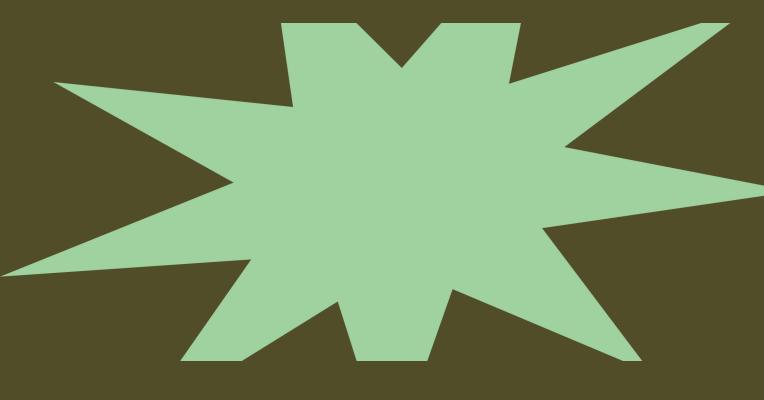
## EUNIT

**Public** Interventions



OPEN CALLS













#### **About**

## EUNITY20

EUnity20 is a project based in Cyprus that marks 20 years of the country's EU membership by promoting civic engagement and social cohesion through creative, inclusive, and participatory actions. Funded by the Citizens, Equality, Rights and Values (CERV) programme, the project engages young people, artists, and diverse communities across Cyprus through public art, community festivals, educational events, and digital storytelling, all celebrating European diversity, democratic values, and human rights. Through Public Interventions, EUnity20 aims to bring human rights into public discourse and shared spaces by supporting participatory artworks that challenge discrimination, promote inclusion, and celebrate the richness of cultural expression across the EU. **Every intervention is incorporated into a local and established Festival.** 

### WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR.

Socially engaged artists or collectives who view public space as a site of dialogue, disruption, playground and reflection. The selected artists will design and implement site-specific public interventions during established festivals in Cyprus. Each intervention must include a participatory component, encouraging local communities to co-create, engage, or interact.









## OBJEC.

\_Highlight the achievements but also the gaps still existing in the road to achieving equality and equity in the EU. The basis of these interventions will be the European Charter of Fundamental rights, inviting the audiences to challenge and alter preconceived notions through direct engagement.

- \_Raise awareness on human rights, combating racism and discrimination.
- \_Engage diverse communities and support democratic values.
- Promote European perspectives through art, especially voices often excluded from dominant cultural narratives.

### WHO CAN

Individual artists or collectives (formal and non-formal) from various mediums.

Selected artists will participate in at least three meetings with the EUnity20 project team.

**APPLY.** Apply by 24.08.2025





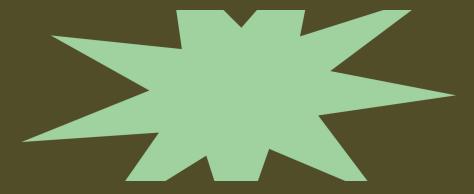








### HOW TO APPLY



Use the dedicated application form for each intervention which will be implemented at our partnership festivals. You may apply to to more than one festival, but only with one concept per festival. We're asking the below information:

- A short proposal (max. 500 words) describing your idea, artistic approach, and how it aligns with the intervention objectives and the festivals' theme.
- A brief outline of your participatory approach and how your action will engage with audiences.
- Your CV or collective biography (Share an accessible link).
- A portfolio and/or examples to past work (Share an accessible link).
- A budget estimate for production and materials.

#### COMPENSATION.

Each selected proposal will receive:

- €1,000 artists fee (Artists must be able to issue an Invoice)
- Production/materials costs
- Support from curators and local partners
- Promotion through the EUnity20 network and events
- Full documentation and visibility across platforms













## EUNI



## Go For Green Festival





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## About Go For Green

Following the success of its first edition, Go For Green festival returns under the theme Water Dreams. This artistic and civic event transforms the dried-up riverbed of the Pedieos into a space of memory, creativity, and environmental awareness. Water Dreams invites us to rethink our relationship with water, especially in a Mediterranean region deeply affected by water stress.

The festival will feature immersive installations, collective artworks, hands-on workshops for families, talks, performances, short film screenings, and a DJ set.

While a full week of activities will take place from 15th-21st of September, the selected work will be featured on Saturday, 20th of September. The theme of water (essential, transnational, and under threat) is a powerful entry point to speak to shared European concerns, values, and future.



#### **ORGANIZED BY:**

The French Institute of Cyprus,

In collaboration with Embassy of France in Cyprus, Office of the Commissioner for the Environment and Animal Welfare, Representation of the European Commission in Cyprus, Cyprus Institute, and TRANS-lighthouses Project.

**THEME:** Water Dreams

**IMPLEMENTATION DATE: 20/09/2025** 

LOCATION: NICOSIA, PEDIEOS LINEAR PARK (Exact Location TBA upon selection)

**ART MEDIUM:** OPEN - Should include participatory elements





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# Apply for Go For Green Intervention HERE.

Apply by 24.08.2025

The selection committee includes the EUnity20 project partners team from YEU Cyprus and Alternative Brains Rule, and in collaboration with the festival organizers.

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## BreakTheMaze Festival



















#### **About** BreakTheMaze

Break the Maze Dance Festival is one of Cyprus's biggest urban dance festival taking place from 18th-21st of September, celebrating hip-hop culture through battles, music, and art. Focused on Breaking, Hip Hop, and Funk Styles, it brings together local and international dancers in an inclusive, high-energy space authenticity, where innovation. community take center stage. intervention is scheduled to take place during the main event of the festival on Sunday, 21st of September.

This intervention seeks to encourage space for artistic voices that are often left outside institutional walls. Even though the right to participate in cultural life is protected through major human rights frameworks, access remains unequal. Hip-hop culture, graffiti, spoken word, street dance, and other forms born in community, struaale. and self-expression central to European stories of resilience, protest, and identity.

#### **ORGANIZED BY:**

Break The Maze

https://breakthemaze.com @BREAKTHEMAZE

**THEME:** The Right to Participate in Cultural Life

**IMPLEMENTATION DATE: 21/09/2025** 

**LOCATION: LIMASSOL, SKATE PARK SQUARE** 

**ART MEDIUM:** OPEN - Should include participatory elements















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## EUNITY 2



## PAME KAIMAKLI

















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Πάμε Καϊμακλί Pame Kaimakli 2025



#### **About** Pame Kaimakli

Pame Kaimakli is an annual neighborhood festival that transforms houses, streets, and public spaces in Kaimakli into sites of and community expression. It brings together local residents artists international to co-create interventions that explore public space, participation, and connection.

Aligned with the EUnity20 values of democratic participation, European identity, and social cohesion, the festival activates local heritage and intercultural dialogue to explore what it means to create a place of belonging.

In a district divided by the Green Line, imagines togetherness across borders, promoting inclusivity and **Artists** solidarity. are invited to propose ideas or approaches for creating a participatory mural that actively involves the public during the festival. There is also the possibility of collaborating with a local high school, prior to or during implementation period. The festival dates are between 24-25 October. (Exact intervention date TBA).

#### ORGANIZED BY.

**Urban Gorillas** 

https://pame-kaimakli.org @pame kaimakli

**THEME:** Oikeiotopia (A place of belonging)

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: Festival dates 24/10/2025 & 25/10/2025 - Exact date TBA

**LOCATION: NICOSIA, KAIMAKLI NEIGHBORHOOD** 

**ART MEDIUM:** Interactive, collective Mural















# Apply for Pame Kaimakli

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