网络中的“美食之都”，全州将立足于当地传统食品领域的丰富文化遗产，通过可持续合作伙伴关系与协作，与全世界其他美食之都共同促进食品产业的发展。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，全州希望：

- 继续与全世界城市合作，加强网络建设，促进文化多样性和可持续发展；
- 加强与创意城市网络的其他美食之都合作交流，尤其是通过特别协议的形式；
- 参与国际论坛和创意城市网络年会；
- 与私营部门密切合作，举办各种论坛和研讨会，并以此促进联合国教科文组织创意城市网络项目目标的实现；
- 继续支持当地烹饪大师和厨师，以进一步发展创意美食行业；
- 在其多年积累的丰富经验基础之上，加强与联合国教科文组织创意城市之间的合作。
ÖSTERSUND (SWEDEN)
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DESCRIPTION

Located in a sparsely populated region in the centre of Sweden, Östersund, a UNESCO City of Gastronomy, is widely appreciated for its gastronomic culture, based on local sustainable food inspired from longstanding culinary traditions.

Bringing together and supporting small entrepreneurs and farmers, Eldrimner, the Swedish National Centre for Small Scale Artisan Food Processing, provides guidance and supports training and product development demonstrating the importance of gastronomy in relation to the creative industries. The city’s culinary tradition is intimately linked to its natural surroundings and the region’s sustainable development efforts.

The management of the food sector in Östersund is shared between the city of Östersund and the Region of Jämtland Härjedalen. The city is the main market for food products, and the rural areas provide a workspace for the producers, thereby strengthening urban-rural connections. Other organizations connected to the food, culture, and tourism sector are also involved in these efforts. The sustainability of Östersund’s society is one the city’s priorities. Winner of Sweden’s best climate city award in 2010, Östersund is also using a heating system powered by biofuel and biogas.

The region’s creative sector, incorporating architecture, design, interactive software, film and television, music, publishing and the performing arts, is currently growing by 5 – 10 percent on an annual basis. Tourism is a major part of the local economy. Altogether there are about 2,000 companies and 4,500 employees in the region’s creative industries, most of which are based in Östersund.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Östersund envisages:

- expanding its international partnerships; Östersund and the Region of Jämtland Härjedalen have significant experience managing international cooperation initiatives focusing on urban-rural connections, education and eco-innovation. These partnerships have resulted in linkages and information exchange between Östersund and approximately 60 other cities/regions within the EU;
- continuing the city’s active participation in the UCCN and hosting the Network’s 10th Annual Meeting in September 2016;
- improving Östersund’s connections within the UCCN; and
- sharing information regarding sustainable development in agriculture and food production.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，厄斯特松德希望：

- 扩展国际合作伙伴关系：厄斯特松德和耶姆特兰·耶达伦地区在城乡衔接、教育和生态创新为主的国际合作方面拥有丰富的经验。这些伙伴关系使厄斯特松德与大约 60 个欧盟城市和地区建立了联系，并且交流信息；
- 继续积极参与联合国教科文组织创意城市网络（UCCN）的活动，并于2016年9月承办第10届创意城市网络年度会议；
- 改善厄斯特松德与UCCN各成员国城市的联系；
- 分享关于农业与食品生产可持续发展的信息。

概述

拥有联合国教科文组织创意城市美食之都称号的厄斯特松德坐落于地广人稀的瑞典中心地带。广受赞誉的厄斯特松德的美食文化基于当地可持续食品和历史悠久的传统烹饪。

瑞典国家小型手工食品加工中心（Eldrimner）通过组织并支持小型企业和农民，为其提供指导，并且支持培训和产品开发，凸显美食与创意产业之间的重要关联。厄斯特松德的烹饪传统与其周边自然环境以及该地区为可持续发展而做出的努力密不可分。

厄斯特松德食品行业的管理由厄斯特松德市和耶姆特兰·耶达伦地区共同执行。厄斯特松德市是食品的主要市场，其乡村地区通过为食品生产者提供生产场所加强城乡衔接。其他与食品相关的行业，以及文化和旅游行业也参与其中。社会的可持续性是厄斯特松德市的一项优先事项。厄斯特松德曾赢得2010年瑞典最佳气候友好城市大奖。该市还使用由生物燃料和沼气为能源的加热系统。

该地区的创意产业涵盖建筑、设计、交互软件、电影、电视、音乐、出版和表演艺术，目前以每年5％-10％的速度增长。旅游业是当地经济的重要组成部分。该地区的创意行业大约共有2000家公司和4500名员工，其中大部分位于厄斯特松德市区。
PARMA (ITALY)
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A city of 189,000 inhabitants, Parma is the gastronomic centre of the “Italian Food Valley”. With 30.5% of the labour force working in the agri-food and gastronomic industry, the sector has forged the city’s history and remains the driving forces of the local economy. The city is classified by the Qualivita Foundation as the first Italian city for Agri-food Qualitative Supremacy, and was appointed a seat on the European Food Safety Authority. Parma’s vision of food and gastronomy is intrinsically linked to environmental sustainability being based on local production and urban-rural reciprocity.

Parma hosts important food-related events involving multistakeholders in the fields of entrepreneurship, industry and research, such as the International Food Fair Cibus, which over the last twenty years has become a reference for operators in Italian and international agri-food sector. Cibus has also developed many cross-cutting approaches through joint-events such as Cibus Tec/Food Pack, which showcases technologies for food industries and focuses on sustainability and efficiency in production processes and food safety. It also manages CibusLand, which seeks synergies between urban and rural areas for healthy and sustainable consumption.

The city testifies to its culture-led development plan by recording nearly 3,000 creative businesses. Parma City Council has reinforced its strategies and policies for supporting the emergence of new creative industries. In the field of gastronomy, the policy framework has been influenced by the market of agricultural entrepreneurs called The Court, from the earth to the table, which was the first to recognize the importance of direct sales and a short food chain for sustainable production and consumption. The local government is committed to following this direction by raising awareness about traceable and seasonable products to maintain biodiversity and environmental sustainability.

**CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK**

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Parma envisages:

- increasing food-related educational programmes and collaborative research, mainly through the Food Science and Labs;
- strengthening urban-rural reciprocity and protecting local food culture with the Food Culture and Land Development project, focusing on establishing a balanced relationship between urban horticulture and peri-urban agriculture;
- fostering multidisciplinary approaches and inclusive cultural participation through the Art, Music and Fine Foods programme;
- strengthening cooperation with Creative Cities of Gastronomy through the Become a City of Gastronomy project, which aims to encourage participation in the line-up of food-related international events hosted by Parma;
- rising awareness on sustainable food and healthy lifestyles among young people with the Food and Nutrition for Children and Youth project;
- and nurturing exchange of knowledge and experiences through the Food for Future programme focusing on food and gastronomy as key levers of sustainable urban development by enhancing North-South cooperation.

帕尔玛是一座拥有 18.9 万人口的城市，并被誉为“意大利食品谷”之中的美食中心而闻名遐迩。该市有 30.5% 的劳动力从事农业食品和饮食行业，该行业铸就了帕尔玛的历史，并且仍是当地经济的驱动力。“质量生活基金会”将该市归为意大利第一个“农产品质量至上”城市，并将其选定为“欧洲食品安全机构”成员。根据，帕尔玛市食品和美食愿景基于本地生产和城乡互动，并且与环境可持续发展有着深厚的信任联系。

在创业、产业和研究领域，帕尔玛举办许多涉及多方利益相关者且与食品有关的重要活动，譬如“意大利帕尔玛国际食品展”，该展会在过去二十年里已成为意大利和国际农业食品业经营者的典范。“意大利帕尔玛国际食品展”还通过举办联合活动譬如意大利帕尔玛国际食品技术 / 食品包装展，发展了许多跨领域方式，以展示食品工业技术，重点关注生产过程的持续性和效率以及食品安全等。“意大利帕尔玛国际食品展”还运作着“CibusLand”项目，旨在为发展健康和可持续性消费而在城市和农村地区之间寻求协同效应。

通过成立近 3000 家创意公司，该市制定了以文化为主导的发展计划，为了支持新兴创意产业的发展，帕尔玛市议会已经加强了相关战略和政策。在美食领域，该市政策框架受到了名为“庭院，从田地到餐桌”的农业企业家市场影响，旨在确认直销和短食物链对可持续生产和消费的重要性。当地政府致力于遵循该方针，提高对可追溯性和季节性农产品的认识，以维持生物多样性和环境的可持续性。

通过“孩儿童和青年食品与营养”项目提升年轻人对可持续食品和健康生活方式的认识。

通过“未来食品”计划开展知识和经验方面的交流，通过加强南北合作从而重点关注食品和美食作为城市可持续发展的重要杠杆。
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Located in the southeast of Thailand, Phuket is the largest island of the Andaman Sea, encompassing a population of 390,000 inhabitants. Here, traditional culinary culture is seen as an enabler for intercultural and intergenerational dialogue and, over the years, has benefitted from rich cultural and knowledge exchanges. While the sector of gastronomy records a significant contribution of $3.6 billion to the local economy each year, important efforts have been undertaken to implement a more balanced, environmental-friendly and sustainable production and exploitation plan surrounding local food resources.

Within the city, gastronomy plays a vital role, as it harbours the ability to transmit and uphold the ancient recipes, passed down through generations within families and communities. This commitment to preserve, perpetuate and promote traditional expressions is highlighted by the annual Old Town Festival, which restores ancient know-how in gastronomy, crafts and folk art, and visual arts. This three-day event attracts a local and international audience of more than 400,000 people. In addition, the Andaman Hoteliers event offers vocational training for young people to pursue careers in the field of gastronomy.

In recent years, the municipality has invested extensively in raising awareness surrounding the safe food chain, notably through the Phuket Food Safety and Andaman Kitchen programmes. To make headway with sustainable urban development, Phuket is also committed to foster capacity building and enhance local and international cooperation in the field of research and development (R&D) by working towards achieving responsible and sustainable production and consumption of local food resources.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Phuket envisages:

- establishing the Institute of Phuket Gastronomy to encourage research and development (R&D) in the field of gastronomy;
- enhancing cooperation and exchange of know-how with other Creative Cities of Gastronomy through the Thailand Creative Forum;
- tackling food deprivation of vulnerable groups and individuals, especially victims of natural disasters;
- supporting gastronomic and food innovative systems and projects through a wide range of events including competitions;
- increasing hand-on opportunities for young people to engage in careers of the field of gastronomy and the overall cultural and creative fields.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，普吉希望，

- 建立普吉美食学院，鼓励在美食领域开展研究与开发 (R&D)；
- 通过泰国创意论坛加强与其他创意城市美食之都之间的烹饪知识技艺的合作与交流；
- 解决弱势群体和个人的粮食匮乏问题，特别是自然灾害的受害者；
- 通过包括比赛在内的系列活动，支撑烹饪和食品创新系统和项目；
- 为年轻人提供更多实践机会，使其从事美食行业以及其他整体文化创意领域。

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DESCRIPTION

Popayán is a city of 300,000 inhabitants located in the South-west of Colombia. A university city, Popayán is best known for its colonial historic centre of Hispanic heritage, where numerous celebrations take place, including that of Holy week, declared intangible cultural heritage of humanity by UNESCO in 2009. Popayán also hosts numerous gastronomic activities aimed at promoting the flavors of the traditional cuisine of the region. Three culinary traditions lie at its origins: the roots of the pre-Columbian culture, those of African culture and the contributions of Spanish cuisine.

The richness of the traditional cuisine of Popayán not only boasts the flavors and tastes derived from ancient know-how, but also the symbolism, rites, legends and customs of this heritage.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Popayán envisages:

- Organizing the XIII Gourmet Congress of Popayán in the first week of September 2015, where a foreign city and a Colombian city will be the guests of honors. In addition to gastronomy tastings from the invited cities, 40 local cuisine stands will greet, as every year, nearly thirty thousand people; and
- Continuing to implement the “Safeguarding Culinary Knowledge and Traditional Cuisine” policy, adopted recently by the Municipal Council of Popayán.

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作为创意城市美食之都，波帕扬希望：

- 在2015年9月的第一周举办第八届波帕扬美食大会，届时将邀请一座外国城市和一座哥伦比亚城市作为嘉宾城市出席。如同往年，除品尝受邀城市的美食之外，40个当地美食展台将接待近3万名访客。
- 继续实施波帕扬市议会近期通过的“保护烹饪知识和传统饮食”的政策。
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Located by the Caspian Sea in the Islamic Republic of Iran, Rasht comprises a population of around 640,000 inhabitants. Surrounded by the fertile delta of the Sefid-Rud River, both the city and its gastronomy sector benefit from a rich variety of natural resources and rely on the exploitation of local resources, especially various species of fish and in-season products. Above all, gastronomy in Rasht is synonymous with the protection and promotion of cultural heritage. Throughout generations, Rashiti cuisine has not only carried on ancient recipes, but also unique cooking utensils and methods.

Since 2014, the Sabzeh Festival has taken place in the Rural Heritage Museum and focuses on promoting traditional cultural expressions of crafts, folk art and gastronomy, including the typical cooking method in Gamaj clay pots. While gastronomy fosters sense of community and intercultural and intergenerational dialogue, it is also a key driver for sustainable urban-rural interconnection and economic prosperity, so much so that the city grants long-term loans in support of farmers. In addition, Rasht offers a wide range of workshops and vocational trainings in the fields of gastronomy and agro-food, emphasizing on sustainable ways of production and consumption of healthy food.

In recent years, the Municipality has stepped up its efforts to reduce inequalities and unemployment by investing in culture and creativity to move along a sustainable urban development path. In cooperation with the regional Department of Education of Guilan, Rasht has supported many female-headed families and people from indigenous communities by building their capacities through free-of-charge trainings in various creative fields, allowing many of them to build their own small and medium-sized enterprises.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Rasht envisages:

- establishing the Local Food Museum to preserve and promote local food products and recipes, including the Guilan indigenous food culture;
- supporting research and development (R&D) on gastronomy and nutrition through a network of academia and research centres;
- empowering women and vulnerable groups and individuals in the field of culture, social affairs and economy by providing them increased trainings and employment opportunities; and
- cooperating with other Creative Cities of Gastronomy by exchanging know-how and experiences and undertaking joint-initiatives.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都，拉什特希望：

- 建立“本地食品博物馆”以保留和促进当地食品和食谱，包括吉兰省本土饮食文化；
- 通过学术网络及研究中心支持针对美食和营养开展的研究和开发（R & D）；
- 授予妇女和弱势群体及个人在文化、社会事务和经济领域的权利，为他们提供更多的培训和就业机会；
- 通过交换技术知识和经验以及采取联合举措与其他“创意城市美食之都”开展合作等。
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DESCRIPTION

Shunde is one of the cradles of Cantonese cuisine, situated at the core of the Pearl River Delta, with Guangzhou to the north and Hong Kong to the south. Its outstanding natural environment, lively cultural scene, prosperous economy and renowned culinary arts academies provide particularly favorable conditions for the development of a gastronomic culture and industry.

The chefs in the city pay special attention to retaining the ingredients’ flavors and cook with attractive colors, fragrances and tastes that can be described as “light, fresh, crispy, tender, smooth and genuine”. Shunde cuisine is famous for its delicacies characterized by their nutritional value and preparation. The combination of inventive cooking methods, creative ways of presentation and outstanding flavors, makes the city’s cuisine truly exceptional.

Shunde’s longstanding and well-developed gastronomy as well as more recent processes of industrialization have brought forth ambitions for future developments. The city is determined to further its image as an innovative city of gastronomy and creativity.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Shunde envisages:

- developing the gastronomic cultural and creative industries focusing on their social and economic benefits, through which Shunde will promote the city’s image and quality of life;
- engaging in international collaboration, hosting meetings and contributing to various activities related to the field of gastronomy; and
- maintaining close exchanges with Creative Cities of Gastronomy and contributing to the development of the UCCN.

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作为创意城市美食之都，顺德希望：

- 发展美食文化和创意产业，注重其社会效益和经济效益，以此提升顺德的城市形象和生活质量；
- 参与国际合作，承办会议，并且促进与美食相关的各类活动；
- 保持与其他创意城市美食之都之间的紧密交流，为创意城市网络的发展做出贡献。
TSURUOKA (JAPAN)

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DESCRIPTION

Tsuruoka’s history leads back to the Japanese Edo period over 400 years ago. Since then, remarkable gastronomical and agricultural traditions have developed in the region. The landscape surrounding the city offers a varied geographical landscape including sea, plains and mountains. This geographic diversity has resulted in an exceptional diversity of food being cultivated in the area surrounding Tsuruoka and includes foods such as mountain vegetables and mushrooms, rice, bamboo shoots, edamame (green soybeans) and seafood. Also unique to the city’s identity are spiritual traditions such as “Shugendo” on the Three Mountains of Dewa and the “Kurokawa Noh” play.

Food-related industries in Tsuruoka, such as agriculture and the food and drink services are promising sectors for the future of the city. Tsuruoka is also home to a large number of talents stemming from the city’s gastronomical tradition and includes well-known agriculturists and renowned chefs. Indeed, farmers, cooks and chefs are true creators and artists in Tsuruoka. Universities and research facilities also explore topics related to gastronomy, resulting, for instance, in studying and valuing indigenous crops as “living cultural assets”.

Under the leadership of the Tsuruoka Creative City of Gastronomy Promotion Council, founded as a collaboration of citizens, industry, academia and government, Tsuruoka is currently encouraging the transmission of traditional cuisine and is promoting the production and use of indigenous crops.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Gastronomy, Tsuruoka envisages:

- encouraging the preservation and promotion of indigenous crops and their use in traditional gastronomy so as to transmit this knowledge to future generations:

- promoting collaboration between farmers, chefs and those who are engaged in related industries as well as research in order to enhance the region’s unique gastronomy; and

- sharing experiences related to the promotion of Creative Cities. Tsuruoka is committed to interacting with other members of the UCCN in order to support the development of each member’s potential.

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作为创意城市美食之都，鹤冈希望：

- 鼓励对于当地作物及其在传统美食中应用的保护和推广，向后代传播这方面的知识；

- 推进农民、厨师和相关从业人员的合作与研究，以加强该地区特有的美食文化；

- 分享创意城市推广方面的经验，与创意城市网络的其他成员城市进行互动，协助各个成员潜力的开发。
TUCSON (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)

Creative City of Gastronomy
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DESCRIPTION

Located in the Sonoran Desert, Tucson has the longest agricultural history of any city in the United States of America. It has a 300-year tradition of vineyards, orchards, and livestock ranching that have forged the wide array of the local heritage foods, a source of identity and vitality for the local population of 1 million inhabitants. The distinctive cuisine of Tucson has developed from a culturally layered history, a variety of heritage food ingredients, and a continuity of traditional food preparation techniques. To maintain its thriving culinary sector, the city focuses particularly on innovative programmes and regulations for food security and sustainable local food production and distribution.

Numerous farmers’ markets and more than two dozen annual food festivals, fairs, and tastings occur year-round and offer tastes of the region’s specialties and food traditions. Often multidisciplinary, an event such as the Tucson Meet Yourself showcases performances of music, crafts and gastronomy, and attracts more than 100,000 participants each year. In addition, a thriving contemporary culinary scene isled by award-winning chefs and independently owned restaurants creating traditional and contemporary dishes using local foods, and is celebrated by film and book festivals.

Tucson is undoubtedly a model of a gastronomy-based economy. It has however intensified actions toward using gastronomy as a key engine to achieve sustainable urban development. Building community gardens for public housing is just one of the many projects aiming to revise the city’s zoning regulations and remove barriers for urban food production and local food sales. The popular project saw the creation of home and community gardens, urban farms, greenhouses, farmers’ markets and small animal husbandry in residential areas.

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Summer in Zahlé (video) / 扎赫勒的夏季（视频）:
www.youtube.com/watch?v=GWr3G_X0vYg

Zahlé, the City of Arak and Tasty Discoveries (video in Arabic) /
扎赫勒，亚力酒和探索美味之城（阿拉伯语视频）:
www.youtube.com/watch?v=nti_fSNUblII&html5=1
Zahlé, with a population of approximately 150,000 inhabitants, is celebrated in Lebanon and throughout the region for its pleasant climate and traditional cuisine. The capital and largest city of the Beqaa Governorate in Lebanon, Zahlé is proud of its celebrated gastronomy as well as of the fifty poets and writers born in the city over the past century.

Known as the "Bride of the Beqaa" and the "Neighbor of the Gorge", due to its geographical location and natural beauty, Zahlé is also known as the "City of Wine and Poetry". Zahlé's culture has long revolved around its grapes, wine and arak, the distilled anise-flavored drink that has traditionally been served in cafés at any time of the day.

Zahlé's most important cultural event is the Festival of the Vine, traditionally held each September, during which concerts, plays, poetry readings and artistic exhibitions are organized daily over the course of several weeks.

A famous historical site in Zahlé, the Berdawni River is celebrated for its many waterside restaurants. These institutions have a strongly rooted reputation of delivering excellent traditional food. Dishes and meals made with trout are considered a particular specialty for the Hermel and Anjar communities.

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- sharing its experiences and cultural gastronomy;
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Zahlé最重要的文化活动是葡萄节，并按照传统于每年九月举行。在长达几周的活动期间，每天都举办音乐会、戏剧表演、诗歌朗诵会和艺术展览等。

波顿尼河是 Zahlé著名的历史古迹，其沿岸有许多滨河餐厅。这些餐厅因提供出众的传统食品而广获赞誉，对赫梅尔和安杰尔社群而言，鳟鱼制成的各种菜肴是独具特色的食物。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市美食之都， Zahlé希望：

- 分享其经验和美食文化；
- 每年九月举办美食节，邀请所有创意城市网络中的美食之都参加；
- 与商会和旅游部共同开发 Zahlé美食培训课程，尤其是针对妇女的培训。
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Located along the Tigris River and at the junction of historic trade roads, Baghdad is the capital of Iraq and the country’s largest city being home to more than 7.6 million inhabitants. Nominated as the 2013 Arab Capital of Culture, the city is acknowledged as one of the Arab region’s principal centres of literary creation and has gained a reputation seen as a vehicle to foster tolerance, understanding and peace. Being a city of diversity, the literature sector in Baghdad releases several monthly newspapers in three languages, namely Arabic, English and French.

With literary creation being at the core of the city’s cultural life, the Directorate of Cultural Relations allocates $US 150,000 of its annual budget in support of literary events and women and young writers. Such funding enabled Baghdad to organize the first International Conference on Translations and the Nazik al-Malaika Award for women writers. Throughout the year, many poetry festivals, including al-Jawahiri Festival, are hosted in Baghdad with the genre of poetry being one of the leitmotifs in multiple literary events.

Baghdad benefits from state-owned and non-governmental literary research centres and programmes such as: the Union of Iraqi Writers, the House of Cultural Affairs, the al-Mamoon House for Translation and Publishing, the Iraqi House of Poetry. These centres are involved in the promotion of literary creations, the dissemination through translations, the protection of the rights of writers, and the alleviation of illiteracy for sustainable development.

As a Creative City of Literature, Baghdad envisages:

- promoting cross-cutting ventures between the creative fields covered by the UNESCO Creative Cities Network, notably at the Spring of All Arts International Festival;
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BARCELONA (SPAIN)
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DESCRIPTION

Since the 19th century, Barcelona, a city of 1.6 million inhabitants, has been universally recognised as a publishing centre for Spanish, Latin American and Catalan literatures. Popular with multinational groups and having its own thriving independent publishing scene, the sector adds 1.2 billion Euros value to the regional economy and has been consolidated in the last two decades both at the local level, as demonstrated by the doubled number of public libraries, and at the international level, with 44.8% of the book exports going to the region of Latin America.

The sector of literature in Barcelona maintains its international dynamism through the organization of a wide array of international book fairs including Liber, which is the most important Spanish language fair in Europe with a special focus on digital content. The city is also home to Catalan PEN, the third oldest member of the PEN International INGO. Programmes are undertaken to increase literacy and literary curiosity for the general public and specific audiences. The “Regional Literary Agency Programme” notably conducts readings in unexpected places throughout the city such as in football fields, at the Parliament of Catalonia; Barcelona’s local Parliament building, and on trains, as well as holding conferences and workshops in correctional facilities and hospitals.

In order to further foster creativity, the Municipal Culture Bureau provides 130,000 euros to support literary events and enhance the city’s international impact in the field. In addition, Barcelona is one of the cities that initiated the Agenda 21 for culture, testifying a rich experience in international cooperation and commitment of placing creativity at the core of its urban policy agenda, by working toward an inclusive development approach based on economic feasibility, social equity, environmental responsibility and cultural vitality.

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概论

自19世纪以来，巴塞罗那这座拥有160万居民的城市便一直是公认的西班牙、拉丁美洲和加泰罗尼亚文学的出版中心。由于深受到跨国集团的欢迎，并且拥有其独立、繁荣的出版行业，该领域对地区经济的贡献达到12亿欧元。在过去二十年中，该行业的地位在地方和国际上均得以巩固。在过去二十年中，该行业的地位在地方和国际上均得以巩固。在地方层面，该市的公共图书馆数量增加了一倍，在国际层面，其向拉丁美洲地区出口的书籍占出口总量的44.8%。

通过组织大量的国际图书博览会，巴塞罗那的文学行业在国际上始终保持活力。这些博览会包括欧洲最重要的西班牙语文学博览会Liber，井尤其侧重数字化内容。该市还是加泰罗尼亚笔会的所在地，该笔会是第三个加入国际非政府组织“国际笔会”的成员。该市还实施了若干项目计划，以加强公众和特别受众的识字能力与文学好奇心。地区文学机构计划还在足球场、加泰罗尼亚议会、巴塞罗那当地的议会大厦，和火车上等全市范围内的意想不到的场所开展阅读活动，同时还在惩教场所和医院举行会议和讲习班。

为进一步培养创意，该市文化局提供了130,000欧元用以支持开展文学活动和提高其在该领域的国际影响力。另外，巴塞罗那是发起“21世纪文化议程”的城市之一，体现了它在国际合作方面的丰富经验以及将创意作为其城市政策议程核心的承诺，以争取实现立足于经济可行性、社会平等、环境保护和文化活力的包容性发展。

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作为创意城市文学之都，巴塞罗那希望：

- 在地方层面发展文学行业，实施旨在加强当地作家网络的新设施，将文化中心的关注点转向文学，以及开展新项目以促进阅读；
- 举行一年一度的国际编辑大会，探讨和推动出版业今后的发展，并特别重视与其他“创意城市文学之都”的合作；
- 将文化中心和文学节庆的部分项目规划专用于“创意城市文学之都”，以期推动不同文学之间的对话；
- 利用举办联合国教科文组织“世界图书日”活动的机会，提高知名度，并为网络作出贡献。
Creative City of Literature
创意城市文学之都

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DESCRIPTION

Dublin is a City of Literature where creativity, and especially writing and words in all forms – prose, poetry, playwriting, songwriting, are valued and celebrated. The city was home to four Nobel Prize Laureates for Literature. Its literary influence has spread to the four corners of the world. Bloomsday is celebrated as far away as Melbourne and St. Petersburg; there is an Oscar Wilde Society in Japan; and Bram Stoker created Dracula, one of the world’s most familiar literary characters.

Literature and literary culture are nurtured in the city, which is home to the International Impac Dublin Literary Award, the world’s most well-endowed prize for a single novel. It is also home to the Dublin Theatre Festival, the oldest of its kind in the world. Writers are appreciated in this city, which has named three bridges and numerous streets after writers. It is a city where a ferry company names its ships after writers and where the airport is adorned with images of writers and quotes to speed travellers on their way.

Dublin acknowledges its great literary tradition but, more importantly, takes pride in the vibrant contemporary scene. Along with the literary greats of the past such as James Joyce, Samuel Beckett, George Bernard Shaw, Bram Stoker and Oscar Wilde, Dublin writers today are leaving their mark on the international scene. Colum McCann, Anne Enright, Colm Tóibín are all winners of prestigious international writing awards. Eavan Boland, Brendan Kennelly, John Connolly, Cecelia Ahern and Derek Landy, among others, are widely read and translated and enjoy enormous international popularity. The role of creativity and innovation in providing industry with a competitive advantage and in enriching the social, economic and cultural lives of citizens is not only recognized but solidly valued and is embedded in city programmes and policies.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Dublin envisages:

- actively instigating and participating in intercity cooperative projects and programmes, both between Cities of Literature and cities within other creative fields;
- embracing the sharing of experiences with other cities and instigating programmes of support particularly with cities within a North-South dimension;
- furthering the integration of programmes aimed at children and youth as a key element in the city’s literary and cultural activities; and
- enhancing the position of creativity as the key to sustainable development. The UNESCO designation was the inspiration for the rejuvenation of an area of the city as a Cultural quarter with a new City Library as the anchor. An international dimension will focus on network members when the development is completed in 2018.

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作为创意城市文学之都，都柏林希望：

- 无论是在文学之都间还是在其他创新领域，积极发起并参与城际合作项目和计划；
- 积极与其他城市分享经验，发起协助其他城市的项目，特别是具有南 - 北合作性质的项目；
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DUNEDIN (NEW ZEALAND)

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DESCRIPTION

Dunedin is New Zealand’s largest city by area and arguably the most spectacular in terms of contrasting landscapes. It is a sprawling city that encompasses urban and rural communities. It is situated at the head of the Otago Harbour and stretches from the shores of the Pacific Ocean to the wilds of the Otago hinterland. This landscape has always inspired poets and writers since the 19th century, including: poet Thomas Bracken, author of New Zealand’s national anthem; Charles Brasch, founder of Landfall, the country’s foremost literary journal; and Janet Frame, internationally respected for her fiction and poetry.

Amongst Dunedin’s impressive publishing heritage, the city is also home to many nationally significant libraries and book collections, including Dunedin Public Library, established in 1908, and New Zealand’s first free public library. Additionally, the unique Centre for the Book, opened in 2012, provides a unique centre of excellence in book history, print culture, and investigations into new platforms and models of book publication and distribution.

Throughout the year, literature related events contribute to the city’s vibe such as the Dunedin Writers and Readers Festival, New Zealand Book Month or the Children’s Storylines Festival.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Dunedin envisages:

- Building strong partnerships – locally, nationally and internationally – by encouraging collaborations that stimulate new research and digital developments and sharing New Zealand’s literature across the world;
- Encouraging participation from everyone, everywhere in the city, from individuals as well as business and institutions. This will provide ways to imagine new communities of writing and reading and ways to connect people to place, sustaining community health and wellbeing; and
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- 通过鼓励在新型研究和数字发展领域的协作，同时与世界分享新西兰文学，在地方、国内和国际上建立紧密的合作伙伴关系；
- 鼓励从个人到企业和机构的全城参与，以勾画新的写作和阅读社区，同时通过将人和地方联系起来的方式，帮助维持社区的健康发展和幸福生活；
- 最终实现“玛纳奇唐加”（毛利语的“热情好客”）——新西兰的迎客之道，欢迎人们了解新西兰，以及其文学与国民。
DESCRIPTION

Edinburgh is the world's first UNESCO City of Literature. Designated in 2004, the capital of Scotland has a population of almost 500,000.

It is the birthplace and home to world-famous writers, poets and playwrights including Arthur Conan Doyle (Sherlock Holmes), Walter Scott (Waverley), and JK Rowling (Harry Potter). It has its own Poet Laureate, the Edinburgh Makar.

Publishing Scotland, the national body for publishers, as well as award-winning independent publishers are based here. The Edinburgh International Book Festival is the world's largest literary festival of its kind, lasting for two weeks each August. The Festival welcomes approximately 800 authors from nearly 40 countries and brings in over 225,000 visitors annually.

In 1725 the world's first circulating library opened in Edinburgh and today free public libraries can be found all over the city. Furthermore, the National Library of Scotland, the leading centre for the study of the Scots, the Scottish Poetry Library and the Scottish Storytelling Centre can all be found in Edinburgh. The city is home to unique institutions fostering literacy, including the Scottish Book Trust, a national agency for readership development and the Writers' Museum and Makars' Court, which commemorates Scottish writers and poets.

There are over 50 bookshops in Edinburgh. They are key venues for a vibrant culture of readings, literary cabarets and workshops happening year round. Edinburgh has four universities, including the University of Edinburgh, established in 1580 and which is one of the United Kingdom's oldest. The city is also the first in the world to appoint a Regius Professorship of Rhetoric and Belles Lettres (English Literature).

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As a Creative City of Literature, Edinburgh envisages:

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DESCRIPTION

Granada, the first Spanish-speaking UNESCO City of Literature, has a long history of being home to renowned poets, writers and intellectuals. This tradition has made the city a reference in terms of literary production and the management of activities related to the art of speech. Granada’s public and private institutions, publishing houses and solid network of bookshops provide spaces and synergies for a vibrant programme of literature-related activities. Hundreds of literary events are held in the city every year.

Granada is, above all, the city of Federico García Lorca, the best known and most widely translated Spanish writer after Cervantes. The city has built a large network of facilities, events and institutions around the figure of Lorca and his legacy. These include the Federico García Lorca Poetry Prize, and the International Poetry Festival (FIB), which, with over ten thousand people attending each spring, is the most important poetry festival in Spain.

The creative industries are one of the most dynamic sectors in Granada and have the largest rate of growth. Since the 1970s the city has embodied one of the keenest publishing traditions in Andalusia and is now becoming one of the most important publishing industries in the south of Spain.

With its close cultural links to Latin America and North Africa, Granada sees its role in the UCCN as a unique opportunity to strengthen its international vocation.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Granada envisages:

- developing pilot projects demonstrating the importance of creativity as a key to development;
- promoting good practices through exchanges on efficient and effective initiatives;
- organizing consultations, gatherings and virtual conventions;
- setting up cooperation programmes, particularly North-South, South-South and North-South-South, to support member cities in need of assistance; and
- introducing policy measures and initiatives linked to local and national development plans.

概述

格拉纳达是联合国教科文组织的首个西班牙语文学之都，并且在其历史上涌现出众多著名诗人、作家和知识分子。这一传统使得该市成为文学创作以及与演讲艺术相关活动的管理领域的风向标。格拉纳达的公共和私人机构、出版社以及庞大的书店网络为大量极具活力的文学相关活动项目提供了空间，同时创造了协同效应。每年，该市举办的文学活动达数百场。

格拉纳达是属于费德里戈·加西亚·洛尔卡的城市。他是继塞万提斯之后最著名、作品被翻译并流传最广的西班牙语作家。该市围绕着其形象及文化遗产，建立了一系列的设施、活动和机构，例如费德里戈·加西亚·洛尔卡诗歌奖和国际诗歌节（FIB）。后者每年春季吸引一万多人参与，是西班牙最重要的诗歌节日。

创意产业是格拉纳达最活跃的产业之一，拥有最高的增长率。自二十世纪七十年代以来，该市营造了安达卢西亚省最浓厚的出版传统之一，并且现已发展成为西班牙南部最重要的出版产业地之一。

因其与拉美和北非的密切文化联系，格拉纳达将在联合国教科文组织创意城市网络中所起的作用视为增强该网络国际使命的绝佳契机。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，格拉纳达希望：

- 设立试点项目，以展示创意作为发展要素的重要性;
- 通过交流高效且有效的各种举措，推广优秀实践;
- 组织讨论、集会和虚拟会议;
- 建立合作项目，尤其是南－北、南－南和南－北性质的合作项目，以支持需要协助的会员城市;
- 引入与地方和国家发展计划相关联的政策措施和方案。
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DESCRIPTION

Historically significant literature has been written and collected in Heidelberg for over 700 years. The foundation of the University of Heidelberg in 1386 marks the starting point of the unique cultural history of Heidelberg as a city of thinkers and poets. The German volumes of the famous Renaissance library "Biblioteca Palatina" still remain at Heidelberg University, and are currently being digitalized. At the turn of the 18th to the 19th century, the Romantic literary period was shaped in Heidelberg. Numerous philosophers and sociologists developed an interdisciplinary discourse that is still alive today.

Presently, Heidelberg is home to approximately 200 writers, 45,000 students from all over the world and a large number of publishers, bookshops (1.5 per 10,000 residents), antiquarian bookshops and renowned translators.

Heidelberg’s creativity makes it a unique economic player in Germany. The cultural and creative sector represents a far higher part in the overall economic performance of the city – over a third of the sector’s income is from the literature and publishing business – higher than any other city in the country. In 2013, a centre for the creative economy, the Centre of Creative Industries, was set up to help start-up businesses in the literary field.

Along with projects in the field of “text - language - philosophy”, Heidelberg also engages in unique initiatives in dance, art and music. Together with the neighbouring city of Mannheim, UNESCO City of Music, Heidelberg, with its intergenerational and cross-divisional projects, joins the UNESCO Creative Cities Network as a truly interdisciplinary city.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Heidelberg envisages:

- involving all actors in Heidelberg with a professional link to literature in the activities of the UCCN;
- supporting the local cultural and creative industries and strengthening the regional literature market with a view to promoting sustainable urban development;
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- organizing interdisciplinary projects that combine the arts with the humanities and natural sciences in corporation with the University of Heidelberg;
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1386年，海德堡大学的创立开启了这座思想家与诗人城市的独特文化历史。700多年来，在这座城市诞生并积累了大量的文学作品。德语卷的文艺复兴时期藏书“帕拉提藏书”（Biblioteca Palatina）至今仍保存在海德堡大学，并且正在被数字化。18世纪末19世纪初，浪漫主义文学也诞生于海德堡，大批哲学家和社会学家发展了一套活跃至今的跨学科理论。

目前，海德堡聚集着约200位作家，来自世界各地的45000名学生以及大量的出版商、书店（平均每1万名居民1.5家）、古籍书店和一批知名译者。

海德堡的丰富创意使其在德国经济中独树一帜。文化和创意行业在其整体经济活动中所占的比例远高于其他德国城市，而这些行业中超过三分之一的收入则来自于文学和出版业。2013年，该市创建了名为“创意产业中心”的创意经济中心，以协助推动文学领域创业企业的发展。

除了在“文本 - 语言 - 哲学”领域的项目，海德堡同样也投入到舞蹈、艺术和音乐项目之中，与作为联合国教科文组织音乐之都的邻城曼海姆一起，海德堡以其跨年龄段和跨部门的各类项目，作为一座真正意义上的多领域城市，加入了联合国教科文组织创意城市网络。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，海德堡希望：

- 让海德堡所有与文学有着专业联系的参与方（个人和机构等）积极投身联合国教科文组织创意城市网络的活动中去；
- 支持当地文化和创意产业，加强区域文学市场的发，以期促进城市可持续发展；
- 强调文学在海德堡文化多样性中的作用；
- 邀请其他领域的文化机构和艺术家参与将文学与音乐、舞蹈、视觉艺术、电影和媒体艺术相结合的联合作；
- 与海德堡大学合作开展将艺术与人文和自然科学相结合的跨学科项目；
- 确保所有市民都能够接受文化教育；
- 提升海德堡作为跨领域文化城市的形象，与其他各类创意城市进行合作。
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DESCRIPTION

For 80 years, Iowa City has been committed to celebrating writing. The Iowa Writers’ Workshop at the University of Iowa pioneered the teaching of creative writing at the university level; and dozens of creative programmes exist at the university and throughout the city.

Known as a long-standing home for writers, Iowa City has a unique set of influential literary institutions which explore new ways of teaching and supporting writers. Many of these cultural assets are housed at the University of Iowa. In addition to the Writers’ Workshop, the University is home to the International Writing Programme, the Nonfiction Writing Programme, the Translation Workshop, the Playwrights Workshop, the Spanish Language Creative Writing MFA, and the Iowa Center for the Book, to name but a few.

The community is also home to a rich array of literary spots, from the world-renowned Prairie Lights independent bookstore to the Iowa City Public Library – the busiest library building in the state per capita.

These organizations, and the City of Literature organization, provide rich programming that includes the Iowa City Book Festival, the Iowa Summer Writing Festival and the One Book Two Book Children’s Literature festival.

The city also boasts several presses and publishing houses, all of which support the many writers who have called or who continue to call Iowa City their home.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Iowa City envisages:

- initiating pilot projects in the field of literature that demonstrate the importance of creativity as a key to development;
- promoting the sharing of best practices related to operations and programming with other cities in the UCCN, particularly those in the literary creative field;
- sharing research, analysis and assessment of the creative cities experience; and
- playing an active part in the life of the Creative Cities Network, including but not limited to participation in meetings and other activities.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，爱荷华市希望：

- 发起文学领域的试点项目，展现创意作为发展要素之一的重要性；
- 增进与其他联合国教科文组织创意城市网络城市在项目运作和制定方面的最佳实践的分享，尤其是与其他文学之都；
- 分享对于创意城市经验的研究、分析和评估；
- 在创意城市网络中发挥更加积极的作用，而不仅限于参加会议和其他活动。
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DESCRIPTION

At the heart of Polish language and literature, Krakow is celebrated for its publishing tradition dating back to the 16th century. Home to over 75 bookstores and nearly 100 publishing companies, the Polish Book Institute and Poland’s oldest university, the Jagiellonian, founded in 1364, Krakow is also recognized for having the first scriptoria established in the city in the 11th century.

Renowned writers are connected with the city, including Joseph Conrad Korzeniowski, Adam Zagajewski and Nobel Prize laureates in Literature, Henryk Sienkiewicz and Wislawa Szymborska.

Each year several prestigious awards, including the Jan Długosz Prize, the Kazimierz Wyka Award and the Wisława Szymborska Poetry Award are awarded to highly recognized literary figures. Krakow regularly designates a Book of the Month, and every year, the Transatlantyk Award allocates a literary prize for the promotion of Polish literature abroad. In 2011, Krakow joined the International Cities of Refuge Network (ICORN), an association of 40 cities providing persecuted writers with a safe haven to write and live. Krakow also grants residencies in partnership with the Villa Decius Association for ICORN guest writers.

Hosting many literary festivals, including the Conrad Festival, the Milosz Festival, and the largest international Book Fair in Poland, Krakow is also known as a centre for avant-garde poetry and is a leader in innovative visual, performance, cyber and kinetic poetry.

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As a Creative City of Literature, Krakow envisages:

● developing ties between literature and human rights;
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DESCRIPTION

Capital city of Slovenia with 280,000 inhabitants, Ljubljana is known to be a prolific centre of literary creation with an average of 850 books published each year. With its strong public library network of over 500,000 members, the city was bestowed the title of World Book Capital and became the first city to host the World Book Summit, during which the adopted Ljubljana Resolution emphasized the importance of books as key drivers of sustainable development and cultural diversity.

Ljubljana has a vibrant creative scene and hosts a variety of major international events. Home to the main programme for the prestigious Fabula Festival, the city each year showcases more than 60 artists including internationally renowned writers such as Mueller, Franzen, Kureishi, Houellebecq and Galloway. With a commitment to promoting reading for all, Ljubljana’s literary life enlivens public spaces through diverse initiatives, such as the open-air Library under the Treetops and the Literary Walks. The Ljubljana Reads project also focuses on the broad participation of young people by offering them equal opportunity to enjoy literature.

As a member of the International Cities of Refuge Network (ICORN), Ljubljana is committed to supporting freedom of expression, as well as providing creative environments for writers. The Municipality thus offers free of charge premises for cultural activities through public tenders. In the Šiška district, 36 offices in a former administration building have been leased to artists, emphasizing the particular dynamism of the city in terms of fostering cultural facilities and supporting the emergence of creative industries.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Ljubljana envisages:

- further promotion of the culture of reading and the accessibility of books for all, especially young people through the Children Book Festival and the Youth Library;
- creating new employment opportunities for young creative entrepreneurs in the book industry;
- organising the Book Celebration Festival, aimed to fill public spaces with literary related activities to enhance access and participation to cultural life;
- offering artist residency programmes to strengthen the ties between Creative Cities of Literature by hosting artists at the Švicarija Art Centre for six-month exchanges; and
- establishing the Palace of Literature to focus on the history of Slovenian literature – the Palace will also host a dedicated UNESCO Creative Cities of Literature Saloon to showcase the major authors and literary trends within the UCCN.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，卢布尔雅那市希望:

- 通过“儿童图书节”和“青年图书馆”进一步在大众（特别是年轻人）中推广读书文化和图书可及性;
- 在图书产业领域为年轻创意创业者创造新的就业机会;
- 举办“图书庆祝节”活动，旨在利用与文学有关的活动充实公共空间，以提高文化生活的可及性和参与度;
- 通过在vicarija艺术中心举办为期半年的艺术家交流活动，为艺术家们提供培训课程以加强文学创意城市之间的联系;
- 建立“文学宫殿”以重点关注斯洛文尼亚文学发展史－该场所还将举办专门的联合国教科文组织创意城市文学之都沙龙，从而在联合国教科文组织创意城市网络内展示主要作家和文学走向。
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DESCRIPTION

In 2009, Lviv; the largest city in western Ukraine and home to 750,000 inhabitants, was recognized as the country’s Cultural Capital. Renowned for its rich literary history and printing legacy, Lviv is undeniably a city of writers, publishers and readers, with half of the population registered with one of the city’s 174 libraries. In the early twentieth century, Lviv was the only city in the world to home three Catholic Archbishops and this tradition of religious tolerance within the city has inspired numerous writers to engage with the city’s heritage and culture.

Literature is widely celebrated in festivals across the city. Since its inception in 1997, the Lviv International Festival of Literature has hosted 538 authors from 38 different countries and welcomed audiences of over 60,000 people to the city. This makes it one of the biggest festivals in Eastern Europe by encompassing over 200 events. In addition to several literature-related fora, Lviv has developed its literary culture by connecting with Norway through the More Countries – More Books scheme, aimed at fostering the spirit of international literary collaboration and share experiences common to readers and writers.

The City Council has established specific programmes to support cultural projects, notably through competitions such as the Annual Competition of Ukrainian Book Publishing, which involves all the city’s publishers. In line with the city’s strategy and plans, culture and creativity have been identified as core priorities for social cohesion and sustainable development, as well as resilient urban environment, favourable social policy, equal access to education, and support to research and innovation centres.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Lviv envisages:

- establishing the University Library of Tomorrow foreseen to become the major centre for literature, humanities and social research;
- implementing the Programme for Support of Reading (2015 – 2020) aimed to promote reading among vulnerable groups as well as literary education for young people;
- launching the Project on Integration and Improvement of Access to Cultural Industries within the Libraries Development Programme (2016 – 2021), which will notably support the Urban-Library initiative which provides an open-discussion space offering workshops and trainings to young creative entrepreneurs to focus on the city’s development strategy;
- enhancing cooperation and exchanges with other Creative Cities of Literature through sub-network meetings and joint-initiatives; and
- encouraging interdisciplinary projects with Creative Cities of the other creative fields covered by the Network.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，利沃夫希望：

- 建立“未来大学图书馆”，使其成为文学、人文和社会领域的主要研究中心；
- 实施“读书扶持计划（2015－2020）”，旨在促进弱势群体读书活动以及年轻人文学教育活动；
- 在图书馆发展计划内推出文化产业准入整合与改进项目（2016－2021），为“城市图书馆项目”提供支持。该项目旨在提供开放式讨论空间，为年轻创意创业者提供研讨会及培训及实地机会，从而重点落实城市发展战略；
- 通过子网会议以及联合举措加强与其他创意城市文学之都之间的合作和交流；
- 鼓励在创意城市网络内与其他创意领域的创意城市建立跨学科合作项目。
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DESCRIPTION

Celebrated for its vibrant literary culture, Melbourne supports a diverse range of writers, a prosperous publishing industry, a successful culture of independent book-selling, a wide variety of literary organizations, a well-established culture of reading and is actively involved in many events and festivals.

Melburnians consume more books, magazines and newspapers per capita than any other city in Australia and enjoy the highest concentration of community book clubs in the country. Moreover, the city has been home to some of Australia’s greatest writers, including Marcus Clarke, Peter Carey and Helen Garner.

Australia’s oldest public library, the State Library of Victoria, is located in Melbourne. Founded in 1854, it was the first major cultural institution established in Melbourne and now attracts over 1.7 million visitors annually. There are 289 local libraries in the State of Victoria, with 2.5 million members who borrow approximately 50 million items each year. Victorians of all ages are avid readers and almost half of all Victorians are library members. More Victorians read for pleasure than in any other State in Australia. Moreover, in 2014 over 230,000 children participated in the Premier’s Reading Challenge, reading more than 4 million books all together.

Melbourne is home to an array of literary organizations, including Australian Poetry, Express Media, the Emerging Writers’ Festival, the Melbourne Writers Festival, the Small Press Network, Wheeler Centre and Writers Victoria.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Melbourne envisages:

- providing a gateway to Australia, the Pacific and South East Asia;
- contributing to the continuous innovation in the digital presentation of writing and literature events; and
- strengthening Melbourne’s position as a leader in the support and development of young and emerging writers.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，墨尔本希望：

- 成为通及澳大利亚、太平洋和东南亚的门户；
- 促进写作与文学活动的数字化呈现方式的持续创新；
- 巩固墨尔本在支持和培养青年与新锐作家方面的领先地位。

概述

墨尔本以其充满活力的文学气息而闻名：这里有风格迥异的作家、繁荣的出版产业、成功的独立图书销售文化、形形色色的文学团体，以及优良的阅读传统。同时，该市还积极参与众多的图书活动和节庆。

墨尔本的图书、杂志和报纸的人均阅读量位居澳大利亚各城市之首，其社区图书俱乐部的密度也为全国之最。此外，墨尔本还是澳大利亚数位最杰出作家的出生地，例如马库斯·克拉克、彼得·凯里和海伦·加纳。

澳大利亚最古老的公共图书馆维多利亚州立图书馆坐落于墨尔本。维多利亚州立图书馆成立于1854年，是墨尔本第一家主要的文化机构，现今每年吸引访客170 多万人次。维多利亚州共有 289 家地方图书馆和 250 万会员，每年借阅总量约为 5000 万册。维多利亚州居民无论老幼都喜爱阅读，其中约半数是图书馆会员。墨尔本的其他州相比，维多利亚居民更多是出于乐趣而进行阅读。此外，该州的 23 万余名儿童于2014年参加了“州长阅读挑战赛”，期间总阅读量超过400万册。
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- establishing literary tours retracing the lives and works of Montevideo’s major literary figures;
- positioning the city as an international model for literature, notably by displaying the city’s literary legacy through the online Uruguayan Book and Writers Museum; and
- fostering the mobility of writers and the exchange of experiences with other Creative Cities of Literature.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

The Capital city of Uruguay with 1.9 million inhabitants, Montevideo bears witness to a rich literary history linked to the city’s geographic position as one of the major ports in Latin America. The exchange of culture and traditions has always nourished Montevideo’s literary movements, starting with the Creole theatre influencing the Gaucho literature. As the home town of many renowned writers, including Mario Benedetti and Juan Carlos Onetti, the city was once referred to as the “Athens of the Rio de la Plata”, and since then, literature has remained the main driver of its creative economy and a key enabler of intercultural and intergenerational dialogue.

Adding to its literary heritage, Montevideo hosted the very first Poetry Festival in Uruguay with the participation of nearly 150 poets from all around the world. Besides literary activities, the city places particular emphasis on cross-cutting approaches, envisioning literature as a socio-cultural nexus. Many initiatives involve the wide participation of both young people and the elderly, as well as reaching vulnerable and disadvantaged groups and individuals. In particular, the Bibliomóvil and the Ceibal Plan foster social inclusion and equity by providing access to information and communications technology (ICT), and the ability for all to learn and appreciate reading and writing.

The municipality ensures equal opportunities for creators both at local and international levels by enhancing spaces of dialogue and exchange programmes. The City and Books programme organizes regular indoor and outdoor meetings between authors and readers, while the Writers House offers residency programmes to foreign writers. Montevideo is committed to giving new momentum to, and sustaining, its longstanding book culture and literary tradition by putting culture at the core of its local development plans.

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NORWICH (UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND)
诺维奇（大不列颠及北爱尔兰联合王国）

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DESCRIPTION

A medium-sized city (population 230,000) in the East of England, Norwich is a place where ideas and the written word have flourished for over 900 years. The city’s literary heritage includes the first book to be published in English by a woman: Revelations of Divine Love written by Julian of Norwich in the fourteenth century which still resonates to this day. In more recent times, Britain’s first MA in Creative Writing was founded at the University of East Anglia (UEA). Writers of world standing - including Ian McEwan and Kazuo Ishiguro - emerged from this programme. It is now widely regarded as one of the most influential courses for new writing. In 1989 W. G. “Max” Sebald, perhaps one of the most original writers of the twentieth century, founded the British Centre for Literary Translation at UEA. This centre drives collaboration between writers and translators from across the world and has served as a model for new translation centres in Poland, India, China and Egypt.

The creative sector is integral to Norwich. Residents spend more per head on culture than anywhere else in the UK. For five consecutive years, The Millennium Library has issued the highest number of books of any library in the country. Norwich also boasts the oldest city arts festival in the UK and each year the Norfolk and Norwich Festival attracts thousands of visitors with its cutting-edge programme.

Writers Centre Norwich - which led the UNESCO City of Literature bid - was established in 2003 as a ground breaking collaboration between UEA, Arts Council England, Norwich City Council and Norfolk County Council. In 2015 the Writers’ Centre is moving to the magnificent Dragon Hall, a Grade 1 listed medieval trading hall. With ambitious plans to establish this as a national centre for writing, the reputation of Norwich as a world-leader for literary innovation is set to grow further still.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Norwich envisages:

- developing the Writers’ Centre Norwich into a national centre for writing. The centre, which has had an international component for many years, has championed connectivity and collaboration. In the future, there will be even greater emphasis on building partnerships and on the exchange of the best creative writing, editing and literary translations;

- broadening the reach of the Writer’s Centre through the International Literature Showcase (ILS). This partnership between the British Council and the Writers’ Centre is a global platform to build connections among those who work in the literary world. In 2015, literature development professionals from over 20 countries will meet with writers from across the UK to make connections and initiate transnational collaboration; and

- giving writers, poets and translators the opportunity to discuss writing at Worlds, an international literary salon.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，诺维奇希望：

- 将诺维奇作家中心发展成为一个国家级写作中心。多年来，拥有国际性的该中心一直非常重视国际交流与合作。在未来，中心将更加注重合作关系的建立以及在最佳创意写作、编辑和文学翻译方面的交流。

- 通过“国际文学展示会”（International Literature Showcase），扩大诺维奇作家中心的涉及范围。这一英国文化协会和作家中心之间的合作为文学界从业者们提供了一个国际平台。2015年，来自20多个国家的文学发展专业人员与来自英国各地的作家进行会晤，以期建立联系，并且发起跨国合作。

- 通过国际文学沙龙“多个世界”（Worlds），向作家、诗人和译者提供探讨写作的机会。

综上所述，诺维奇作为一个中等规模的城市，人口约23万，900多年来，思想与文学一直活跃于这座城市。诺维奇的文学遗产包括“诺维奇的朱利安”（Julian of Norwich）于14世纪所创作的《神圣之爱的启示》，这部作品是在英国发表的第一部由女性创作的作品，至今仍深具影响力。近代，英国第一个创意写作文学硕士学位设立于东安格利亚大学（UEA），包括伊恩·麦克尤恩和石黑一雄在内的不少世界级作家都从该项目中脱颖而出，因此被广泛认为是当今最具影响力的新式写作课程。1989年，可称为20世纪最具原创性的作家W.G.“麦柯斯”·巴尔德在东安格利亚大学成立了英国文学翻译中心。该中心推动世界各地作家与译者间的合作，并且成为波兰、印度、中国和埃及等国的新式翻译中心的范例。

创意产业是诺维奇不可或缺的组成部分。该市居民的人均文化消费为全国第一。诺维奇千禧图书馆的图书出借量连续五年为全国之首。诺维奇还因拥有英国最悠久的城市艺术节而倍感自豪。每年，诺福克与诺维奇节以其最前沿的活动内容吸引数千名访客的参与。成立于2003年的诺维奇作家中心是该市申请联合国教科文组织文学之都称号的主导机构，是安格利亚大学、英格兰艺术委员会、诺维奇市议会以及诺福克郡议会之间的一项开创性合作。该作家中心于2015年搬往宏伟的龙厅，一座被列为一等保护建筑的中世纪交易大厅。伴随着将该市建设成为一个国家级写作中心的宏伟计划，诺维奇作为国际文学创新引领者的声誉必将得到进一步的提升。
NOTTINGHAM (UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND)

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Located in the centre of England, and home to 320,000 inhabitants – with 786,000 in the wider urban area, Nottingham boasts a rich history of illustrious literary figures residing within its walls, such as Lord Byron, D.H. Lawrence, Stanley Middleton and Alan Sillitoe, to name but a few. Now, as a hub for creativity, records show that over 2,400 creative businesses, employing nearly 20,000 people, are based there. The literature-related programmes of Nottingham Trent University and the University of Nottingham, campuses together attract a worldwide student population of more than 60,000 annually, are renowned for their long tradition in creative writing courses. In addition, the city has a strong library network featuring the 200-year-old Bromley House Library.

Distinguished by the variety of its literary events, Nottingham annually hosts the multidisciplinary Nottingham European Arts Theatre (NEAT) Festival, which gathers 300 artists and a 55,000-person audience. In addition, the independent bookshop Five Leaves hosts numerous indoors and outdoors public readings, as does the Writers’ Studio, an innovative body run by writers for writers. Nottingham’s literary scene is underpinned by grassroots initiatives and a cross-cutting approach towards literature, embracing books, comics, plays, film-scripts, videogames, and visual arts.

The Nottingham City Council’s commitment to creativity and creative work is evident in the ambition of its policies, notably the development in 2013 of the Creative Quarter. A flagship project of the city’s 2012 Growth Plan, the Creative Quarter aims to foster exchanges between the business community and creative and educational practitioners and institutions. Since its launch, the project has generated new employment opportunities in the creative sector, including roles in literature, media arts, film and entertainment industries, and inspired new city-centre venues and networking opportunities.

As a Creative City of Literature, Nottingham envisages:

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作为创意城市文学之都，诺维奇希望：

- 通过基层举措包括获奖项目“等待黎明”开展扫盲运动，旨在吸引兴趣欠佳的读者参与文学活动，从而制定终身读书和学习计划；
- 延长“城市读书与写作”计划，在图书馆、学校和文化中心举办讲习班，鼓励形成讲故事的习惯，特别是针对年轻人；
- 继续举办“诺丁汉艺术节”，广泛展示国际性作品和多语种作品，以及培养边缘群体和弱势群体及个人参与其中；
- 通过“爱说话的诗人”集体活动扩大年轻人工作就业机会，从经济上关注文学界可持续发展事业；
- 创造与其他文学创意城市的国际合作机会，特别是通过“城市读书走世界”项目，突出创新性跨文化经验。
ÓBIDOS (PORTUGAL)
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DESCRIPTION

Located on the western central coast of Portugal, Óbidos is an ancient fortified city that remains a well-preserved example of medieval architecture. In recent years, Óbidos has distinguished itself through a wise combination of heritage preservation and creative innovation. The transformation of the Gothic Saint Peter Church into a library and a bookshop best illustrates the city’s commitment to following a sustainable urban revitalisation and development path. Above all, creativity, and literature in particular, are seen in Óbidos as enablers of social inclusion, job creation and a knowledge based economy.

In 2015, the city launched the first edition of the International Literary Festival of Óbidos (FOLIO), which gathers writers, editors and publishers in a conducive environment for networking and the exchange of ideas, as well as development of professional cooperation. In addition, the Creative Factory initiative focuses on establishing a number of cultural infrastructures, such as the Óbidos Story Centre, which offers multidisciplinary programmes and workshops, especially aimed at encouraging young people to follow careers in the field of creativity.

The flagship project currently undertaken by the municipality is the “Creative Houses” project, which focuses on turning abandoned houses into a network of creative residencies for artists, as well as an incubator space that functions as a hub for young entrepreneurs to launch creative businesses. The residencies foster the mobility of artists within the Network by hosting writers and offering them the opportunity to share experiences, meet other local writers and work in a collaborative spirit.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Óbidos envisages:

- implementing the Óbidos City of Literature Strategy aimed at improving access to books, information and communications technology (ICT) for the local community;
- providing vocational guidance in the field of literature by offering specific programmes and workshops in school libraries;
- nurturing the mobility of artists within the Network by hosting writers in the city’s creative residencies; and
- fostering international cooperation through the FOLIO event to focus on North-South artistic exchanges.

概述

欧比多斯位于葡萄牙西部地区中心海岸位置，是一座古老的要塞城市，是迄今为止仍然保存完好的中世纪建筑实例。近年来，欧比多斯采取了将遗产保护与创新相结合的明智方式而使其独树一帜。其中，将哥特式圣彼得教堂改建成图书馆和书店的转型一例最能体现该市对遵循可持续城市复兴与发展道路的承诺。创意尤其是文学在欧比多斯被视为社会包容、创造就业机会和知识型经济的推动力。

2015年，该市推出第一届“欧比多斯国际文学节”（FOLIO），汇聚了全球作家、编辑和出版商，使其在良好的网络环境中进行思想交流并开展专业合作。此外，“创意工场”举措重点关注建设一批文化技术设施，如欧比多斯故事中心，以提供多学科课程项目和研讨会，并特别着重于鼓励年轻人投身创意领域。

目前，该城市开展的主打项目是“创意之家”项目，专注于把废弃的房屋变为艺术家创意园地网络以及孵化空间，为年轻创业者建立创意企业发挥枢纽中心功能。在网络内，创意园地通过接待作家并为其提供与其他本地作家见面，分享经验与合作的机会来提高艺术家的流动性。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，欧比多斯希望：

- 实施“欧比多斯文学战略”，旨在为当地社区提高图书、信息和通信技术（ICT）获取渠道；
- 通过在学校图书馆提供专业课程和研讨会，从而在文学领域提供职业指导；
- 通过在创意园地招待作家，提高网络内艺术家的流动性；
- 通过“欧比多斯国际文学节”（FOLIO）活动开展国际合作，从而重点关注南北艺术交流。
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DESCRIPTION

An architectural pearl celebrated for its renowned, well-preserved historical center featuring a unique collection of buildings registered on the UNESCO World Heritage List in 1992, Prague is also a city with great intellectual and creative resources.

With its long and rich tradition of literature, Prague is home to an active and diverse contemporary literary scene. A multicultural book center, Prague has one of the highest concentration of bookshops in Europe and contains approximately 200 bookshops and 20 literary cafés. The city launched its first international poetry festival in 2004, becoming the Prague Microfestival in 2009. The Prague Writers’ Festival celebrates writers from the Czech Republic and the International Literature and Theatre Festival, Děti, čtete? (Children, do you read?), is one of Prague’s most successful festivals.

Prague aims to develop its longstanding book culture and literary tradition on a national and international level by hosting events related to national and international literature and literary studies.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Prague envisions:

- enriching and expanding literary life in Prague and in other cities through collaborating with the UCCN in order to promote the exchange of experiences and best practices; and

- promoting Prague’s rich cultural and literary history, its tradition of libraries and education, and its approach to contemporary literary events.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市文学之都，布拉格希望：

- 通过与创意城市网络的合作，丰富并扩展布拉格及其他城市的文学生活，以推广经验和最佳实践的交流；

- 宣传推广布拉格丰富的文化和文学历史，图书馆和教育传统，以及在当代文学活动方面的举措；
REYKJAVIK (ICELAND)
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Designated UNESCO Creative City in 2011

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Reykjavik, the capital of Iceland, is the most northern capital in the world. With 200,000 inhabitants in the greater metropolitan area, Reykjavik may be one of the smallest capital cities in Europe, but its vibrant cultural scene provides locals and visitors a multitude of events and festivals to enjoy all year round. With a history rooted in the Sagas from the past and its unique location within a land of diverse landscapes, Reykjavik manages to combine a unique blend of hip and wholesome, but without the stress that usually accompanies a cosmopolitan metropolis.

Reykjavik has a thriving and diverse cultural life, with a variety of museums, theatres, galleries and first class universities. Reykjavik is home to the Árni Magnússon Institute for Icelandic Studies, the centre of the Icelandic Sagas and other medieval literature that established Iceland as one of the most renowned literary nations of the world. The Arnemagnean Manuscript Collection was added to the UNESCO Memory of the World Register in 2009. The Reykjavik Music and Conference Centre, Harpa is the newest addition to the city’s cultural venues. This building won the European Union’s Mies van der Rohe Award in 2013. The International PEN Congress was held in Harpa in September 2013.

Icelandic literature, ranging from the medieval Saga literature to modern day poetry and prose, is translated in growing numbers each year and the Icelandic Literature Centre is actively promoting this sector internationally. Grassroots activities are also a significant part of the city’s cultural life in all art forms. The Reykjavik UNESCO City of Literature office is instrumental in promoting the literary sector and initiating new projects and programs in the field. Other key players on the literary stage in Reykjavik are the Vigdís Finnbogadóttir Institute for Foreign Languages and the City Library.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Reykjavik envisages:

- taking part in international projects such as the International Children’s Literature Festival, the Reykjavik International Literature Festival and a variety of other international literary projects which reflect its connections to the Nordic and West-Nordic region of the North Atlantic and beyond;

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Creative City of Literature
创意城市文学之都

TARTU (ESTONIA)
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DESCRIPTION

The Second largest city of Estonia with 120,000 inhabitants and a large student population of around 20,000 people, Tartu is considered to be the national intellectual centre. With the establishment of the University of Tartu in the mid-17th century, the city became a hub for research, innovation and creativity. The city nurtures this legacy by providing a wide-range of training programmes to creative entrepreneurs, many of which are supported by the Centre for Creative Industries that connects over 1,300 creative industries in Tartu.

The major literary events are Prima Vista Festival and Crazy Tartu, organised by the Estonian Literary Society and the Estonian Writers’ Union. Both events bring together writers, poets, musicians and artists from all over Estonia and abroad. As part of Tartu’s continual innovation in the creative sector, the city places emphasis on running projects to strengthen the creative ideas circulating in its streets. For instance, the “Tartu in Fiction” project run by the Tartu Public Library, showcases residents’ visions of the city through the lens of fiction. Moreover, Tartu extends and intensifies interdisciplinary initiatives, highlighting the cross-cutting nature and universal value of literature.

“Tartu 2030” is the city’s current long-term development strategy and, using an active network of NGOs and civil society associations, aims to foster comprehensive and integrated approaches and policy frameworks. Culture and creativity exist at the core of this strategy, of which the main objective is to work towards achieving sustainable urban development and provide a safe urban environment for all by 2030. A specific part of policy is dedicated to ensuring a good quality of life, culture and creativity for the citizens of Tartu, as these are referred as key enablers of social cohesion, particularly when showcased in public spaces.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Tartu envisages:

- promoting the culture of reading among young people through educational programmes and social campaigns to ensure lifelong interest in literature;
- protecting freedom of expression and the diversity of literary culture by increasing artists in residence programmes, as well as providing shelter to persecuted writers;
- enhancing the working conditions of authors by multiplying the number of scholarships and financial incentives;
- implementing the “Poems in Urban Space: Bus Poetry” project, designed to showcase the works of contemporary poets on windows of the city’s buses, introducing literature into the everyday urban space; and
- cooperating with other Creative Cities through joint-programmes to forge ahead with sustainable urban development.

概述

塔尔图市是爱沙尼亚第二大城市，拥有12万居民，以及在校学生两万人左右，因此被视为国家的智库，17世纪中叶，随着塔尔图大学成立，该市成为爱沙尼亚的研究、创新和创意中心，塔尔图市通过向创意产业的创业者提供一系列广泛的培训课程来延续该传统。这些课程多由涵盖1,300多家创意企业的塔尔图市创意产业中心支持。

该市主要的文学活动包括爱沙尼亚文学社与爱沙尼亚作家联盟组织举办的“Prima Vista节”和“疯狂塔尔图”活动。这两项文学活动汇聚了来自爱沙尼亚和外国的作家、诗人、音乐家和艺术家们。作为塔尔图市创意产业持续创新的一部分，该市重点突出各项项目，以加强遍布全市大街小巷的创意理念。例如，由塔尔图公共图书馆开展的“塔尔图小说”项目，通过虚构视角展示了该市居民的城市发展远景。此外，塔尔图市扩展和加强跨学科举措，以突出文学的跨领域及其普世价值。

“2030 塔尔图”是该市目前的长期发展战略，其基于非政府组织和民间社团协会的活跃网络，并且着力打造全面性和综合性的方法和政策框架。文化和创意处于这一战略的核心，其主要目标是在 2030 年前努力全面实现可持续发展目标，并提供安全的城市环境。该政策的其中一部分特别致力于保证塔尔图市居民拥有良好的生活质量、文化氛围和创意环境，而这些因素正是促进社会凝聚力的关键动力，尤其在公共空间中。

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作为创意城市文学之都，塔尔图希望：

- 通过教育课程和社会推广活动在年轻人中促进读书文化，使其对文学产生终身兴趣；
- 通过增加艺术家驻留项目以及为受迫害作家提供庇护来保护表达自由和文学文化的多样性；
- 通过增加奖学金和经济激励来改善作家的工作条件；
- 实施“城市空间诗展：巴士诗歌”项目，旨在通过将文学引入城市日常生活空间的方式将当代诗人的作品展示于城市巴士车窗之上；
- 通过联合项目与其他创意城市开展合作，以推进城市的可持续发展。
ULYANOVSK (RUSSIAN FEDERATION)

乌里扬诺夫斯克（俄罗斯联邦）

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Renamed Ulyanovsk in 1924, the city is considered to be at the literary heart of the Russian Federation. Now home to 600,000 people, the city is famous for being the birthplace of the novelist Ivan Goncharov (1812-1871). In 2012, and in honour of the writer’s 200th birthday, the city honoured their literary heritage by dedicating a museum, housed in the three-storey building, about his life and works. The launch date of this initiative coincided with the implementation of several programmes bearing his name. These enterprises are just some of the city’s greater efforts to foster culture-led development and its desire to sustain the Ulyanovsk’s creative economy which, in a ten-year period, has multiplied three-fold.

The city’s vibrant literary scene is supported by a diverse scope of festivals including the Oblomov Festival, which celebrates Goncharov eponymous novel’s antihero. The festival attracts around 5,000 people each year and glorifies under the motto “Get Off the Sofa!” in reference to Oblomov as the “Prince of Laziness”. In addition, the international Gala Concert of Readers pays tribute to another national literary figure, Sergei Miklalkov; author of children’s books and satirical fables, by showcasing his main works through a network of libraries implemented in 10 countries worldwide.

The current Ulyanovsk Development Strategy of Cultural Policy confirms the city’s strong will to make literature a core priority and driver of its sustainable urban development. By 2030, Ulyanovsk is committed to increase the number of published books written by local authors and encourage young creative entrepreneurs to engage in the book sector, as well as support reading and writing enjoyment by filling public spaces with innovative literary devices to enliven the curiosity of its citizens.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Literature, Ulyanovsk envisages:

* supporting writers through the “Literary Intervention” programme aimed to improve the working conditions and employment opportunities in the book sector;
* enhancing literature appreciation and access throughout the city’s public spaces, including the “Literary Phone Booths” project, which aims to broadcast excerpts from the books of contemporary writers within the Creative Cities of Literature society, and the “Read – Forest” project in which refrigerators filled with books are placed in public parks;
* nurturing cross-cutting approaches between literature and design within the “Park school of contemporary art”, focusing on integrating literature in urban design; and
* exchanging best practices within the Network by organizing an International Cultural Forum as a platform for discussion on culture and sustainable urban development.

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作为创意城市文学之都，乌里扬诺夫斯克希望通过:

* 通过“文学介入”项目向作家提供支持，以期改善图书行业的从业人员和增加就业机会；
* 在整个城市的公共空间提高文学鉴赏和文学普及度，其中包括旨在传播来自各个“创意城市文学之都”的当代作家的精选作品的“文学电话亭”项目，以及在公园放置装满图书的冰箱的“读书 - 森林”项目；
* 在“当代艺术公园学校”内推广文学与设计之间的跨领域发展手段，着重将文学融入城市设计之中；
* 通过举办“国际文化论坛”，并将其作为探讨文化和可持续城市发展的平台，在联合国教科文组织创意城市网络中交流最佳实践。
创意城市
媒体艺术之都

CREATIVE CITIES OF MEDIA ARTS
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In Austin, the creative sector is a vital component of the local economy. As state capital of Texas, with around 900,000 inhabitants, it is a place where small, local businesses thrive and has achieved prominence as a trendsetting global city at the intersection of art, music, and digital technology. Growing by 40% over the last decade, the region’s creative sector contributes more than US$ 4.35 billion in economic activity annually and represents nearly 49,000 permanent jobs.

With excellent higher education institutions – including the University of Texas – Austin has a reputation as a progressive city and attracts many creative professionals each year, many of whom have brought prominence to the state with their songs, films, artwork, video games, and innovations. With this, events like SXSW Music, Film and Interactive, Austin City Limits Music Festival and Fantastic Fest have now become perpetual fixtures in the city’s cultural calendar.

From individual artists and creators to non-profit arts and culture organizations, the presence of many talents within Austin has spurred the growth of a rich and diverse cultural ecosystem. As Austin’s creative sector continues to expand, its vitality is sustained by the many for-profit creative industries and including music, film, digital entertainment, galleries and festivals found here, as well as by the venues, funders, leadership, and audiences.

Due to its importance, the creative economy has been recognized as a priority in the city’s 2012 Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan, in which creative industries and smart grid technology – in particular gaming, digital media, and film – are considered as essential levers to Austin local economy.

**CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK**

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Austin envisages:

- integrating media arts into the public sphere by commissioning local artists currently working in new media to manage public arts projects and events;
- promoting the development of media arts through the City Creative Content Incentives and Cultural Funding Programmes;
- enhancing virtual and local artists-in-residence programmes for artists working in new media and facilitating exchange programmes and internship opportunities for students;
- fostering exchanges between the Creative Cities of Media Arts, notably through the organization of trade missions involving creative ambassadors from the private sector;
- developing CITISTART (Cities for Innovation, Trade, and Investment and Science, Technology and the ARTs), a local network aiming to develop existing creative industries and creating employment opportunities in the technology and creative sectors; and
- establishing travelling exhibitions highlighting artists from other Creative Cities of Media Arts.

概述

在奥斯汀，创意部门是当地经济的一个重要组成部分。作为得克萨斯州的首府，该城市拥有约900000名居民，小型地方企业发展迅速，并且在艺术、音乐和数字技术的交汇领域崭露头角，成为了一个引领潮流的全球性城市。在过去十年，该地区创意部门的经济增长率为40%，每年在经济活动方面的贡献达到43.5亿美元，创造了近49000个固定工作岗位。

奥斯汀拥有一流的高等教育机构（包括得克萨斯大学），享有进步之城的美誉，每年都会吸引众多富有创意的专业人士来到这里。他们中有许多人凭借自己的歌曲、电影、艺术作品、视频游戏和创新成果为得克萨斯州带来了盛誉。正因如此，SXSW 音乐、电影和交互盛会、奥斯汀城市极限音乐节和奇幻电影节等活动目前已成为该市文化日历上的长期固定内容。

若干人才的出现激励了奥斯汀丰富多彩的文化生态系统的发展，从个人艺术家和创造者、非营利性艺术和文化组织到包含音乐、电影、数字娱乐、美术馆、节庆活动在内的营利性创意产业，以及场馆、投资者、领导层和观众，这些关键因素推动着该市文化生态持续焕发活力。

创意经济因具有重要意义而被认定为该市《2012 年奥斯汀预想综合计划》的一个优先事项。与此同时，创意产业和智能电网技术，特别是游戏、数字媒体和电影被视为奥斯汀当地经济的杠杆。

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作为“创意城市媒体艺术之都”，奥斯汀希望：

- 委托从事新媒体工作的当地艺术家从事公共艺术项目和活动，从而将媒体艺术纳入公共领域；
- 通过“城市创意内容激励和文化供资计划”推动媒体艺术的发展；
- 扩大面向从事新媒体工作的艺术家的虚拟和当地驻留艺术家计划，同时促进针对学生的交流计划并增加实习机会；
- 促进“媒体艺术创意城市”之间的交流，主要是组织贸易代表团，并让来自私营部门的“创意大使”参与其中；
- 发展CITISTART（崇尚创新、贸易和投资以及科学、技术和艺术的城市）这一地方网络，旨在发展现有创意产业，并创造技术和创意部门的就业机会；
- 为来自其他“创意城市媒体艺术之都”的艺术家们举办巡回展。
DAKAR (SENEGAL)
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DESCRIPTION

Dakar is a cosmopolitan city whose identity is based on its melting pot of peoples. Housing 25% of the country's population and 80% of its economic activities, the city is Senegal’s veritable engine.

With a rich heritage and a tradition of openness, Dakar is a creative metropolis which hosts cultural events of great magnitude, including the World Festival of Black Arts and the Biennial of Contemporary African Art. The city also has a large amount of cultural infrastructures: the Théodore Monod Museum of African Art, the Arts Village, as well as galleries including the National Gallery of Art, the Daniel Sorano National Theatre and the Grand National Theatre. This infrastructure reflects the dynamism of Dakar's artistic scene and its vibrant and diverse community of actors.

Dakar is a modern city which, in view of pursuing its development, tends towards increasing its innovative capacity by strengthening the role of media arts in the range of expressive forms used by its artists, as well as cultural and social actors. The city intends to make culture, creativity and innovation the driving forces of local development.

Thanks to the digital age, the production and dissemination of artistic creations is becoming accessible to an increasing number of actors. It is also a tool for the interaction of arts, education, science and technology. A major asset for the city, the digital revolution can facilitate the convergence of different artistic worlds, as well as amplify and diversify the expressive forms of Dakar’s people.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Dakar envisages:

- supporting innovative and developmental local projects in the field of Media Arts;
- developing cooperation with the other cities in the Network in a concrete and inclusive project scheme. This should foster momentum behind bringing peoples together, particularly between the global North and South;
- strengthening culture and making it a lever for human and urban development;
- strengthening UNESCO's visibility and promoting its actions in the field of culture and the creative economy;
- promoting the Network with local decision-makers and more broadly across the African continent;
- supporting other member cities by giving them access to the local stage; and
- creating bridges between Senegalese and international actors.

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作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，达喀尔希望：

- 支持媒体艺术领域具有创新性和发展性的地区项目；
- 通过一个具体且包容性强的项目方案，发展与创意城市网络中其他城市的合作，以增强各民族之间密切交往的活力，特别是南北半球国家之间；
- 强化文化作为参与介人的手段，并使其成为人类和城市发展 的抓手；
- 提高教科文组织的知名度，推广其在文化和创意经济领域的活动；
- 向地方决策者和整个非洲大陆推广创意城市网络；
- 支持其他成员城市，为其提供进入当地的机会；
- 在塞内加尔和国际参与者之间架起一座桥梁。
Creative City of Media Arts
创意城市媒体艺术之都

ENGHIEN-LES-BAINS (FRANCE)
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United Nations
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DESCRIPTION

The city of Enghien-les-Bains was designated a UNESCO City of Media Arts in 2013. For the last 10 years, media arts have been the subject of a coordinated strategy in the fields of education, tourism, economy and the city's cultural, artistic and social development.

The Arts Centre, a space for digital creation subsidized by the French Ministry for Culture and Communication, is one of the main proponents of this policy in connection with the various services of the city. A place of creation, research, production and dissemination, it boasts a demanding annual programme and implements numerous mediation activities aimed at all types of audiences. Thanks to cutting edge artistic and technical expertise, the establishment is also a platform for exchanges and debates on the links between the arts, science and technology.

Media arts are a source of attraction for Enghien-les-Bains. They irrigate and revitalize urban spaces through ambitious video-mapping projects and the outreach of the international biennial Bains Numériques which, with its wide range of artistic proposals, an international competition and professional meetings, transforms the city into an open laboratory. Enghien-les-Bains is also involved in partnerships and actions through the RAN, Network of Media Arts, initiated by the Arts Centre in 2007 and which today has around 40 members across the world, as well as numerous collaborative projects with Canada, the Caribbean, Southeast Asia and Africa.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Enghien-les-Bains envisages:

- Bringing local actors together around a common strategy supporting digital creation;
- Encouraging a stronger participation of citizens in media arts projects; and
- Sharing its expertise with other member cities and fulfilling its role of Coordinator in the Media Arts city group. In this sense, the city is committed to:
  - Supporting the mobility of digital works and artists through a common co-production and co-diffusion platform between the Media Arts cities, based on a cross-residence project, collaborations between festivals and the sharing and transfer of expertise;
  - Creating a monitoring tool for the emergence of new artistic scripts and forms;
  - Strengthening the position of the Media Arts cities within the network by implementing a joint communication and promising synergies between Media Arts and other creative sectors (design, traditional arts etc.).

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作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，昂吉安莱班希望：

- 以支持数字创新的城市策略为核心，联合地方参与者；
- 鼓励市民更加积极地参与到媒体艺术项目中去；
- 与他成员城市分享其专业知识，更充分地发挥其在“创意城市媒体之都”子网络中的协调员作用。在这方面，昂吉安莱班希望：
  - 在各“媒体艺术之都”之间，通过一个用于共同创作和传播的平台，同时基于交叉驻留项目和节庆活动间的合作以及专业知识的分享和传播，以支持数字作品和艺术家的自由流动；
  - 为新的艺术表述和艺术形式的兴起创立监测工具；
  - 通过在媒体艺术与其他创意领域（设计、传统艺术等）之间创建相互交流和有效的协同作用，强化“媒体艺术之都”在创意城市网络中的地位。
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Gwangju is a laboratory of innovation in the field of media arts. In this creative field, various initiatives bring together artistic tradition, democratic values and human rights, science and technology, which are key components of the city's past and present. Thanks to its strong photonics industry and R&D district, the city has become a high-tech hotspot for science technology research. Its media-content industry, LED industry and design industry are also major forces in the development of Gwangju’s media arts industries.

Gwangju also serves as a cultural and artistic hub for the southwest of the Republic of Korea. Media arts in Gwangju connect the city’s contemporary art talents to cutting-edge technologies. Many cultural and artistic events are held in the city, such as the Gwangju Biennale, the Media Arts Festival and the Asia Culture Forum, all of which contribute to expanding new horizons in media arts.

Gwangju is engaging in numerous public projects that reflect the artistic value of media arts in people’s everyday lives. These initiatives provide professional development opportunities in the media arts sector and promote cooperation among artists, through residence programmes.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Gwangju envisages:

- sharing Gwangju’s cultural and artistic capacities as well as its accomplishments in the culture industry with the UCCN through establishing partnerships with other Cities of Media Arts; and

- providing a space for creative talents and becoming a hub for cultural and artistic exchanges in the “National Asia Culture Complex”.

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作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，光州希望：

- 通过与其他媒体艺术之都建立合作伙伴关系，与创意城市网络分享光州的文化和艺术及其在文化产业方面所取得的成就；

- 在“国立亚洲文化大厦”内为创意人才提供空间，并使其成为文化和艺术交流的中心。

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DESCRIPTION

Ever since the inception of Ars Electronica and the Cloud of Sound in 1979, Linz – Europe’s 2009 Capital of Culture – has been making impressive strides as a trailblazer and international hotbed of media arts and digital competence. The annual Ars Electronica Festival and Prix Ars Electronica showcase and honour excellence and deliver essential impetus to media culture worldwide; while the Ars Electronica Centre and Futurelab are driving forces for innovation both in research and development as well as in education throughout the region.

Today, the city is concentrating on transforming a former industrial site located in the heart of the inner city into a centre of the creative economy: the Linz’s Tabakfabrik campus, with Creative Region, Linz and Upper Austria’s creative industries development company, at its core. Another priority on the city’s agenda is to become Europe’s first Open Commons region. Furthermore, the City of Linz will acquire a substantial part of the oeuvre of renowned performance and media artist Valie Export and make it available in a brand-new research centre.

On the basis of recent urban development that has accentuated culture and the creative economy, Linz has the know-how and experience in high level cooperation to contribute to the Network.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Linz envisages:

- exploring synergistic benefits for the Network in conjunction with Ars Electronica’s worldwide activities and linkup to its wide-ranging global network;
- offering high quality education and training in media arts and media culture, including numerous collaborative possibilities for instructors and students;
- sharing best-practice projects related to open access of networks and content;
- fostering an active media culture scene featuring a wide array of production sites and creative hubs;
- developing attractive strategic possibilities to expand the Ars Electronica Residency Network by partnering with the UCCN; and
- sharing the city’s experience with archiving and scholarly work on media arts; and with the integration of the regional media culture scene and the creative economy, through pilot projects set up in Linz’s Tabakfabrik campus.

概述

林茨曾为“2009年欧洲文化之都”。自1979年Ars Electronica（艺术电子）和Cloud of Sound（音之云）活动启动以来，作为媒体艺术和数字技术领域开拓者和国际中心的林茨一直致力于发展中。每年一度电子艺术节及其奖项向大众展示并表彰该领域的杰出人物，为媒体文化在全球的发展提供了不可或缺的动力。与此同时，电子艺术中心（Ars Electronica Centre）以及未来实验室（Futurelab）为该地区在创新领域的研究、发展和教育提供了巨大推动力。

目前，林茨正致力于将位于内城中心位置的昔日工业区转型为创意经济中心。该中心以林茨的塔巴克法布里克（Tabakfabrik）校区以及林茨与上奥地利省创意产业发展公司为核心。林茨的另一工作重点是成为欧洲第一个“开放共享”（Open Commons）区域。此外，林茨还将获得著名表演和媒体艺术家维拉·恩科斯波特的大量作品，并且将其在一个全新的研究中心展示。

由于林茨在其近期的城市发展中重点突出文化和创意经济，因此其在高水准合作领域所拥有的丰富知识和经验能够为创意城市网络做出积极的贡献。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，林茨希望：

- 通过Ars Electronica（电子艺术）在全球举办的各种活动，以及与其遍布各地的全球网络之间的合作，探索有利于创意城市网络发展的协同效应；
- 提供高质量的媒体艺术与媒体文化方面的教育和培训，包括为教师与学生提供众多的合作可能性；
- 分享与网络和内容开放性相关的最佳实践项目；
- 培育有活力且以多样化的制作基地和创意中心为特色的媒体文化行业；
- 与创意城市网络合作，建立具有吸引力的战略可能性，以此扩展Ars Electronica（电子艺术）驻留项目网络；
- 分享林茨在媒体艺术存档和学术工作方面的经验，并且通过在林茨塔巴克法布里克（Tabakfabrik）校区内进行的试点项目，整合区域媒体文化与创意经济。
Creative City of Media Arts
创意城市媒体艺术之都

LYON (FRANCE)
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Many projects have emerged since Lyon was designated Creative City of Media Arts in 2008. The main objectives have focused on carrying out a reflection on a digital cultural policy across the city, accompanying the digital revolution in all artistic and cultural fields and allowing the development of media arts in the area.

The Municipal Library of Lyon's creation of the Digital Library of Lyon (NUMELYO) and the establishment of the digital platform Numeridanse by the Maison de la danse are among the main projects carried out. The city's museums also committed to the development of digital strategies, including interactive heritage point projects across the city. In the theatrical field, the "Théâtre Nouvelle génération" and the "Théâtre des ateliers" are opening up to digital creations, interacting with other arts forms.

For the media arts, the city supports various initiatives, from the "Festival Mirage" dedicated to media arts to the "Festival Nuits sonores", and the "Fête des lumières", the city's major event with more than 3 million visitors to each edition, which for the last few years has hosted the work of digital artists.

The city of Lyon and the Lyon Metropolis invest heavily in the development of the digital economy and creative industries, representing 7,000 companies and 42,000 jobs. The metropolis of Lyon, which is leading the project for its future prospects, foresees the emergence of 100 new start-ups a year within 3 years and the creation of 15 major companies in high-growth international markets within 10 years.

With the recent attainment of the label Frenchtech, the metropolis is planning to create a space dedicated to the digital world. The "Halle Girard", located in the Confluence District, will be restored and renovated in order to welcome the fresh shoots of the digital sector from the end of 2016 onwards.

**CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK**

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Lyon envisages:

- Cooperating with Media Arts festivals at the international level;
- Hosting artists from other cities in the network;
- Developing digital libraries; and
- Organizing meetings on the development of cultural policies with regard to the digital revolution.

**对网络的贡献**

作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，里昂希望：

- 与国际上的其他媒体艺术节合作；
- 接待来自创意城市网络其他城市的艺术家；
- 发展数字图书馆；
- 举办数字化革命方面的文化政策发展的会议。

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SAPPORO (JAPAN)
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DESCRIPTION

In Sapporo, media arts are not confined within the walls of art museums. Rather, they thrive throughout the city, expressing Sapporo’s cultural diversity. Thanks to digital media and their democratizing effect, the inaccessibility that has traditionally existed in cultural expressions such as music, publishing and broadcasting is being dismantled and the means of expression are becoming widely available to the general public.

The city is home to the Sapporo Concert Hall “Kitara”, reputed to be Japan’s best in terms of acoustics as well as the Sapporo Art Park, a vast artistic space including, among other facilities, the Sapporo Art Museum.

Sapporo’s increasingly active and growing citizen-generated media landscape is nurtured by the city’s cultural openness and pioneering spirit. Additionally, Sapporo fully exploits ICTs, digital content and contemporary social media. The creative sector related to social and mobile media is very well developed in the city. As the birthplace of Hatsune Miku, an internationally popular Vocaloid singing synthesizer software, Sapporo has a high concentration of leading creators of contemporary Japanese youth culture. In summary, Sapporo is an active production centre of media arts.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Sapporo envisages:

- engaging in global exchange with other cities and encouraging creative pursuits by fostering domestic enterprises and further developing the media arts. Media arts-based urban revitalization projects and industrial promotion initiatives applicable to other creative cities will be promoted;

- supporting other Creative Cities by sharing the success stories of Sapporo-based entrepreneurs who are active in industries that support consumer-generated media (CGM) and user-generated content (UGC), such as the founders of software companies, leaders of demand-led economic activities, and next-generation creators of media arts;

- further promoting citizen-generated media and content development that will lead to globally marketable CGM products; and

- applying media arts in various ways in order to attract more visitors to Sapporo and strengthen the city’s tourism industry.

概述

媒体艺术在札幌市并不局限于艺术博物馆之内。反之，它们在城市各处蓬勃发展，展示着札幌文化的多样性。得益于数字媒体及其大众化效应，音乐、出版物和广播等文化表达方式历来存在的不可及性正逐渐被消除，各种表达方式对于广大民众的可及程度也在日益上升。

札幌拥有被誉为日本音效最好的札幌音乐厅“Kitara”以及札幌艺术公园，后者提供了包括札幌艺术博物馆等其他设施在内的大面积艺术空间。

在文化开放性和开拓精神的滋养下，札幌市的“民众自媒体”(citizen-generated media)正在日益活跃并壮大起来。此外，札幌还充分发挥信息通信技术、数字化内容和当代社交媒体的优势，同时与社交和移动媒体相关的创意产业在该市也得到了良好的发展。作为国际流行的 VOCALOID 系列虚拟歌手合成软件“初音未来”(HatsuneMiku) 的诞生地，札幌市拥有大量当代日本青年文化的先锋创作者，并且因此也是一个充满活力的媒体艺术生产中心。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，札幌希望：

- 与其他城市开展国际交流，并且通过培育国内企业以及进一步发展媒体艺术，鼓励创意产业的发展，同时推广适用于其他创意城市的基于媒体艺术的城市复兴项目和产业发展计划；

- 通过分享活跃于消费者自媒体（CGM）和用户生成内容（UGC）领域的札幌企业家们的成功案例，如软件公司创始人、需求主导型经济的领军人物以及新生代媒体艺术创作者等，支持其他创意城市发展；

- 进一步推动民众自媒体和内容的发展，推动符合国际市场的消费者自媒体产品的发展；

- 多样化运用媒体艺术，以吸引更多的游客到访札幌，加强该市的旅游产业。
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DESCRIPTION

Founded in 1909 on sand dunes outside the ancient port of the city of Jaffa, Tel Aviv-Yafo is the business, financial and commercial hub of Israel’s economy and the heart of its booming high-tech industry. Tel Aviv-Yafo has a unique economy thanks to a large concentration of start-up companies in fields such as the media arts, making it one of the world’s leading “start-up cities”. Home to most of Israel’s artistic institutions, Tel Aviv is the country’s cultural centre.

A number of factors have contributed to turning Tel Aviv into a centre of creativity, among them the city’s open attitude as well as its physical layout, enjoyable surroundings and civic support mechanisms and policies. The city’s technology ecosystem generates many technology-focused events, with hundreds of “meetups”, conferences, “hackathons”, competitions and other media arts gatherings every year. These events provide platforms for exchanging ideas, networking and collaboration. In turn, the “start-up ecosystem” attracts ever more talent and creative energy, pulling in investors, companies and capital from Israel and abroad. Young, creative entrepreneurs, particularly from the field of digital innovation, students and artists are drawn to the city for the commercial, educational and cultural opportunities it offers as well as for the opportunity to be surrounded by fellow members of the creative sector.

Currently, the city is pursuing a strategy to position itself as a global centre of technology and innovation. The initiative involves collaborations between academic, research and development centres, leading technology companies, the young creative sector, cultural centres and artists along with the local and national governments.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, Tel Aviv envisages:

- learning from other cities’ experiences in channelling the resources generated by the technology and creative sectors to ensure that all segments of society benefit from the creation of a better, fairer and more sustainable future;

- sharing the city’s ideas and experiences in fostering entrepreneurship and creativity with other cities working to develop their own creative ecosystems; and

- offering the UCCN direct access to the city’s advances in technology with a view to applying them to civic, social and artistic objectives.

概述

特拉维夫-雅法始建于1909年，最初是雅法市古港口外的一片沙丘地带。该市不但是以色列经济中的商业、金融和贸易中心，同时也是其蓬勃发展的高科技产业的重地。由于汇聚了包括媒体艺术在内的众多领域的创业公司，特拉维夫-雅法形成了独具特色的发展模式。特拉维夫-雅法是世界上领先的“创业城市”之一，拥有以色列大部分艺术机构的特拉维夫也是全国的文化中心。

众多因素促使特拉维夫成为创意中心，其中包括该市对外开放的态度、优越的地理位置、怡人的环境，以及该市的配套机制和政策。特拉维夫-雅法良好的科技生态系统催生了众多以科技为主题的活动，如每年数百场的“聚会”（meetups）、会议、“编程马拉松”（hackathons）、科技竞赛及其他媒体艺术活动，为交流思想、网络建设和互相协作提供了良好平台。反之，“创业生态系统”吸引更多的人才和创意能量，促使国内外投资者、企业和资本涌入该市。有创意的年轻企业家（特别是数字创业领域的企业家）、学生和艺术家也因被吸引至这座城市；这座城市为他们提供了丰富的商业、教育和文化机遇，同时也为他们置身于创意产业同道者中创造了条件。

目前，特拉维夫-雅法正在推行将自身定位为全球技术和创新中心的战略。该战略汇集了包括学术科研和发展中心、高端科技企业和新兴创意产业、文化中心和艺术家，以及当地和中央政府在内的各方力量。

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，特拉维夫—雅法希望：

- 向其他城市学习引导科技和创意产业所生成资源的经验，使社会各阶层都能从创建更美好、更公平、更加可持续的未来中获益；

- 与正在发展创意生态系统的城市分享该市培养创业精神和创新意识的理念；

- 向创意城市网络提供和分享该市在科技领域的新进展，并将其运用到城市、社会和艺术领域的各种目标的实现。
YORK (UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND)

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DESCRIPTION

For two millennia, York has been a meeting point for ideas and creativity. Founded as a Roman fortress in 71 AD, York’s world-class heritage continues to be its cultural centrepiece, attracting over seven million visitors per year. Media arts are the engine of York’s continued development.

Over the past decade, York has championed investment in its cultural institutions, initiating several iconic activities such as the Illuminating York Festival and the revival of York Mystery Plays. Through these initiatives, the city of York has emphasized the value of culture in the city’s hospitality, education and marketing sectors.

In York, creative activity and economic prosperity reflect the city’s dedication to promoting social equality and fostering the flourishing of human talent. Indeed, York is dedicated to ensuring that everyone benefits from the UNESCO creative city of media arts designation, whoever, or wherever they are.

As a UNESCO City of Media Arts, the city of York is mobilizing creativity to strengthen the local economy, increase levels of public participation in culture, renew investment in the city’s human capital and academic institutions and contribute to the quality of life.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Media Arts, York envisages:

- constructing a Digital and Media Arts Centre, blending innovation, participation and industry;
- developing an international programme of cultural festivals showcasing media arts;
- organizing an annual awards ceremony recognizing and rewarding creative talents from around the world;
- developing research, ideas and artwork exchanges; and
- supporting artist residencies with Network partners.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市媒体艺术之都，约克希望：

- 构建数字和媒体艺术中心，将创新、参与和产业相融合；
- 制定一套以展示媒体艺术的文化节庆活动的国际性方案；
- 举办用以表彰和奖励世界各地创新人才的年度颁奖典礼；
- 开展有关研究、理念和艺术作品等各方面的交流；
- 与创意城市网络的合作伙伴一起支持艺术家驻留项目。
CREATIVE CITIES OF MUSIC
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创意城市音乐之都

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Adelaide stands out for many reasons, but none more so than its music culture. Being the capital of South Australia and 5th largest city of the country with 1.3 million inhabitants, music is at its core and an essential component of its cultural policies. Creativity and the role of live music is highlighted as a driver for a more vibrant and sustainable city, and as a lever to economic development.

Throughout the year, Adelaide holds many arts and music festivals with the ten most popular events bringing in more than 62.5 million Australian dollars to the region’s economy per year. In 2014, total employment from the live music sector in South Australia was estimated at 4,100 job opportunities, representing 6.3% of the national figure. 

Adelaide’s main music festivals focus on fostering cooperation and exchange at both national and international levels. Every year, WOMADelaide – member of the WOMAD Festivals Network – gathers over 86,000 people with 45% of the audience coming from outside the region. Adelaide Festival Centre (AFC) holds many international development programmes and festivals such as OzAsia Festival, and undertakes several partnerships and music initiatives across Asia as well as cutting-edge collaborations with cities from Japan, India, China and Indonesia.

Adelaide’s leadership holds creativity at the heart of its cultural policy. In 2014, a pioneering Music Development Office was established, envisioning a music ecology for the city and placing music at the core of the city’s identity and development. In this framework, the City Council has implemented a comprehensive Live Music Action Plan identifying creative culture as a strategic priority for the city.

**CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK**

As a Creative City of Music, Adelaide envisages:

- identifying live music venues and clusters, and recognizing future locations for live music investment and development as being set by Adelaide City Council ten-year plan Spatial Vision for the Future of the City;
- implementing strategies of the Music Development Office (MDO) for linking creative and artistic exploration, dissemination and creative industry development;
- partnering with the University of Adelaide to establish new professional pathways for musicians through research and development of music practice for health and wellbeing outcomes;
- supporting civil society initiatives – such as Musika – intended to build business opportunities for musicians, technologists and creative industries practitioners by bringing together individual skills to collaboratively develop new products and services; and
- fostering cultural exchanges and collaborations with the UNESCO Creative Cities of Music in order to build capacities and open pathways for artists and composers, notably by offering the opportunity to artists from the Network to perform at WOMADelaide festivals.

**对网络的贡献**

作为创意城市音乐之都，阿德莱德希望:

- 确定现场音乐的举办场所和聚集区，同时认可阿德莱德市议会十年计划——“未来城市空间视界”提出的今后投资和发展现场音乐的场所；
- 落实音乐发展办公室（MDO）的各项战略，在创意和艺术探索、传播与创意产业发展之间建立联系；
- 与阿德莱德大学开展合作，通过研究和发展音乐实践对健康与福祉的贡献，从而为音乐家开拓新的专业路径；
- 支持民间社会倡议（Musika），由此汇集个人技能以协作开发新产品和服务，从而为音乐家、技术人员和创意产业从业人员创造商业机会；
- 促进与其他联合国教科文组织“创意城市音乐之都”的文化交流与协作，以便开展能力建设，并为艺术家和作曲家开拓途径，其中主要的方式是为该网络的艺术家提供在阿德莱德世界音乐节上演出的机会。
BOGOTA (COLOMBIA)
波哥大 ( 哥伦比亚 )
**DESCRIPTION**

Bogota is a Creative City renowned for its rich music scene. In recent decades, the city has undergone several urban, economic, social and cultural transformations that have been supported by public policies including culture as a main pillar. Music has been a notable part of this process, as illustrated by the “Festivales Al Parque” programme launched in 1995, which offers free, open-air concerts by local rock, jazz, salsa, hip hop and opera artists. Welcoming more than 600,000 participants every year, these festivals contribute to the appropriation of public spaces by Bogota’s citizens and reinforce its identity and cultural diversity.

In addition to hosting the “Festivales Al Parque”, Bogota is also home to 60 other annual music festivals as well as 500 live music venues. Thanks to this vibrant music scene, Bogota has become an important regional musical centre where the sounds of salsa, fusion, rock, opera, classic, chamber, electronic, pop, tropical, ranchera, hip hop, experimental, bolero, gospel and Colombia’s own rich musical traditions can be heard.

Bogota’s cultural industries as a whole have improved with the participation of the private sector and the city’s Chamber of Commerce. Other creative fields such as books, the arts, the performing arts and the audiovisual arts have become more developed. The Bogota Music Market, created in 2012, has also become a notable platform for local and regional music agents. Additionally, the Chamber of Commerce is developing a Music Cluster in order to strengthen the city’s dynamic music sector.

Bogota’s local government has a clear social focus and strives to ensure citizen’s rights and well-being. Notably, over the past two years the municipality has developed a project to include music and the arts as part of its basic public education programmes, providing music education to 23,000 children and young people in the city’s public schools.

**CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK**

As a Creative City of Music, Bogota envisages:

- sharing experiences on the positive impact of music in education, public policy and community participation in order to face social, ethnic and economic inequalities;
- designing and implementing joint research projects on the economic and social impacts of music, and its contribution to the city’s human development;
- hosting major cultural events and international conferences such as the International Society of the Performing Arts (2014), the United Cities and Local Governments Summit (2016) and the Market of Cultural Industries from the South, MICSUR (2016), which will include the member cities of the UCCN as special guests;
- promoting the mobility of artists, students and researchers in Latin America and the Caribbean, thanks to the city’s position as a geographical and cultural hub in the Americas; and
- promoting contact between music sector agents among the member cities of the UCCN through exchanges, residency programmes and virtual platforms.

**对网络的贡献**

作为创意城市音乐之都，波哥大希望:

- 分享有关音乐在教育、公共政策和社区参与中所产生的积极影响的经验，以应对社会、种族和经济方面的不平等性；
- 策划和实施关于音乐的经济和社会影响力及其对城市人群发展贡献的联合研究项目；
- 举办大型文化活动和国际会议，如国际表演艺术协会大会（2014）、世界城市和地方政府联盟（2016）、南部文化产业市场大会（MICSUR，2016），这些会议将邀请创意城市网络成员作为特别嘉宾出席；
- 利用波哥大作为美洲地理和文化中心的优势，促进拉丁美洲以及加勒比海地区艺术家、学生和研究人员的流动；
- 通过交流、驻留项目和虚拟平台，在联合国教科文组织创意城市网络成员之间促进音乐从业者的联系。
BOLOGNA (ITALY)
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DESCRIPTION

Located in the heart of Italy between Florence and Venice, Bologna is home to one million inhabitants in the greater metropolitan area. The capital of the Emilia Romagna region, Bologna is a city full of history. Its well-preserved medieval city centre is among the largest of its kind in Europe. Forty-two kilometers of porticoes, the red brick of its buildings and the medieval towers, give Bologna its unique character. The oldest university of the Western world, founded in 1088, is located in Bologna. Now hosting more than 84,000 students, the University of Bologna was the first university in Italy to establish a degree in art, music and performing arts, and currently offers courses in art, cinema, music and theatre.

Bologna boasts a vibrant cultural life and an emerging creative economy. Local institutions and a multitude of cultural associations support its diverse cultural scene. Rooted in the city’s glorious past, music is particularly relevant in Bologna today given the presence of leading institutions such as the opera house Teatro Comunale, the International Music Library and Museum, the Conservatory dedicated to Father Martini, the Music and Performing Arts Department of the University of Bologna, and the Philharmonic Academy.

Bologna stands out for its widespread promotion of the music sector, which is celebrated in a series of renowned International Festivals. Additionally, the remarkable classical music seasons, the contemporary music and jazz music program and children-targeted initiatives as well as the songwriters, rock-bands and other musicians who flock to the city, all contribute to making Bologna a truly unique centre for music.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Bologna envisages:

- enhancing cultural and creative industries as one of the strategic axes for Bologna’s local development plan;
- developing specific actions within the UCCN to support music and artistic projects, especially on an international level;
- promoting cultural exchanges and training programs as well as residency projects among Cities of Music; and
- facilitating and reinforcing activities for the co-production of festivals with other Creative Cities.
BRAZZAVILLE (REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO)
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DESCRIPTION

The capital of the Congo, Brazzaville, is a great cultural crossroads where artistic activity and intellectual activity thrive. Brazzaville witnessed the beginning of Congolese rumba, a musical rhythm and theme initiated by Paul Kamba of the Bantous de la capitale Orchestra.

Brazzaville is an artistic hub, a historical city with a large number of cultural assets, in particular a heritage linked to diversity, music and the arts. Music is fully integrated in the urbanity of Brazzaville where almost all streets have spaces for the sharing of music.

For many years, Africa danced to the Congolese rhythm. And even to this day, Brazzaville, which houses the African Music Council (CAM), the regional branch of the International Council of Music, continues to hear its music everywhere in the world and especially on the African continent.

Every two years, Africa gathers in Brazzaville. For a few days, the city becomes the African capital of music thanks to the world-renowned Pan-African Music Festival (FESPAM). Beside this great polymorphic festival, the city boasts other major events such as the FEUX DE BRAZZA Festival, which aims to make Brazzaville the stronghold of traditional and modern-traditional music.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Brazzaville envisages:

● Continuing to support several candidate cities to the UNESCO Creative Cities Network;

● Creating an artistic residence to support the creative work of visually impaired musicians at local level;

● Continuing to support numerous events and music festivals, such as the popular and international festival of traditional music Feux de Brazza; and

● Developing, through the city’s departmental and municipal Council, an ambitious action plan built around the construction of infrastructure in partnership with the government (Brazzaville Culture Office), the production and promotion of musicians, the construction of a musical library in partnership with the African Music Council, the creation of residences for local and international artists, and the organization of Brazzaville’s artist tours.

概述

刚果共和国首都布拉柴维尔是著名的文化交会地，艺术活动精彩纷呈，文艺创作层出不穷，尤为引人注目的是，布拉柴维尔也是刚果伦巴的诞生地。“首都的班图人”乐团的保尔·冈巴是这种舞蹈节奏与乐曲旋律的创始人。

布拉柴维尔是历史悠久的艺术之都，拥有丰富的文化资源，这在文化遗产多样性、音乐和艺术方面尤为突出。音乐弥漫在城市的每个角落，街头巷尾随处都能听见悠扬的乐声。

长久以来，整个非洲一直和着刚果的节奏起舞。如今，作为国际音乐委员会区域分支机构的非洲音乐委员会的总部就设在布拉柴维尔，这座城市继续向全世界，特别是非洲大陆，传播属于它的独特旋律。每隔两年，整个非洲都聚焦于布拉柴维尔——泛非音乐节（FESPAM）的举办让这座城市在活动期间成为非洲音乐之都，享誉全球。除了这场让人目不暇接的音乐盛宴之外，该市还举办“布拉柴之焰”等其它艺术节，所有这些都奠定了布拉柴维尔在传统音乐及其与现代音乐融合领域的重要地位。

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作为创意城市音乐之都，布拉柴维尔希望：

● 继续向申请加入联合国教科文组织创意城市网络的数座候选城市提供支持；

● 在布拉柴维尔当地成立“艺术家之家”，以支持视障音乐家进行艺术创作；

● 继续向众多音乐活动和节日提供支持，如广受欢迎的国际传统音乐节——“布拉柴之焰”艺术节；

● 通过省政府和市政府议会，并且与中央政府合作，发展落实有关建造相关文化基础设施——布拉柴维尔文化中心的行动计划：培养并推广更多音乐家；与非洲音乐委员会合作，建造一座音乐图书馆；建立当地和国际艺术家驻留场所，并组织布拉柴维尔市艺术家巡演。
GHENT (BELGIUM)
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DESCRIPTION

Ghent, a city full of culture, arts and events, offers a unique combination of a celebrated past and a lively present.

With its university and several institutes for higher education, Ghent is an educational hub where approximately 12% of the city’s students are following culture oriented training. Ghent is also a regional economic hub in which the cultural and creative sector accounts for 4% of total employment.

Ghent is internationally known for its dynamic music scene and its many music festivals including the Festival of the Flanders, offering a range of concerts from classical to world music; the Ghent International Film Festival focusing on the impact of music on film; the open-air festival Gent Jazz, which is top in its genre; and Glimps, an international showcase festival for pop and rock music.

The use of historical venues as unique locations for concerts is another asset of Ghent’s vibrant music life. Among the most notable sites are the Ghent Opera House dating back to the 19th century, the Bijloke Concert Hall which is located in a medieval hospital ward, and the HA Concert Hall, situated in a former stock exchange.

A broad range of initiatives in music education characterizes the city’s daily life. In addition to music classes on drums or classical guitar, the municipal intercultural centre De Centrale also offers lessons in lesser known instruments such as Qanoen, Saz and Oed. The Ghent-based International Opera Academy and the Orpheus Institute both offer unique post-graduate training programmes in their respective disciplines.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Ghent envisages:

- actively participating in the activities of the UCCN and in the music sub-network;
- looking for realistic ways of building lasting cooperation between the member cities of the music sub-network and of the broader Network;
- enforcing the 2014 – 2019 Action Plan - Ghent Music City;
- strengthening the existing music scene;
- developing concrete actions and events with local actors, such as enhancing the existing Day of the Music Education; and
- providing actors in the local music sector with opportunities to gain greater international experience and exposure.

概述

作为一座充满文化、艺术和丰富活动的城市，根特将其辉煌的过去与活跃的现在独特地结合了起来。

根特是一座教育中心，拥有一所大学和多所高等教育学院，约12%的学生接受以文化为导向的培训课程。根特同时也是区域经济中心，其中文化和创意部门从业人员占就业总人数的4%。

根特因其活跃的音乐领域及其众多的音乐节而扬名国际。其中，弗兰德斯节期间举办一系列涵盖从古典乐到世界音乐的不同类别音乐会；根特国际电影节主要关注音乐对电影的影响；根特露天爵士乐节在同类活动中首屈一指；Glimps 音节节则是针对流行和摇滚音乐的国际盛会。

使用历史性场所举办音乐会则是根特活跃的音乐领域的另一特色，其中最著名的场所有始建于19世纪的根特歌剧院，位于中世纪医院病房建筑内的比约克（Bijloke）音乐厅，以及坐落于前证券交易所内的 HA 音乐厅。

门类繁多的音乐教育项目是这座城市日常生活中的特色之一。除了鼓类和古典吉他音乐课程之外，根特的跨文化中心 De Centrale 还提供一些小众的乐器课程，如卡努琴（Qanoen）、萨兹琴（Saz）和乌德琴（Oed）等。坐落于根特的国际歌剧学院和俄耳甫斯学院在其各自学科领域提供研究生项目。

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作为创意城市音乐之都，根特希望：

- 积极参与联合国教科文组织创意城市网络及其音乐之都子网络的活动；
- 摸索切实可行的方式，在整个城市网络及其音乐之都成员城市之间建立长期合作；
- 实施2014-2019年“根特音乐之都行动计划”；
- 增强城市现有音乐景象；
- 与当地人员共同推行实际性举措和活动，如强化现有的音乐教育日活动；
- 为当地音乐领域人员获取国际经验和宣传提供机会。
GLASGOW (UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND)
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Widely recognized as a major international musical centre, Glasgow is the musical capital of Scotland, and is the largest music economy in the UK after London. Historically, music has played a key role in Glasgow. Music continues to be a vibrant part of city life and is reflected in the excellence of its musicians and practitioners, the enthusiasm of its music audiences as well as in its public policies addressing music both as an art form as well as a tool of education and social integration.

Glasgow’s music businesses generate proportionately more output than anywhere else in Scotland. Numerous music events take place in the city every week. Five of the six biggest Scottish employers in the music industry are based in Glasgow, as is over half of the country’s music workforce. Glasgow can boast world-class artists and venues across genres, from rock and pop, to classical and electronica and is also home to the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland. Glasgow also has the country’s highest density of higher education institutes offering music courses, as well as the largest population of music students.

A city with vast social, economic and ethnic diversity, Glasgow is divided by extremes of wealth and poverty. However, the city addresses these challenges with imagination and creativity. In 1990, as Europe’s Capital of Culture, Glasgow caught the world’s attention and showed how powerful the arts can be for social and economic development. In 2014, Glasgow reached another historic landmark in its presentation of the 2014 Commonwealth Games and its accompanying cultural programme.

As a Creative City of Music, Glasgow envisages:

- increasing participation in music for everyone in the city, with special importance being given to women and youth. Moreover, the Big Big Sing project promotes singing as an art form but also as an activity promoting health and wellbeing and as a tool for overcoming the challenges of social exclusion;

- championing partnerships, targeting families and young people, with companies that produce music. Through its Music Fun Days and new Big Music for Minis initiatives, Glasgow invites companies to showcase their work and expand their audiences;

- participating annually in artistic exchanges with other cities in the UCCN enabling professionals from Glasgow to meet international colleagues, perform and extend their experience and practice; and

- strengthening its music industry by celebrating Glasgow’s heritage and tourism infrastructure. In 2015 Glasgow will publish Dear Green Sounds, a history of music and venues in the city linked to tourism activities such as walking tours and package deals.
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创意城市音乐之都

Hammamatsu (Japan)
滨松（日本）
Hamamatsu is a city known for its vibrant music sector. Renowned musical instrument companies such as Yamaha, Kawai, and Roland were founded in Hamamatsu. Brilliant musicians perform every year at the Hamamatsu International Piano Competition and the Shizuoka International Opera Competition, both of which are affiliated with the World Federation of International Music Competitions. Music festivals and traditional performing arts events are also organized throughout the year.

Hamamatsu is also home to the Hamamatsu Museum of Musical Instruments, a unique institution offering a view on humanity and culture through an exceptional collection of musical instruments from around the world. Hamamatsu’s workshops, concerts and record productions, in addition to the city’s research on domestic and international music culture and instruments have also received critical acclaim.

Training courses for professional musicians and artists as well as activities preserving and promoting traditional performing arts are offered throughout the city. The Hamamatsu Academy of Music, for example implements wide-ranging music-related projects, raises public interest in music and supports future performers, instructors and concert hosts; and the Shizuoka University of Art and Culture offers courses in music management, which includes instruction on planning and producing concerts as well as in concert hall management.

COntribution to the Network
As a Creative City of Music, Hamamatsu envisages:

- promoting international exchange such as international music events;
- fostering cross-cultural understanding and cultural diversity through music in collaboration with the Hamamatsu Museum of Musical Instruments;
- supporting musical talents through international cultural exchange with other Cities of Music;
- offering musicians and performers opportunities to train and demonstrate their skills; and
- setting up projects involving Hamamatsu’s sound design sector with Cities of Design or Media Arts in order to establish connections between the creative industries.

对网络的贡献
作为创意城市音乐之都，滨松希望：

- 推动包括国际音乐活动在内的各种国际交流；
- 通过与滨松乐器博物馆的合作，孕育不同文化间的相互理解和文化多样性；
- 通过与其他音乐之都的国际文化交流来支持音乐人才的成长；
- 为音乐家和表演家提供培训和展示技能的机会；
- 在滨松音效设计行业与其他设计之都或媒体艺术之都间建立合作，以使在创意产业之间建立联系。
Creative City of Music

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DESCRIPTION

The city where vinyl was invented, Hannover is also the city where the first music cassette was produced and where the first CD was pressed. The art of music and the music industry have always had prominent roles in Hannover. The city continues to be shaped by a broad diversity of musical genres including pop, rock, jazz, classical and contemporary. Hannover is marked by a high employment rate in the music industry and is recognized for its excellent infrastructure for musical training.

Hannover promotes networking among its local cluster economies in order to encourage building synergies and collaborative initiatives. The city will incorporate the music industry into this process and will support collaborations offering opportunities for both economic and artistic development. To that effect, the city aims to involve production technology companies and institutions as well as actors in the acoustic technologies, an area in which Hannover excels both in terms of manufacturing and research.

In the future, Hannover wants to expand its diverse music scene with new formats, opening up interfaces for other cities in the UCCN to participate in creative development.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Hannover envisages:

- organizing consultations, gatherings and virtual conventions;
- promoting the city’s good practices as well as initiating cooperation programs, especially North-South and South-South initiatives;
- taking on the role of host in the future, which Hannover is keen to do as an internationally renowned exhibition and congress city; and
- initiating an internet platform that will allow members of the UCCN to publish research results, provide information about events and maintain contact with the other Creative Cities.

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IDANHA-A-NOVA (PORTUGAL)
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Boom Festival / Boom 音乐节：
https://www.boomfestival.org
Located in Portugal’s Centro Region, Idanha-a-Nova lives by the rhythm of music, with the Municipality’s logo representing two Adufe tambourines. This percussion instrument being a genuine symbol of the local identity, its presence is reflected throughout the city with the annual magazine dedicated to the city’s traditions and music history being entitled after the name of the instrument. With an array of cultural events taking place, this publication has become a popular promotional guide for tourists and locals wanting to learn about the city’s heritage and festivals.

Over the last twenty years, The Boom Festival has undoubtedly become the most popular local music event and animates the city during for one week during the summer period, turning Idanha-a-Nova into a concert area covering 140 hectares. This event gathers more than 40,000 festival-goers coming from 150 countries worldwide to attend a wide range of 800 artists’ performances.

In Idanha-a-Nova, the importance of social cohesion through music is the key focus of the 130-year-old Idanhense Brass Band; a research and training centre which fosters intercultural dialogue and gives people of all ages the opportunity to participate and experience traditional and contemporary music. Other private and civil society organisations are also supporting music-centric projects as well as trying to advance music in public policy by collaborating with the city’s administration in bottom-up initiatives.

The Municipality of Idanha-a-Nova fully integrates creativity as an essential component of the city’s strategies and plans. As for the music sector, the city’s vision not only focuses on increasing audiences but also on providing enough training spaces for musicians and entrepreneurs to thrive. To this end, the Municipality established in 2013 the Idanha Incubator of Creative Industries dedicated to training and business development assistance, focusing predominantly on cultural production, green economy and sustainable development.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Idanha-a-Nova envisages:

- mapping and merging the city’s educational programmes dedicated to music in order to foster an inclusive and sustainable educational offering through an integrated learning experience, from elementary school to university, for all ages and genders;
- implementing the Social Inclusion Project aimed at nurturing social cohesion as well as intercultural and intergenerational dialogue through music, by particularly involving senior women, young people and Romani people;
- encouraging cross-cutting and public-private cooperation through research centres, universities, enterprises, specialized in different fields of the creative sector, to share knowledge and to launch innovative joint projects using creativity as a driver for sustainable urban development; and
- strengthening international cooperation through the Portuguese Musical Fusion programme aimed at sharing musical know-how and enhancing the mobility of artists, as well as through the exchange of best practices with other Creative Cities of Music.
KATOWICE (POLAND)
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Katowice is the capital of the Upper Silesian Region in Southwest Poland. Deeply marked by the industrial age, Katowice has been investing in culture and creativity to revitalize and regenerate, summarizing its vision by the motto “from heavy industry to creative industries”. This city of 310,000 inhabitants contributes 45 million euros each year in the form of grants to foster the creative economy, predominately focusing on the renovation of cultural spaces and mainly dedicated to the music sector, which today truly fuels the socio-economic development of the city.

Often considered underground and subversive, with a long tradition of amateur choirs and orchestras, music in Katowice testifies of a rich diversity of genres, from classical to rock, jazz, baroque, electronic and rap. Among the 27 music festivals that liven up the city’s cultural life, the three major and world-renowned events – OFF, Tauron and Rawa – annually add around 2.7 million euros to the city’s local economy. Katowice is also recognized across the country as a centre of a comprehensive music education. The city is notably home to the Karol Szymanowski Academy, which founded the first Department of Jazz music in Poland.

The Municipality is committed to further nurture cultural and creative industries as levers for the city’s urban renewal and sustainability, especially through its five-year Cultural Zone programme, which is the largest investment in cultural infrastructures in Poland to date. The main achievement of this programme is the establishment of the headquarters of the Polish National Radio Symphony Orchestra (NOSPR) and the Silesian Museum on ancient mine sites. Katowice proves that investing in creativity can transform a once-industrial district into a vibrant creative city.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Katowice envisages:

- establishing the MusicHUB, an incubator of local and emerging talents and creative entrepreneurs, aiming to strengthen the capacities and increase job opportunities in the music industry, especially targeting youth, women, and people from disadvantaged groups;
- launching the Baroque Factory, supported by public-private partnerships, aimed to develop wider audiences;
- supporting interdisciplinary research of the SoundLab Innovation Center, designed to improve and sustain the quality of urban life by tackling practical public issues;
- setting up the PopMusic Development Lab; an international educational platform based on a network of residencies and students;
- enhancing cooperation between Creative Cities of Music and Literature through the Col-LAB-orate project, offering a series of workshops on spoken word and slam poetry to young people from vulnerable groups; and
- involving other Creative Cities of Music to the forthcoming World Music Expo aimed to showcase talented musicians of the Network, exchange experiences and best practices, as well as to further extend the UCCN especially to the global South.

卡托维兹是地处波兰西南部的上西里西亚地区的首府。带着工业时代深深烙印的卡托维兹坚持通过文化和创意投资来实现城市振兴和重生，其座右铭“从重工业转向创意产业”概括了这一愿景。这座城市共有居民31万人，每年的创意经济发展投资达到4500万欧元，以文化空间改造为侧重点，并主要针对如今已成为推动城市社会经济发展动力的音乐产业。

卡托维兹的音乐通常被认为是非正统且具有颠覆性，其业余合唱团和管弦乐团拥有悠久的历史，并且涵盖了从古典到摇滚、爵士、巴洛克、电子和说唱等各种流派。该市举办的27个音乐节活跃了这座城市的文化生活，其中，OFF、Tauron和Rawa这三个主要音乐节全球知名，每年能为该市经济带来270万欧元的收入。卡托维兹还是该国公认的综合音乐教育的中心。著名的席曼诺夫斯基音乐学院便坐落于这个城市，在历史上创立了波兰第一个爵士音乐系。

市政当局致力于进一步培育文化创意产业，并将其作为推进城市更新和可持续发展的杠杆。该市的五年期“文化区”计划是波兰迄今规模最大的文化基础设施投资项目。这一计划的主要成就包括波兰国家广播交响乐团（NOSPR）总部的建立，以及建立于古矿址之上的西里西亚博物馆。卡托维兹用事实证明，投资创意产业能将曾经的工业区改造成为活力四射的创意城市。

作为创意城市音乐之都，卡托维兹希望：

- 为当地初露锋芒的人才及创意企业家创建孵化所——音乐枢纽，从而提高音乐产业的能力，增加就业机会，尤其是针对青年、妇女和弱势群体；
- 借助公私合作伙伴关系打造——巴洛克工厂，以拓展观众群；
- 为旨在通过解决实际公共问题而改善和维持城市生活的“声音实验室创新中心”提供支持；
- 建立以驻留和学生网络为基础的国际教育平台——流行音乐发展实验室；
- 通过“Col-LAB-orate”项目加强“创意城市音乐之都和文学之都”之间的合作，为来自弱势群体的青年提供一系列有关口语和大众诗歌赛的讲习班；
- 邀请其他“创意城市音乐之都”参加即将举行的“世界音乐博览会”，该博览会旨在展示网络中才华横溢的音乐家，相互交流经验和最佳实践，并进一步推动联合国教科文组织“创意城市网络”的拓展，尤其是在南半球。
Creative City of Music
创意城市音乐之都

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Music is deeply etched into the historic foundations of Jamaica with its capital, Kingston, home to 660,000 inhabitants, leading the way with urban development. Legendary musicians, world famous recording studios and production houses have made Kingston an internationally renowned centre for music-making. The hometown of Bob Marley and Dennis Brown has been the breeding ground of six musical genres: reggae, mento, ska, rocksteady and dancehall. Today, the music sector remains the driver of the local economy with a global value of over US$ 130 million and by employing around 43,000 people.

Kingston considers music as a lever for social inclusion and social change, and so its main festivals, such as the African Liberation Concert and the Reggae Month, are held in public spaces and free of cost. Many of the music-related events are resulting from joint cooperation between the public and the private sectors, joining forces to offer ever-wider participation to cultural life. The city puts particular emphasis on building capacities and creating opportunities to tackle youth unemployment, especially in the disadvantaged inner city where most of Kingston’s music has found its origins.

The Municipality of Kingston views creativity as an essential component in the city’s strategies and reflects this in the Vision 2030 national development plan. Alongside the integration of creativity, great attention is paid to ensuring the protection of creators’ status and rights. In 2015, the city made significant amendments to the “Copyright Act”, by adding a clause on the protection of digital works. In addition, Kingston hosts several copyright-related symposia including the Intellectual Property Rights Week gathering a large number of music industry professionals.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Kingston envisages:

- using music as a driver for sustainable and inclusive urban development by focusing on the revitalisation of the inner city to harness the full creative potential of people from vulnerable and disadvantaged groups;
- building public-private partnerships in the field of music to increase the number of creative clusters and development programmes;
- establishing the Live Music Museum; a creative incubator focusing on building capacities and offering vocational courses to youths;
- broadening access to, and participation in, cultural life by bringing music to outdoor venues;
- promoting intercultural dialogue through exchange programmes through the Edna Manley Music School, as well as the Simon Bolivar Cultural Centre, aimed to develop initiatives showcasing the ties between cities in the Caribbean; and
- fostering exchanges of know-how, best practices and expertise with other Creative Cities of Music.

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Kinshasa, capital of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), bears witness to a rich music history. With 10 million inhabitants, it is a city of great cultural diversity and considered as the cradle of Congolese rumba; a popular genre of dance music shaped by many international influences. Music is to Kinshasa a shared social practice and a key enabler of intercultural dialogue and social cohesion. In addition, the city is home to multiple recording studios including the Olympia, Ngoma and Loningisa where pioneer musicians and bands such as African Jazz and Ok Jazz made their debuts as part of Congolese rumba’s second wave movement.

A range of festivals highlighting the vitality of the music sector, such as the International Stars Festival, the Jazz Kif Festival and the Pan African Music Festival, are organised each year in cooperation with Brazzaville Creative City of Music. Kinshasa is also home to the National Institution of Arts (INA), being the only Central African city to host an internationally renowned institution of higher arts education, providing training to performance artists and musicians. Since opening, the INA has notably implemented several successful exchange programmes with other African and European cities.

With music being the foundation of local and national civic identity, the city is devoted to strengthen capacities of various stakeholders in the music industry and to increase direct and indirect job opportunities in the sector. By focusing on integrating culture into all levels of development programmes and by supporting the emergence of cultural and creative industries, the city continues to develop and grow its creative sector. Kinshasa is also committed to reinforcing the protection and wide access to cultural goods and services to move along a sustainable urban development path.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Kinshasa envisages:

- conducting an evaluative and future-oriented study on the local music industry, at various levels of the value chain, to better focus the city’s strategies and development plans;
- implementing the Strategic Direction and Planning of Kinshasa aimed at establishing a creative hub dedicated to music, as well as recreational areas;
- positioning the city as a national and international reference in the music sector;
- strengthening capacities and offering more job opportunities, especially for young people and women; and
- organizing joint music events with other Creative Cities to foster exchange of knowledge and the mobility of artists.

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作为创意城市音乐之都，金沙萨希望：

- 在价值链上的所有环节对当地音乐产业展开评估性研究，更好地确定城市战略和发展计划的重点；
- 实施“金沙萨战略方向与规划”，打造一个以音乐为主的创意中心和休闲区域；
- 将这座城市定位为音乐领域的国家和国际级标杆城市；
- 加强能力，提供更多就业机会，尤其是针对青年人和妇女；
- 与其他“创意城市”合作举办音乐活动，促进知识和艺术家的交流。
LIVERPOOL (UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND)
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DESCRIPTION

Situated in the North-West of England, Liverpool recognizes creativity as a means of sustaining its post-industrial renewal. Home to 470,000 inhabitants and one of the most influential rock bands in history, music is at the heart of Liverpool’s cultural identity and is an important driver of its local economy by generating more than £70 million in annual turnover.

As well as an important support to the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra, which attracts over 260,000 visitors annually. The city also undertakes several cross-cutting initiatives with universities and rehabilitation centres by supporting talent and creative development for young artists from vulnerable groups in particular. Liverpool is committed to supporting music in all genres, as well as to invest in the role of music as a lever to enhance civic participation and social cohesion.

Liverpool’s vitality in the music field is shown by the sheer breadth of a diverse scope of festivals. To name but a few: Liverpool International Music Festival, Liverpool Sound City, Africa Oye and Liverpool International Festival of Psychedelia are all flagship events. The public spaces and parks of the city are also licensed as outdoor venues and have been the settings for many large scale concerts such as the Olympic Torch Relay Concerts and the Music on the Waterfront bringing an average of 20,000 festivalgoers.

Culture and creativity have been core components to the city’s urban regeneration strategies since the 1980s. In recent years, the city has renewed its commitment through the “Liverpool Culture Action Plan 2014 – 2018”. In two years of implementation, the city has invested more than £1.3 million into 15 different music organisations as well as delivering music events to support the emergence of local artists. This continued financial support, targeting early stage creative businesses in particular, highlights Liverpool’s pledge for sustainable urban renewal and development through creativity.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Liverpool envisages:

- delivering a joined-up music offering to increase participation and performance opportunities to foster social cohesion through music;
- nurture the city’s position as a conducive place to enjoy, perform and study music as well as conduct a large number of music businesses;
- implementing a music education and skills strategy for children and young people aimed to foster cultural participation and creative entrepreneurship with the city continuing to support world-class musicians, producers and sector professionals;
- enhancing the mobility of artists by involving musicians from the UCCN to the city’s events including the Liverpool International Music Festival; and
- undertaking inter-cities initiatives and research with other Creative Cities of Music to harness the full potential of the designation.

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作为创意城市音乐之都，利物浦希望：

- 提供集服务，增加参与和表演机会，通过音乐提升社会凝聚力；
- 将城市打造成为便于人们享受、演奏和研究音乐的场所，发展音乐经济；
- 实施儿童和青年人的音乐教育和技能培训战略，促进文化参与和创意创业；继续为世界级的音乐家、制作人和专业人士提供支持；
- 邀请联合国教科文组织“创意城市网络”的音乐家参加利物浦国际音乐节等活动，促进艺术家的流动性；
- 与其他“创意城市音乐之都”共同实施城际项目，开展研究，充分挖掘“创意城市音乐之都”称号的全部潜力。

自上世纪 80 年代以来，文化和创意已成为这座城市更新战略的核心。近年来，该市还通过《20142018 年利物浦文化行动计划》重申自己的承诺。在计划已实施的两年内，该市已向 15 个不同的音乐团体注入资金 130 多万英镑，同时开展音乐活动以支持本地艺术家。这种特别面向初始阶段创意公司的持续资金支持，彰显了利物浦对通过创意实现可持续城市发展和复兴的承诺。

自我市将城市打造成易于人们享受、演奏和研究音乐的场所，发展音乐经济；

- 实施儿童和青年人的音乐教育和技能培训战略，促进文化参与和创意创业；继续为世界级的音乐家、制作人和专业人士提供支持；
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DESCRIPTION

A major regional centre with a rich cultural offerings, Mannheim is recognized for its institutionally established cultural sector (museums, theatres, festivals, cinemas) and its lively independent creative scene. Mannheim’s Cultural Office supports many projects and serves as consultant, moderator, supporter, cooperation partner and promoter of cultural and artistic initiatives from the visual and performing arts, to film, photography, literature, music and pop culture.

Mannheim’s multitude of intercultural activities plays a constructive role in shaping the strategic objectives of the city, based on being “open for urbanity, open for others, open for creativity, and open for commitment”.

Music is deeply etched into Mannheim’s history. A long-standing leader and innovator, Mannheim has an extraordinary infrastructure for music. The “Mannheim Music Model” – Mannheim’s support network – has received particular attention. Mannheim sees music as a driver for artistic, economic, educational and urban policy development. Notably, a comprehensive strategy for the music industry has been in place since 1999. Mannheim now wants to share this expertise with all members of the UCCN.

Its four pillars - the Popakademie Baden-Wuerttemberg (professional education), Musikpark Mannheim (business incubator), City Commissioners for Music and Pop Culture (youth, young talent and cultural development) and Clustermanagement Musikwirtschaft (music business development) - collaborate closely and share relevant interfaces in order to create synergies, maximize resources and promote the professionalization of the music sector.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Mannheim envisages:

- Introducing other UNESCO cities of music to the “Mannheim music model” through a new project called “delegation tour”;
- Actively participating in the UCCN’s annual meetings while designing innovative and effective working methods and strategies both for the seven creative fields and the global network;
- Initiating a music-literature symposium “twin cities project” with Edinburgh and Glasgow;
- Organizing an international symposium for young culture managers;
- Continuing to support candidate cities to the UCCN in the field of music; and
- Increasing the international scope of Mannheim’s music festivals.

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作为创意城市音乐之都，曼海姆希望：

- 通过名为“代表团之旅”的新计划向其他音乐之都推荐“曼海姆音乐模式”项目；
- 积极参与创意城市网络年会，同时为网络的七个创意领域及其全球网络设计创新且有效的工作模式和策略；
- 与爱丁堡和格拉斯哥共同发起名为“双城计划”的音乐与文学研讨会；
- 举办针对青年文化管理人员的国际研讨会；
- 继续支持创意城市网络音乐之都的申请城市；
- 扩大曼海姆各种音乐节的国际规模。
MEDELLÍN (COLOMBIA)
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DESCRIPTION

Second largest city in Colombia with 2.3 million inhabitants, Medellín is commended for the significant culture-led regeneration efforts towards social change by means of culture, education and innovation, and in turn, overcoming an era of instability which affected the country until the 1990s. Since then, music has given a new momentum to Medellín by strengthening civic culture, social equity and peace through enjoyment and learning music, especially in young people. In the past years, the city has invested around US$ 35 million in music programmes including free music courses for youngsters.

Medellín hosts a wide range of music events such as Medellín Vive la Música, the International Tango Festival, as well as Altavoz, the latter of which has been recognized by UNESCO as one of the foremost projects in Latin America for empowering young people. In addition, the city hosts Circular; a renowned music market, which has generated businesses for over US$ 3 million in a five-year period. The market gathers nearly 1000 artists and bands at each edition, as well as attracting more than 20,000 visitors. Circular also receives ongoing support from multi-stakeholders from both public and private sector, and welcomes representatives from some 20 countries and more than 80 production companies at every event.

To guarantee that social change keeps pace with Medellín’s sustainable development, the municipality has implemented a set of social policies as part of “Medellín City for Life” programme, including the “Medellín Lives Music” umbrella initiative aimed at strengthening the music industry. In this framework, the city has notably established 4 music houses – spaces supporting music creation, education, research and dissemination –, strengthened the mobility of local musicians and bands, and fostered an environment conducive for cultural and creative industries to thrive both at the local and the international levels.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Medellín envisages:

- developing a learning curriculum for audio-installations to enhance the quality of venues and sound equipment, reach new audiences and encourage a wider practice and appreciation of music;

- organizing a national academic event on management procedures aimed to share expertise and further discuss the challenges faced by local music industries, especially in the digital era, as well as boost the private music sector while exploring new approaches towards creative works, distribution chains and new markets;

- fostering the mobility of artists within the UCCN by opening the line-ups of the city’s major music festivals, and developing a large artist-in-residence programme to benefit young musicians; and

- creating an online music library as a common dissemination platform with music, podcasts and interviews from Creative Cities, enhancing exchanges of know-how and experience.

概要

麦德林市是哥伦比亚第二大城市，拥有120万居民，城市通过文化、教育和创新等活动，在文化主导的城市更新和发展方面付诸了巨大的努力，使其克服并度过了自20世纪90年代末的动荡时期。通过加强公民文化、社会平等，以及音乐鉴赏和学习推进和推广，尤其是在年轻人中开展这些活动，音乐已经成为麦德林市发展的新动力。近年来，在音乐艺术课程方面，该市投人了大约3500万美元，其中包括青少年免费音乐课程。

麦德林市每年举办一系列音乐活动，如“麦德林音乐生活”、“国际探戈节”以及“音乐喇叭”等，后者已被联合国教科文组织认可为拉丁美洲引导年轻人健康发展的最主要项目之一。此外，该市还举办“循坏艺术”活动，打造了一个闻名遐迩的音乐市场，并且在5年内达成了300多万美元的业绩。该音乐市场在每次举行音乐活动时汇集近千名艺术家和乐队成员，吸引游客人数超过两万人。“循坏艺术”活动还受到来自公共和私营领域众多利益相关者的长期支持，每次活动过程中接待来自20个国家和80多家音乐制作企业的代表。

为了确保社会变革与麦德林市可持续发展保持同步，该市实施了一系列社会政策作为“麦德林生活都市”项目的一部分，包括旨在加强音乐产业的“麦德林生活音乐”总体项目。在该框架下，该市着力打造四个音乐区块，即用于支持音乐创作、教育、研究和传播的城市空间，加强了当地音乐家和乐队的流动性，同时在当地和国际上创造有利于文化创意产业蓬勃发展的城市环境。

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作为创意城市音乐之都，麦德林希望：

- 开发音效设备学习课程，提高音乐场地和设备品质，触及新受众，并鼓励更广泛的音乐实践和鉴赏；

- 举办全国性管理流程学术活动，旨在分享专业知识和进一步探讨本地音乐产业，尤其是数字化时代所面临的新挑战，同时在音乐创作、销售链和新市场方面探索新方法，提振私营音乐领域；

- 通过吸引外来艺术家参与该市各主要音乐节以及开展惠及年轻音乐家的大型艺术家驻留项目，以提高联合国教科文组织创意城市网络内部艺术家的流动性；

- 创建在线音乐库作为公共音乐平台，提供传播、播客和创意城市访谈平台，从而加强知识和经验交流。
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With a population of 2.9 million inhabitants, Salvador is the third largest city in Brazil. Capital of the State of Bahia, Salvador lives by the rhythm of music and uses it successfully to convey a great sense of social cohesion within a rich multicultural city. Home to the renowned composers Gilberto Gil and Caetano Veloso, Salvador has been the birthplace of many music genres including tropicalismo, axé, bossa nova and samba. It was also in Salvador that the “trio elétrico”; a truck popularly used as a mobile stage for large outdoor music events due to its high power sound system, was created.

In Salvador, public spaces are ideal stages to promote culture, and music in particular. Salvador is best known for its Bahian Carnival, which is the largest parade in the world with 2 million people celebrating throughout 25 kilometres of the city’s streets, avenues and squares for an entire week. It is estimated that this massive event represents over $248 million dollars of financial transactions. As a result, the Bahian Carnival has been responsible for promoting the local music industry on an international scale, with a significant increase of multi-level partnerships, as well as employment opportunities.

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DESCRIPTION

Seville, the capital of Andalusia, is the fourth largest city of Spain with 703,000 inhabitants. Its most famous music festival, the Bienal de Flamenco, showcases a musical genre that was recognized as UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage in 2010.

The history of Seville dates back more than two millennia. The remains left by various civilizations have given Seville a distinct character and a large and well-preserved historical centre with its most significant buildings declared as UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Seville has also three universities with over 80,000 students.

Seville plays a leading role as an administrative and economic centre of southern Spain. In addition to its longstanding tradition in the aerospace industry, the economic activity of Seville is now dominated by the service and tourism sector which represents a significant share of the local economy. Other highly developed sectors in the city are specialized technical services such as architecture, engineering, and the creative and cultural industries, which have demonstrated their great potential.

Indeed, the city is a highly recognized centre of creativity and musical activity. Seville reflects centuries of musical tradition and influence on a global scale. Music is everywhere in the city and engages everyone. From symphonies, operas and public open spaces dedicated to music, to foundations, youth organizations, schools and conservatories: the city offers all of its citizens a way to become involved in creating and appreciating music. The city continues to support and boost this industry with great pride.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Seville envisages:

- organizing activities throughout the city to reach a wide range of population groups;
- collaborating with local institutions and supporting initiatives from the local music scene;
- promoting musical exchanges with the other Cities of Music in order to create opportunities and possibilities of international promotion for musicians;
- fostering cultural tourism as a factor of sustainable development;
- exchanging know-how, best practices and expertise between the cities on music education;
- establishing an international cooperation network in order to develop programmes encouraging mobility for artists; and
- stimulating broad cooperation between musical actors from the public and private sectors of all Cities of Music.

对网络的贡献

作为创意城市音乐之都，塞维利亚希望：

- 在全市范围内举办活动，以触及各类群体；
- 与当地机构合作，支持当地音乐界项目的发展；
- 促进与其它音乐之都的交流，为音乐家的国际推广创造机会和可能性；
- 推动文化旅游业成为可持续发展的要素之一；
- 在城市间开展音乐教育领域的知识、最佳实践和经验的交流；
- 建立国际合作网络，发展增加艺术家流动性的项目；
- 激发所有音乐之都公共和私有领域音乐参与者之间的广泛合作。

概述

安达卢西亚首府塞维利亚市拥有 70.3 万居民，是西班牙第四大城市。弗拉门戈双年展是该市最著名的音乐节。该音乐类别已于 2010 年被联合国教科文组织列为非物质文化遗产。

塞维利亚的历史可以追溯到两千多年前，各种文明于此留下的遗迹造就了塞维利亚与众不同的特色，而其宏大而保存完好的历史中心建筑群也被授予联合国教科文组织世界遗产的称号。塞维利亚还拥有三所大学和 8 万多名学生。

作为西班牙南部行政和经济中心的塞维利亚担当着重要的领衔作用。除了历史悠久的航天航空业，塞维利亚的经济当前以服务业和旅游业为主，并且占据着当地经济的显著份额。塞维利亚其他快速发展的行业还包括专业技术服务业，如建筑和工程业，以及已显示出巨大潜力的创意文化产业。

这座城市是众所周知的创意和音乐活动中心。塞维利亚在全球范围内都折射出其拥有数百年历史的音乐传统和影响力。音乐可谓无处不在，无人不及。从交响乐厅、歌剧院、用于音乐活动的开放性公共空间到基金会、青年组织、学校和音乐学院，塞维利亚为所有市民提供了参与创作和欣赏音乐的机会。塞维利亚以继续支持和推动音乐行业为荣。
TONGYEONG (REPUBLIC OF KOREA)
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DESCRIPTION

A city located at the southern edge of the Korean peninsula and with 140,000 inhabitants, Tongyeong is internationally renowned as the hometown of many celebrated composers including Isang Yun, who became a genuine symbol of the city and the most famous music figure and icon of Korean music. In Tongyeong, music links tradition and modernity with many of its contemporary musicians drawing inspiration from the traditional operas such as the mask dance Ohgwangdae. As music is the city’s lifeblood, it has recently invested US$ 52 million in a state-of-art concert hall.

Tongyeong is a city that knows how to celebrate music within lively festivals including the Pop Music Festival and the Tongyeong International Music Festival (TIMF). The TIMF is a ten-day event that pays a large tribute to Isang Yun, and is considered as one of the most influential and well-respected contemporary music festivals in Asia. Operating on an annual budget of US$ 2 million, the festival hosts a wide and diverse array of international artists and orchestras, and attracts an audience of over 20,000 every year.

While firmly supporting the emergence of creative industries, Tongyeong harnesses the full potential of culture and creativity as drivers of social inclusion and cohesion. In support of this framework in 2014 it launched the “Culture Day” programme, which, on the last Wednesday of every month, enlivens public areas throughout the city with a special cultural programme. Film screenings, music concerts and performances are offered free of charge so everyone can take part. This outdoor event aims to increase participation in cultural life, as well as improve the quality of urban life through culture and creativity.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Tongyeong envisages:

- positioning the city as an international reference in the field of music by taking the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the composer Isang Yun as an opportunity to reach wider international audience;
- increasing music education programmes in secondary and higher educations, as well as establishing a high-level university of arts and music;
- fostering international artistic exchanges and the mobility of artists through the Tongyeong Festival Orchestra, focusing on the role of music as enabler of intercultural dialogue and mutual understanding;
- opening the line-up of the city’s music events to worldwide musicians to showcase works of internationally renowned composers, especially from other Creative Cities of Music;
- organizing the “World Music Days” to support young composers as well as stimulate the music creative industry by generating new employment opportunities; and
- cooperating with Creative Cities of all creative fields covered by the Network to encourage multidisciplinary initiatives.

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作为创意城市音乐之都，统营市希望:

- 将城市定位为音乐领域的国际典范，通过庆祝作曲家伊伊桑诞辰100周年为契机，吸引更多国际观众;
- 在中等和高等教育中增加音乐教育课程，并建立高水准的艺术与音乐类高校;
- 通过“统营市管弦乐音乐节”促进国际艺术交流和艺术家的流动性，着重发挥音乐作为促进跨文化对话和相互沟通的动力的积极作用;
- 举办各种城市音乐活动，并邀请世界各地的音乐家参与演出，以展示国际知名作曲家的作品，特别是那些来自其他创意城市的音乐作品;
- 举办“世界音乐日”，以支持年轻作曲家，同时通过创造新的就业机会，刺激音乐创意产业;
- 与联合国教科文组织创意城市网络所有领域的创意城市开展合作，鼓励跨领域项目的开展。
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DESCRIPTION

Located in the heart of the Ganges valley, Varanasi, also known as Benares, is home to 1.4 million inhabitants and considered as one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world. The renowned spiritual capital of India bears witness to a music heritage traced back to the Puranic literature, attributing the development of music to Shiva. Since being patronised by the tutelary head of the Maharajas of Kashi, the number of active music companies in music sector has significantly increased up to 300. Such support has also invigorated and created new impetus for the Varanasi’s 350-year-old festivals.

Varanasi envisions creativity-led development as a bridge to sustain and revitalize its rich cultural heritage. Predominantly passed down through the festivals and fairs, tradition is embedded in the city’s cultural and spiritual life, and is inextricably linked with one of the most attended festivals: the Buddha Purnima Festival. This event gathers people together to celebrate the birth of Buddha through a wide range of performances, ranging from music to crafts and gastronomy. In addition, the Subah-e-Banaras Festival focuses on the power of music for enhancing inner well-being.

The protection and promotion of Varanasi’s music has been supported for centuries by the Guru-Shishya Parampara: a teacher-pupil traditional learning method, which became eroded over time. The city is committed to keep this tradition alive through the implementation of several grants schemes and educational trainings programmes. The flagship initiative is the on-going development of the SangeetSankul Music School, which focuses on the protection and promotion of musical traditions, as well as supporting the emergence of young talents.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE NETWORK

As a Creative City of Music, Varanasi envisages:

- establishing the SangeetSankul Music School to protect and promote music traditions and knowledge, the Guru-Shishya Parampara method in particular;
- giving a new impulse to the 350-year-old city’s festivals of Gulab Bari, Budwa Mangal and Ramlila by nurturing multidisciplinary approaches and learning from experiences of other Creative Cities;
- using music as a driver of intercultural dialogue and mutual understanding through the “Jugalbandi Fusion Interactions”, focusing on jam sessions with musicians from diverse backgrounds; and
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- 建立 SangeetSankul 音乐学校以保护和推广传统音乐知识，特别是传统的师生相传教学方法；
- 通过培养跨领域方式以及学习其他创意城市的经历，为本市 350 周年节庆中的 Gulab Bari, Budwa Mangal 和罗摩力拉（Ramlila）等活动提供新动力；
- 通过“Jugalbandi 交融互动”活动，利用音乐作为跨文化对话和相互理解的驱动力，并且侧重于来自不同背景的音乐家们的即兴表演；
- 支持来自其他创意城市音乐之都的音乐专业学生的交流项目，使他们有机会学习传统的师生相传教学方法，并且分享学生们各自的知识和经验。
The UNESCO Creative Cities Network (UCCN) strengthens cooperation with and among cities that have recognized creativity as a strategic factor of sustainable development on an economic, social, cultural and environmental level.

The 116 member cities from 54 countries that currently form this growing network work together towards a common mission: placing creativity and cultural industries at the core of their development plans at the local level and actively cooperate at the international level.

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