

## **Partner Search Form**

Identification of the applicant	
Name of the organisation	Municipality of Koprivshtitsa
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Short presentation of your organisation (key activities, experience)	The Municipality of Koprivshtitsa is located in Western Bulgaria and is one of the municipalities of the Sofia region. The municipality is the main administrative-territorial unit for local self-government. The municipality is represented by the mayor of the municipality and the municipal council-Koprivshtitsa.
	The center of the municipality is the town of Koprivshtitsa, which is its only populated place. The population of the city is 2135 people.
	Koprivshtitsa is included in lists of The Hundreds National Tourist Places. The town is tourist destination – symbol of the Bulgarian herritage and tradition and place promoting the Bulgarian culture and folklore, which attracts over 150 000 visitors - foreign and local every year.
	In December 2016 The National Folklor Festival in Koprivshtitsa, which is held every five years since 1965 is included in the UNESCO List of Intangible Cultural Heritage and the Register of Best Safeguarding



	Practices.
	As the main contractor for the last five years Koprivshtitsa Municipality has experience in implementing more than 10 projects funded by the European Union.
Description of the project	
Action, Measure in the framework of "Europe for Citizens" Programme	Town Twinning, Network of Towns
Timetable of the project	N/A
Short description of the project, including its aims	N/A
Role of the partner organisation in the project	Interested in participating in the Europe for Citizens programme as a partner.
Comments from the applicant	The Municipality of Koprivshtitsa would like cooperation with government institutions, local authorities, nongovernment organisations (Private organisations), companies and interested parties in projects focusing on the growing Euroscepticism and debates on the future of Europe.  Cooperation should be carried out on the basis of respect and tolerance regarding the cultural traditions of the partners involved.