

FNE Partnership from Pan-European Organisations / Non-Financial 2021

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- European Film Promotion
- STORYTEK
- IDF – Institute of Documentary Film
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INNOVATION and INCREASING AUDIENCES through partnerships:

FNE's Partnership with the International Union of Cinemas (UNIC) has resulted in regular updates on EU cinema policies that impact all industry professionals across Europe.

FNE's Partnership with Europa Cinemas has resulted in the popular and unique FNE Cinema of the Month series where exhibitors from the CEE/Baltics region share Innovative Solutions to Common problems.

FNE's Partnership with Europa Distribution has resulted in the popular and unique FNE Distributor of the Month series where exhibitors from the CEE/Baltics region share Innovative Solutions to Common problems.

FNE's Partnership with Europa International profiles a sales agent alternating with the FNE Distributor of the Month series

FNE's weekly IDF (Institute of Documentary Film) highlights each week new developments in the docs sector across the region.

Montpellier, 25 March 2020

To Whom It May Concern,

EUROVOD is the European Federation of VoD platforms for independent cinema, regrouping today 30 members (24 Core, 6 Associate), established in 16 EU countries: 5 global, 4 national and 14 international platforms covering 34 territories, with an average of 79% European films in their aggregated catalogue, but also VoD technical providers and aggregators.

We find Film New Europe a unique and essential TOOL for film professionals and believe that cooperation between FNE and EuroVOD will bring major value added to both projects.

The Film New Europe Association is main networking platform of professionals in the Central and Eastern Europe and Baltic region. The **FNE Association** board is made up of the heads of the most important film institutions in the region. The webportal **Film New Europe** with its **FNE Daily** newswire was chosen as the main tool to achieve the network's objectives: **FNE** is the sharing of know-how, visibility of regional cultural diversity and finally the voice of the region.

Sincerely yours,

Silvia Cibien
General Delegate
EUROVOD



27 March 2020

DECLARATION OF INTENT

FILM NEW EUROPE and UNIC confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the FILM NEW EUROPE newswire.

FNE has become known as a leader in bringing information about innovation to European audiovisual professionals.

We consider the FNE a unique resource for the promotion of the European film and especially for bringing the information about the region of central and Eastern Europe to the wider European and Global audience of film professionals. No other publication duplicates or fulfils this unique function of FNE and its network.

We believe that our collaboration will increase audiences and bring value added to both FILM NEW EUROPE and UNIC .

Name of legal representative:

Laura Houlgatte Abbott

Position of legal representative in the organisation:

CEO, UNIC

Signature:



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Hamburg, 27 March 2020

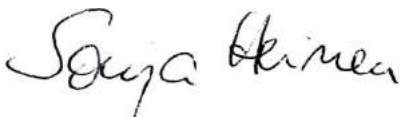
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We consider the FNE a unique resource for the promotion of the European film and especially for bringing the information about the region of central and Eastern Europe to the wider European and Global audience of film professionals. More than one third of EFP's member countries belong to the region FNE covers with by sharing news, updates and general studies. FNE increase the visibility of the cultural diversity of Central- and Eastern European countries.

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Sonja Heinen
Managing Director



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Tallinn, Estonia, 3 April 2019

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FILM NEW EUROPE and STORYTEK confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the FILM NEW EUROPE newswire. STORYTEK plans to cooperate with FNE in presenting the best in European AV Innovation projects in 2020.

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Storytek is a one of a kind #futureofcontent accelerator and creative innovation hub, based in Tallinn, Estonia. Storytek brings together deep audiovisual sector knowledge, technology and funding with a selection of tech entrepreneurs and content creators. The purpose of Storytek_ is to help creatives and early-stage companies to develop business and fast-track their content, products, and services to the global markets through a challenging 10-week program to build the platforms and content for tomorrow together. Between 2017 and 2019 Storytek has supported the development of 23 global projects from Estonia, Lithuania, Croatia, Germany, UK, Italy, Canada, France and Switzerland.

We believe that our collaboration will increase audiences and bring value added to both FILM NEW EUROPE and STORYTEK.

Name of legal representative:

Sten-Kristian Saluveer

Position of legal representative in the organisation:

CEO

Signature



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DECLARATION OF INTENT

In Prague, March 26, 2020

To whom it may concern,

FILM NEW EUROPE (FNE) and **INSTITUTE OF DOCUMENTARY FILM (IDF)** confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the **FILM NEW EUROPE** newswire.

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Sincerely,


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Anna FRANKLIN
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Brussels, 3 April 2019

LETTER OF INTENT – Partnership FERA / Film New Europe

The Federation of European Film and TV Directors (FERA – Federation Européenne des Réalisateurs de l'Audiovisuel), founded in 1980, is the only organisation representing directors at the European level. With 43 organisations as members from 33 countries, we speak for more than 20,000 European screen directors, representing their cultural, creative and economic interests at the national and European level.

The Film New Europe Association is the main networking platform of professionals in the Central and Eastern Europe and Baltic region. The website Film New Europe (FNE) with its FNE Daily newswire was chosen as the main tool to achieve the network's objectives: FNE shares know-how, visibility of regional cultural diversity and has become an important voice for the region. FNE also provides a pan-European connection for the region, and has partnerships and activities with the main pan-European film institutions based in Western Europe.

The FERA membership sees great value in your regional network and its activities, which is why we have decided to partner up with The Film New Europe Association.

Sincerely yours,

Pauline Durand-Vialle
CEO

Education Audiovisual & Culture Executive Agency
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Paris, April 1st 2019


DECLARATION OF INTENT

FILM NEW EUROPE and EUROPA CINEMAS confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the FILM NEW EUROPE newswire.

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Claude-Eric Poiroux
General Director

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European network of independent distributors

To Anna Franklin, Director

Brussels, January 17 2019

DECLARATION OF INTENT

FILM NEW EUROPE and EUROPA DISTRIBUTION confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the FILM NEW EUROPE newswire.

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We believe that our collaboration will increase audiences and bring added value to both FILM NEW EUROPE and EUROPA DISTRIBUTION.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Christine Eloy", is written over a faint horizontal line.

Christine Eloy

Managing Director

Slovene Animated Film
Association
on behalf of CEE Animation
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Ms Anna Franklin
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Ljubljana, 29 March 2019

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We find Film New Europe the important tool for film professionals and believe that cooperation between FNE and the CEE Animation initiative will bring major value added to both projects. FNE spotlights animation production and distribution in the region and supports bringing these animations to a wider Pan-European audience.

CEE Animation and its activities of popularization of animation in the region and FNE as the only specialized audiovisual media portal covering the region confirm their commitment for collaboration on the promotion of animation creativity and industry in the region among FNE readers.

Sincerely yours,

Matija Šturm

CEO
CEE Animation





Letter Of Intent

Prague, 3 April 2020

To Whom It May Concern

The Film New Europe Association recognizes and supports the activities of Film New Europe. Film New Europe is unique and strategically important to the region.

The members of the FNE Association meet annually in Berlin. The FNE Association also supports the Film New Europe project and the FNE Daily newswire plans to continue to do so in 2021. The project is headquartered in Warsaw Poland.

The members of the Film New Europe Association in 2020:

- **Bosnia & Herzegovina:** Elma Tataragić, Zoran Galic, BiH Producers Association
- **Bulgaria:** Jana Karaivanova Head of the National Film Center of Bulgaria
- **Croatia:** Christopher Peter Marcich, Croatian AV Centre
- **Cyprus:** Elena Christodoulidou/Cyprus Ministry of Culture and Education
- **Czech Republic:** Michal Bregant: National Film Archives
- **Estonia:** Edith Sepp: Director: Estonian Film Institute
- **Georgia:** Gaga Chkheidze: General Director: Georgian National Film Center
- **Malta:** Johann Grech, Malta Film Commission
- **Montenegro:** Sehad Čekić, Film Centre Montenegro
- **Latvia:** Dita Reituma: Director: National Film Centre of Latvia
- **Lithuania:** Rolandas Kvietkauskas: Film Producer; Director of Lithuanian Film Centre
- **North Macedonia:** Gorjan Tozija, North Macedonia Film Centre
- **Poland:** Radosław Śmigulski, Polish Film Institute, Dariusz Jablonski (President Apple Films): Irena Strzalkowska: Deputy Director Tor Studios, Jacek Bromski President Polish Filmmakers Association.
- **Romania:** Anca Mitran, Director, Romanian CNC
- **Serbia:** Gordan Matić, Film Centre Serbia
- **Slovakia:** Marian Urban, Head of Slovak Producers Association, Peter Dubecký, General Director of Slovak Film Institute
- **Slovenia:** Nataša Bučar, Slovenian Film Centre

Yours faithfully,
Michal Klimkiewicz
Secretary General
Film New Europe Association


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DECLARATION OF INTENT

FILM NEW EUROPE and **Sofia Meetings – Co Production Market** confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the FILM NEW EUROPE newswire.

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We believe that our collaboration will increase audiences and bring value added to both FILM NEW EUROPE and Sofia Meetings.

Sincerely yours,
Mira Staleva
Head of Sofia Meetings



Mrs Anna Franklin
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Warsaw, March 2020

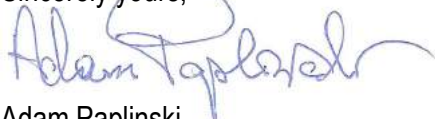
Dear Anna,

Pitch the Doc is first ever and exclusive on-line platform, for promotion, marketing and pitching of documentary projects. By presenting complete pitching packages, **Pitch the Doc** aims to facilitate the access to market for films and their authors, helping to link them with decision makers. As a web-based repository, it provides decision makers from any part of world the remote means to acquaint themselves with projects, contact authors, and proceed to discuss co-production matters.

We find "**Film New Europe**" a unique and essential TOOL for film professionals and believe that cooperation between **FNE** and **Pitch the Doc** will bring major value added to both projects. **FNE** spotlights documentary production and distribution in the region and supports bringing these documentaries to a wider Pan-European audience.

One of **Pitch the Doc's** goals is also to establish pan-European connection for the region and maintain partnerships and activities with the main pan-European film institutions, therefore we would like to express our readiness to discuss details of further co-operation with **FNE**. Also, we will be happy to support the platform as media partner, however the form and extent of this support will be the subject of a separate decisions.

Sincerely yours,



Adam Paplinski
Founder and President
Pitch the Doc

In Jihlava, on January 20, 2020

DECLARATION OF INTENT

FILM NEW EUROPE and **DOC.DREAM services s.r.o. / Ji.hlava IDFF** confirmed their readiness to collaborate, especially for the mutual promotion and diffusion of information about the activities of our organisation, including the presentation of their activities, in the FILM NEW EUROPE newswire.

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Position of legal representative in the organisation:
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Signature (and stamp or present declaration on letterhead)



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