



NIGHT - PLOVDIV, 2016

TWELFTH EDITION – September 23RD and 24TH

“SPECIAL PROJECTS” FUND

Programs: “Museums and Galleries”, “Culture and Club” and “City and public spaces”

Funded projects:

Museums and Galleries: 14

Culture and Club: 10

City and public spaces: 7

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“MUSEUMS AND GALLERIES” PROGRAM

Candidate	Projects description	Date / type of event	Funding through “Special projects” Fund
1. Aspect Gallery	The gallery presented as a continuation of its project – a competition for young artists realized during the festival NIGHT/Plovdiv 2015, Aspect Gallery presents Trendafil Trendafilova, who won it with her artwork “Figurative ambient” (State: Sky). In this year’s NIGHT she will present an exhibition of figurative self-portrait compositions on musical background, in a close bond with the conception of the project. A one-hour performance with original music by the artist in her own style - synthcolor music (electro-acoustic vocal performance) will be presented as well.	09/23 Exhibition, performance	180 bgn <i>/transport and accomodation/</i>
2. Philipopolis Gallery	09/23 – Paintings exhibition by Atanas Hranov 09.24 – Screening of the documentary movies: “A journey to Isla Negra” “The Bridges of Aleksander” „Opera Open“ “National Autumn Exhibitions – Plovdiv 2015: En passant”	09/23-24 Screening and exhibition	480 bgn <i>/rent of technical equipment/</i>



<p>3. Point Blank Gallery</p>	<p>09/23 - White Trash Saints by Simeon Todorov The art pieces part of the exhibition contrast the consumer's world with the traditional Renaissance works.</p> <p>09/24 - Drag Queen Cabaret – The dance show is an original cabaret performance of five drag queens who will fight for the first place in lip-syncing battle. You can expect an atmosphere in the spirit of „Red lanterns” in Amsterdam. .</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>Exhibition, spectacle, performance</p>	<p>200 bgn</p> <p><i>/materials and printing/</i></p>
<p>4. Dinko Angelov Studio</p>	<p>“The autumn of Leonardo” exhibition examines Joseph Beuys and Leonardo da Vinci in their best years. The theme of the exhibition is “Convervation”. It is a continuation of the project “The puberty of Leonardo”. The works are connected with the architecture projects to the Mother Nature as in the same time the installations are in difficult to reach places – the first is in Antarctica and the second is in the orbit of the Earth.</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>exhibition</p>	<p>200 bgn</p> <p><i>/materials/</i></p>
<p>5. Regional Archaeological Museum</p>	<p>Presentation of the renewed and enriched permanent exhibition called „From the stone to the gunpowder“ from the „Vatevi“ private collection, which includes different types of weapons from the Neolithic period to the XVII century.</p>	<p>09/23</p> <p>exhibition</p>	<p>240 bgn</p> <p><i>/overtime work/</i></p>
<p>6. Regional History Museum</p>	<p>Educational program “Plovdiv on its way to the modern world”</p> <p>The exhibition is the first attempt to present all the processes of industrialization in Plovdiv during the period from the Liberation to the beginning of XX century. The focus is on urban planning, architecture, industrialization and usage of the technical inventions and the reflection of these processes on the social life and fashion.</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>Educational program</p>	<p>1 000 bgn</p> <p><i>/materials/</i></p>
<p>7. Regional Ethnographic Museum</p>	<p>The Little night: Workshop for children weaving on small decorative looms</p> <p>Museum and Galleries:</p> <p>1. exhibition "The wonder world of the Thracian Woman"</p>	<p>09/23</p> <p>Exhibition, screening, demonstration, presentation</p>	<p>880 bgn</p> <p><i>/materials and rent of technical equipment/</i></p>



	<p>2. Photo session with traditional Bulgarian cloths</p> <p>3. Screening of the movie "The Woman and her Transformation"</p>		
8. National Autumn Exhibitions	<p>The Little Night: Second family chess tournament Old Plovdiv</p> <p>Museums and Galleries: 1. A tour with curator Assoc. Prof. Dr. Galina Lardeva – The Mirror project</p> <p>2. Artistic talks</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>Exhibition, guided tour, artist talk, chess tournament</p>	<p>1081,60 bgn</p> <p><i>/transport, honorarium, chess tournament, overtime work/</i></p>
9. City Art Gallery	<p>Museums and Galleries:</p> <p>1. Un/noted first public presentation of the collection of the United Bulgarian Bank</p> <p>The Little Night:</p> <p>2. Children interpretation of headings from Bulgarian manuscripts of the Middle Ages</p>	<p>09/23</p> <p>exhibition</p>	<p>300 bgn</p> <p><i>/overtime work/</i></p>
10. the VII Musical Festival Days of the music in Balabanov house	<p>"Talents and Originality" concert with participation of Ana - Maria Kraicheva, soprano and flute, now specializing opera singing in Italy; Ciro Messina (Italy), piano</p>	<p>09/24</p> <p>concert</p>	<p>480 bgn</p> <p><i>/honorarium and transport/</i></p>
11. Luibomir Krystev studio	<p>"The Industrial Temple" – presentation of the complete project in his working place.</p> <p>The multidisciplinary project refers to the traces of post-industrial archeology. An accent is the large scale of the project - 120/270 cm, as well as its experimental techniques in mixing digital stamp, video and/or sound.</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>exhibition</p>	<p>200 bgn</p> <p><i>/materials/</i></p>



12. Gavazov studio	<p>“Who are here and why we are we?” – exhibition in the museum with artefacts from the period between 1 000 000 B.C and present days.</p> <p>The exhibition will be followed by a discussion as the idea of this discussion is to focus the visitors’ attention on the process of creating the myth. What are the real facts and artefacts and where do literal fiction, speculation, fantasy, the sense of fulfillment and determination, national dignity and proud begin.</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>exhibition, presentation, spectacle, screening, lecture</p>	<p>500 bgn</p> <p><i>/transport/</i></p>
13. Rokanov studio	<p>Painting, Graphics and Objects by Mitsev & Rokanov – 70 anniversary to Dimitur Mitsev.</p> <p>The exhibition will include an improvisation, discussion and direct contact with the public. The hall will be lightened by hundreds of candles, the pictures will be exposed in semi-darkness and every visitor with candlestick in hand will lighten the picture that they look at.</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>exhibition</p>	<p>200 bgn</p> <p><i>/lights/</i></p>
14. U-P.a.r.k. Gallery	<p>Exhibition “Instead of the poet`s head”</p> <p>“Instead of the poet’s head” is a result of Kamen Starchev exhibition “The body of Orpheus” at the gallery, when the theme for the abstract picture and the mythic predetermination were mentioned for the first time. In the NIGHT it will be unfoled with audio, video and an exhibition which will be able to present a full specter of hypothesis for the investigation and interpretation of head search.</p>	<p>09/23-24</p> <p>exhibition, installation</p>	<p>900 bgn</p> <p><i>/transport and accommodation/</i></p>
15.	MI “Old Plovdiv”	09/23-24	<p>626,88 bgn</p> <p><i>/overtime work/</i></p>



“CULTURE AND CLUB” PROGRAM

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16. Ivan Vazov Public Library	“Portraits of choicen by the theater – Painted with words” - talk with the journalist Yordan Georgiev, author and host of the weekly show for theater “Without Masks” at Radio “Alma Mater” (since 2008). Born in Varna and graduated from the School for Visually Impaired Children “Prof. Dr. Ivan Shishmanov” in Asparuhovo, after that he studied law and journalism at the Sofia University "St. Kliment Ohridski", and later received a master’s degree in “Literature, Cinema and Visual Culture”.	discussion	100 bgn <i>/overtime work/</i>
17. 16. Ivan Vazov Public Library – children`s department	Art workshop for mini pictures VII – Birds and feathers fly at the Night	Demonstration, literary reading, workshop, exhibition	72 bgn <i>/materials/</i>
18. Rakodelnitsata	<p>1. The 12th night – Textile – graphic interpretations</p> <p>Exhibition mix techniques with Diana Boikova, Yaroslava Bikova (felting), Nako Tsvetashki (needle felting), Teodora Doncheva (graphics and illustrations), Yana Tsvetkashka (textile)</p> <p>2. Workshop for children “Draw ME” Authors: Teodora Doncheva-Tech, Yana Tsvetkashka Workshop for coloring with acrylic on pre-counterred image on a textile bag.</p>	Exhibition, workshop	400 bgn <i>/materials/</i>
19. State Archives	A photo documentary exhibition by Mariana Vuchkova presenting the first decades from the beginning and the growth of the theater and the opera art in Plovdiv as well as their role for the city to become a cultural center. Some known and some forgotten performances and activities of these institutions and	Exhibition, presentation, discussion	400 bgn <i>/printing and making/</i>



	<p>popular actors and opera singers will be shown.</p> <p>The exhibition was followed by discussion and presentation.</p>		
<p>20. Vaska Emanuilova Gallery, a branch of SCAG</p>	<p>“90s. The beginning of the myth”</p> <p>Curated: by Vladia Mihaylova, talk on the topic with special guests.</p> <p>The theme of the project is the decade of transition and changes in the ways of thinking, the formulas of success and the idea of culture. It is a project for popular urban culture, for the opening to the world, utopia for freedom, exaltation for the new horizons and opportunities. It is about the search for different models for living between the red and blue, simulations, mystifications, recovery, new starts, ambitions, drugs, slang, porno, party culture, financial crises, depressions, hopes and settle downs.</p>	<p>Exhibition, discussion</p>	<p>900 bgn</p> <p><i>/honorarium, materials and transport/</i></p>
<p>21. PLOVEDIV</p>	<p>1 “The union makes PLOVEDIV” - Exhibition with photographs made by Simeon Todorov. The photo exhibition presents 25 portraits. 25 mysteries. It doesnt matter to whom belongs each mystery.</p> <p>2. Mythical Bulgarians – exhibition by Alekzandra Kevin. A Collection of pictures of important for the author Bulgarians presented as gods, goddesses and mythical creatures from our homeland.</p> <p>3. Mental Wealth - Mixed exhibition by Alekzandra Kevin. Talk about the mental health with the help of the art.</p> <p>4. Concert of Alexander Matteson. Performance of original (an not only) musical pieces by composer Alexander Matteson with guest-performers.</p>	<p>Exhibition, concert</p>	<p>450 bgn</p> <p><i>/transport and rent of technical equipment/</i></p>
<p>22. Aleko Konstantinov Community</p>	<p>1. “The coral legend of the mountain queen” - Meeting with Giuliano Dal Mas and presentation of his new</p>	<p>Exhibition, discussion, presentation, literary</p>	<p>400 bgn</p>



centre	<p>book Schiara Montagna Regina.</p> <p>2. „The Italian traces in Plovdiv” - Meeting with the journalist Penka Kalinkova</p> <p>3. “The Dialogue between two cultures” - Discussion about Italy and Bulgaria with Nadia Boneva and Giuliano Dal Mas.Mac.</p> <p>4. “Dolomites – an exciting adventure” - Photo exhibition and presentation by Giuliano Dal Mas</p> <p>5. Night cinema with the movies of Roberto Saramie Silla via Alta Feltrina and Sulle Dolomiti insolite 1, 2, 3</p>	reading, screening	<i>/honorarium and transport/</i>
23. Armenian Cultural Centre	<p>1. Literary reading of Armenian fairy tales and legends in Bulgarian</p> <p>2. Concert by the vocal formation Sirun</p> <p>3. Movie screening of a documentary film about Armenia, the movie Garod and the movie “The flower of pomegranate”</p> <p>4. “The Armenian churches on the two sides of Ararat” - exhibition by Sarpuhi Kaprielian and Hristo Dimitrov</p>	Exhibition, presentation, literary reading, screening	<p>300 bgn</p> <p><i>/honorarium/</i></p>
24. Studio 24	Exhibition by Kaloian Iliev – Kokimoto.	exhibition	<p>200 bgn</p> <p><i>/materials/</i></p>
25. State Opera Plovdiv	<p>1. „Opera boutique” represents two stylish chamber concerts with specially selected pieces of music with the participation of the soloists of Opera Plovdiv.</p> <p>2. Soft, sunny and windy - premiere dance performance</p> <p>Choreography: Rosen Mihailov, Music: Old City Songs, Costumes: Ilona Stoicheva</p>	Concert, flash mob	<p>2 000 bgn</p> <p><i>/honorarium, technical equipment/</i></p>



	Romantic show about sweet memories and love. With a wink to the past, when the Kapana district was filled with flirtations and urban adventures.		
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“CITY AND PUBLIC SPACES” PROGRAM

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26. Centre of unformal education ALOS	1. “Light painting” workshop by Lyuben Kuleliev, Boyan Bahrin It’s made by changing the surrounding space through light moment images and objects or by taking a part in a shared light-painting work which is shot and printed instantly. 2. “Light art” installation A result of a workshop with students from high schools of fine arts. 3. “Dark light” presentation Video presentation of photographs of light-painting works “Dark light”; photographs of creative processes and art installations realized along with students from art schools, a part of the program “Parallel steps, parallel spaces”.	Installation, workshop, presentation	350 bgn <i>/transport and materials/</i>
27. Evangelical Covenant Church	“The creator creates creators” <i>/concert/</i> The young pianist Andrew Winfield, holding a master’s degree from the Westburn University in Saint Louis, together with pianist John Varwig will represent various classical and other musical compositions of Bach, Beethoven, Gershwin and Scott Joplin.	concert	350 bgn <i>/transport, accommodation and honorarium/</i>
28. EXAF	Public screening of “Ways of Something” – parts 3 and 4 This is a movie remix of Canadian producer and visual artist Lorna Mills, which represents the perception of the art in post-	screening	500 bgn <i>/film rights/</i>



	<p>internet era, thus presenting works of established and beginning net art authors. Each movie is 1-minute long.</p> <p>For each show there will be printed folders with additional information for the author and the movie. An informal open discussion amongst visitors is expected which will be run by organizers.</p>		
29. "Orpheus' fire" Foundation	<p>1. "Organ and guitar as ancient instruments" /interactive lecture/ Music and poetry are a unique time machine that transfers us with ease to different ages, countries, ideas and personalities. Starring: Mariana Grigorova (organ), docent Stela Miteva-Dinkova (classical guitar) and Evgeniya Tagareva (author's music and poetry)</p> <p>2. Music of the temple for organ and classical guitar</p>	Lecture, concert	350 bgn /concert/
30. Digital Media "Banitza"	<p>"10x10: Faces outside the frame"</p> <p>exhibition is an original visual experiment which aims to initiate a conversation about human rights in Bulgaria with the methods of documentary photography, personal stories and art..</p>	exhibition	600 bgn /printing/
31. FAUST PERFORMANCE - FOUNDATION DIMITAR VOEV - NEW GENERATION; 13TH CHAIR	<p>"Faust" performance Autors: Maarten Wonk (Netherlands), Vasilena Stoyanova (Bulgaria)</p> <p>Mephistopheles rebirths in the NIGHT to meet his old friend Faust. A continuation of Gothe's story. A conversation with the Self and eastern Faust's human. A conversation with the dark side of himself. A contemporary reading by the Dutch producer Maarten Wonk. A tragicomedy in cabaret style combined with the music of Dimitar Voev – poet and musician. The performance is a premiere for Bulgarian stage.</p>	performance	1100 bgn. /honorarium and technical equipment rental/
32. MANU PROPRIA	<p>Literary street art Andon Georgiev - Andonasty (graphics), Olesya Nikolova (text) and Gergana Kovacheva (calligraphy) will introduce how a book can find a place outside the library shelves and address its message through contemporary ways.</p>	Street art	400 bgn /materials/

TOTAL FUNDING: 16 490,50 BGN