



# 2018 will be the European Year of Cultural Heritage!

- To encourage the **sharing and appreciation** of Europe's cultural heritage as a **shared resource**;
- To raise awareness of **common history and values**; and
- To reinforce a sense of belonging to **Europe**.





## Key dates:

- **7-8 December 2017** - Official launch at the European Culture Forum in Milan, Italy
- **January until December 2018** - Initiatives and events celebrating Europe's rich and diverse heritage
- **And after 2018?** Ten European highly-visible initiatives will ensure the Years' legacy beyond 2018





## Projects and funding:

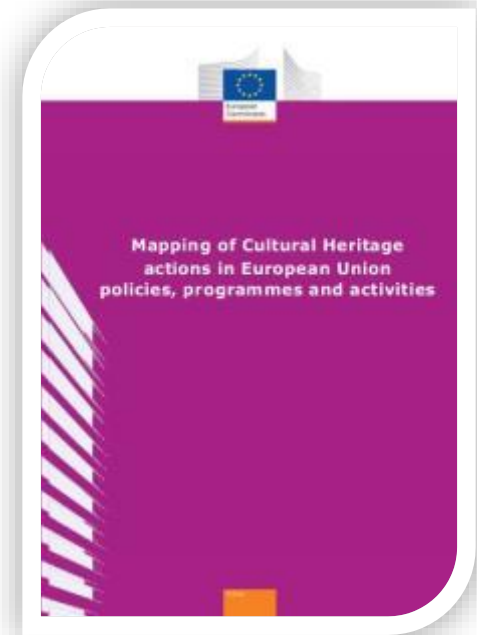
### Total budget of EUR 8 million for 2017 and 2018:

- To finance transnational projects through the dedicated Creative Europe call;
- To support the implementation of the 10 European initiatives;
- For the Year's communication strategy (Euro-barometer survey, production of toolkits to reach target audiences, etc.).

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## IN ADDITION:

- Funding for cultural heritage will be available through different EU programmes:
- **Erasmus+,**
- **Horizon 2020,**
- **COSME,**
- **Europe for Citizens,**
- **EU structural and cohesion funds, etc.**



[http://ec.europa.eu/assets/eac/culture/library/reports/2014-heritage-mapping\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/assets/eac/culture/library/reports/2014-heritage-mapping_en.pdf)

## For more information:



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