

Dear European House for Culture Members and Partners,

The aim of this document is to collect a report on the visibility that the event *Brussels Conversations 2012* received in online media (websites of partners, cultural networks, cultural organisations, social networks etc.).

Each piece of documentation includes a link to the respective website, date and a screen shot. Appearances in newsletters and social media have been collected in a section at the end of the report.

<http://www.houseforculture.eu/page/20/brusselsconversations/>  
(November 2012)



## The European Festivals Association (EFA) on the Brussels Conversations:

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## Appearance in Partners of the European House for Culture for the Brussels Conversations

### "A Soul for Europe"

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#### Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe! Join in!

The Berlin Conference 2012 was the first of a series of three events dedicated to a Europe from the bottom-up under the title of "Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe". It will be followed by the Brussels Conversations [2012](#) by the partners of the European House for Culture [2012](#) on 16-18 November, and the Felix Meritis Foundation [2012](#)'s Amsterdam Conversation [2012](#) on 30 November.

Together they form "A Soul for Europe's" kick-off to the European Year of Citizens 2013! [»more](#)

#### WHAT'S UP

#### Amsterdam Conversations

30th November 2012, Amsterdam  
In the context of the *A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe*, Felix Meritis and partners present an international conference where the cultural dimension of citizenship will be examined with international experts and citizens. [»more](#)



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## European House for Culture invites to "Brussels Conversations" (16/17 November)

**Gent, Monday, 08-10-2012**

The European Festivals Association (EFA) joins forces with the European House for Culture and partners and invites for the Brussels Conversations 2012 on a Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe, taking place in Brussels on 16-17 November 2012. The 2-day conference will discuss the future of the European project and the citizen's role in making it a reality. As the initiator of the European House for Culture, EFA will take the occasion of the Brussels Conversation to present its 60th anniversary activities in a stimulating environment. Registration deadline: 1 November.



### News

 [Brussels Conversations \(16/17 November\) to discuss citizenship in Europe. Why should I care?](#)

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## ENCATC

<http://www.encatc.org/pages/index.php?id=7>

(15 November 2012)

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### News from ENCATC

Thursday, November 15, 2012 at 12:03 PM ✉ f t g+ ShareThis

LAST UPDATE! "A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe" // 16-17 NOV, Brussels



Join us at the Brussels Conversations 2012 on 16 and 17 November to discuss citizenship in Europe hosted by the Académie Royale de Langue et de Littérature Françaises de Belgique at the Palais des Académies (Place Ducale 1, 1000 Brussels) with the participation of 30 contributors and 140 participants.

We will go deeper into questions of Europe and its citizens: their collective creativity and power to create change are Europe's greatest natural resource and the Cultural Coalition calls to take this resource more seriously. "The democratic concept of citizenship has been radically changed by the rise of globalization and mass/social media, not only in Europe but all across the globe. The politicians, civil society leaders, and civic educators must all work together to reconfigure what it means to be part of the European community," says keynote speaker Alicja Gescinska .

The Brussels Conversations 2012 is part of the Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe which was kicked-off on 10 November in Berlin with the Berlin Conference 2012. The European House for Culture and its partners take up the results at the Brussels Conversations 2012.



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## Brussels Conversations 2012: A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe Conference, 16 – 17 November

Posted on  26 October 2012



EUNIC and the European House for Culture (EHfC) are pleased to announce the *Brussels Conversations 2012* on a Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe, taking place in Brussels on 16th and 17th of November 2012.

The *Brussels Conversations 2012* event is jointly organized with co-producers Marcel Hicter Association, the Access to Culture Platform, "A Soul for Europe" and the Philosophy Festival, as well as its partners EFA, ENCATC, EUNIC, and Felix Meritis. We would like you to take part in these conversations which are part of the kick-off of *A Soul for Europe's European Year of Citizens 2013*. We would like to support and extend, together with you, this European initiative to develop Citizenship in Europe.

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## Felix Meritis

<http://www.felix.meritis.nl/en/agenda/the-amsterdam-conversation-2012-the-cultural-dimension-of-citizenship/>  
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**Register [here](#).**  
Places are limited. Early registration is strongly suggested. Confirmation of your registration will be sent via e-mail as soon as possible. This email (printed or presented on a smart phone) will be your entrance ticket for the whole day and evening event.

*The Amsterdam Conversation 2012 is the third in a series of three events dedicated to a Europe from the bottom up. Together with the [Berlin Conference 2012](#), 10 November 2012 and the [Brussels Conversations 2012](#), 16 - 17 November 2012, they form the "A Soul for Europe's" civil society kick-off to the European Year of Citizens 2013.*

*Organised by "A Soul for Europe", Felix Meritis, the European House for Culture, Stiftung Zukunft Berlin, the Amsterdam-Maastricht Summer University and the partners of the [Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe](#).*

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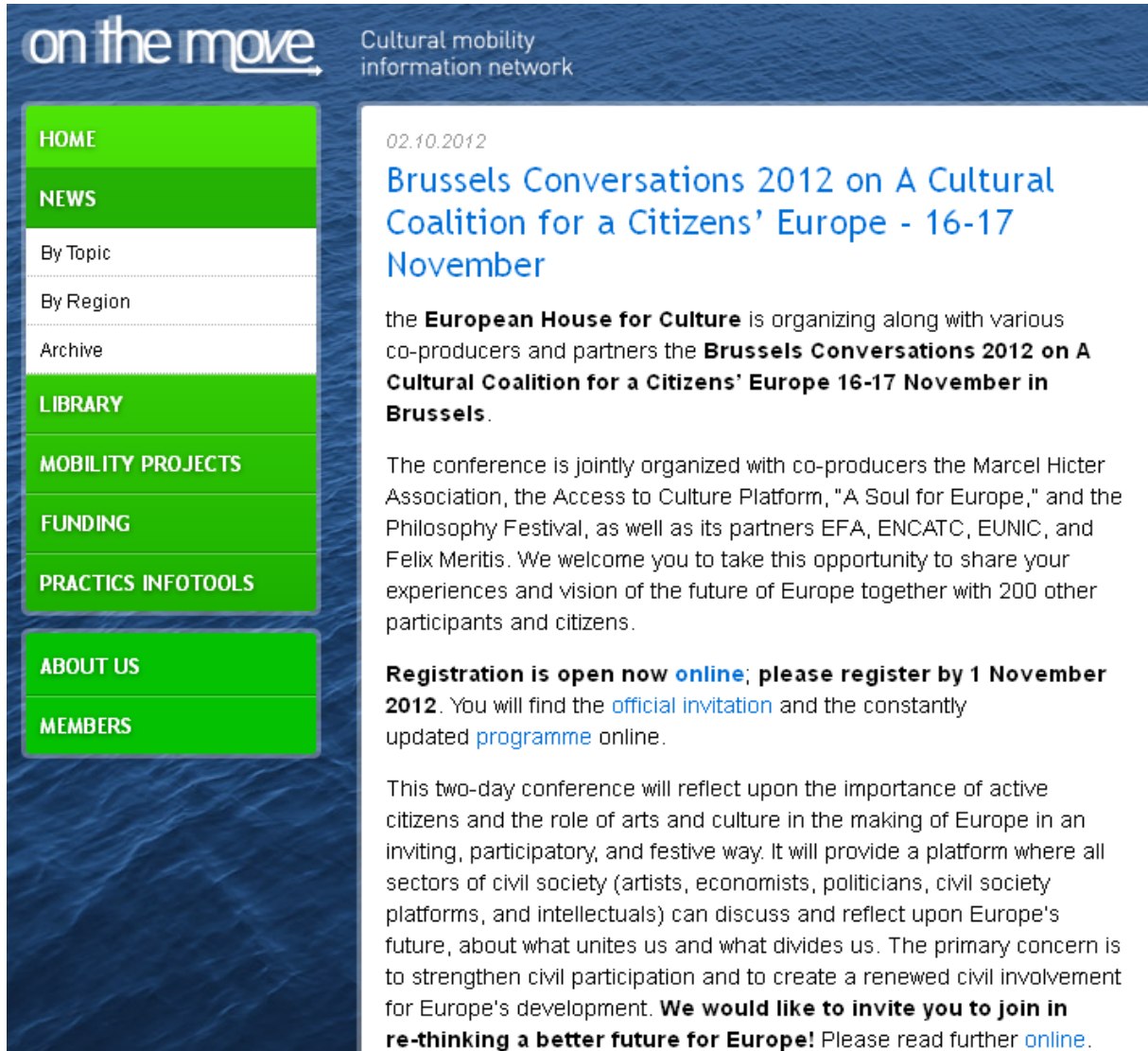
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### On the Move

<http://on-the-move.org/news/topic/article/15020/brussels-conversations-2012-on-a-cultural/?category=40>

(2 October 2012)



The screenshot shows the 'on the move' website with a blue background. The logo 'on the move' is in the top left, with the tagline 'Cultural mobility information network' to its right. A vertical navigation menu on the left contains links for HOME, NEWS, LIBRARY, MOBILITY PROJECTS, FUNDING, PRACTICES INFOTOOLS, ABOUT US, and MEMBERS. The NEWS section is expanded to show 'By Topic', 'By Region', and 'Archive'. The main content area features a news article dated 02.10.2012 with the title 'Brussels Conversations 2012 on A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe - 16-17 November'. The article text describes the event organized by the European House for Culture and lists co-producers and partners. It includes a registration notice and a concluding statement about the conference's purpose.

**on the move** Cultural mobility information network

02.10.2012

### Brussels Conversations 2012 on A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe - 16-17 November

the **European House for Culture** is organizing along with various co-producers and partners the **Brussels Conversations 2012 on A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe 16-17 November in Brussels**.

The conference is jointly organized with co-producers the Marcel Hicter Association, the Access to Culture Platform, "A Soul for Europe," and the Philosophy Festival, as well as its partners EFA, ENCATC, EUNIC, and Felix Meritis. We welcome you to take this opportunity to share your experiences and vision of the future of Europe together with 200 other participants and citizens.

**Registration is open now [online](#); please register by 1 November 2012.** You will find the [official invitation](#) and the constantly updated [programme](#) online.

This two-day conference will reflect upon the importance of active citizens and the role of arts and culture in the making of Europe in an inviting, participatory, and festive way. It will provide a platform where all sectors of civil society (artists, economists, politicians, civil society platforms, and intellectuals) can discuss and reflect upon Europe's future, about what unites us and what divides us. The primary concern is to strengthen civil participation and to create a renewed civil involvement for Europe's development. **We would like to invite you to join in re-thinking a better future for Europe!** Please read further [online](#).

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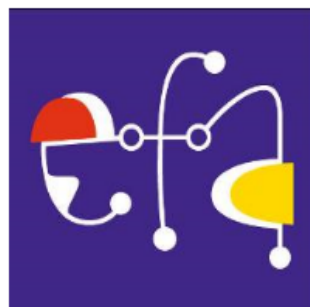
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## Register now: Brussels Conversations to take place on 16/17 November European House for Culture invites to "Brussels Conversations" (16/17 November)



The [European Festivals Association](#) (EFA) joins forces with the [European House for Culture](#) and partners and invites for the [Brussels Conversations 2012](#) on a Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe, taking place in Brussels on 16-17 November 2012. The 2-day conference will discuss the future of the European project and the citizen's role in making it a reality. As the initiator of the European House for Culture, EFA will take the occasion of the Brussels Conversation to present its 60th anniversary activities in a stimulating environment. [Registration deadline: 1 November.](#)



## IFACCA – International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies

<http://www.ifacca.org/events/2012/11/16/brussels-conversations-cultural-coalition-citizens/>  
(7 November 2012)

The screenshot shows the IFACCA website interface. At the top right, there are social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and YouTube, along with 'Log in' and 'Register' buttons. The IFACCA logo is on the left, with the text 'INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF ARTS COUNCILS AND CULTURE AGENCIES'. Below the logo is a navigation menu with items: 'What's New', 'What We Do', 'Who We Are', 'Membership', 'Links', and 'Contact Us'. The main content area features a section titled 'CONFERENCES AND EVENTS' with a link to 'Show latest news, more from November 2012.' The featured article is 'Brussels Conversations on a Cultural Coalition for a Citizen's Europe', organized by the 'European House for Culture' in 'Brussels, Belgium' from '16 November 2012 to 17 November 2012'. It includes a 'Share' button and social media icons. The article text begins: 'The 2-day conference will discuss the future of the European project and the citizen's role in making it a reality. Developing citizenship in Europe is one of the essential needs that should be addressed during the European Year of Citizens 2013 and the Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe believes that culture is the key to increasing this spirit of citizenship. The cultural backgrounds of European citizens are an integral part of a cultural process that will mark the change from national to European solutions to the complex'. To the right of the article is a 'WorldCP' sidebar with the text 'International Database of Cultural Policies', a search bar with a 'GO' button, a 'TRANSLATION' section with flags for Spain, France, Korea, and China, and a 'FIND' section with the text 'A world of information in the IFACCA Directory' and a world map graphic.



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## Conference: Brussels Conversations 2012

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**A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe. Join us for this two-day event featuring lectures, panel discussions, and workshops reflecting on the importance of active citizenship and the role of arts and culture for the future of Europe. The event will open with a discussion with Luuk van Middelaar, Political Philosopher and Author of *The passage to Europe: History of a Beginning*, and Raymond Weber among others.**

The *Brussels Conversations 2012* event is jointly organized with co-producers Marcel Hicter Association, the Access to Culture Platform, "A Soul for Europe" and the Philosophy Festival, as well as its partners EFA, ENCATC, EUNIC, and Felix Meritis. We would like you to take part in these conversations which are part of the kick-off of *A Soul for Europe's European Year of Citizens 2013*. We would like to support and extend, together with you, this European initiative to develop Citizenship in Europe. Online registration is now open on the [Brussels Conversations](#) page.

Please note the dates **16-17 November** in your calendars. **Registration is open now [online](#); please register by 1 November 2012.** You will find the [official invitation](#) and the constantly updated [programme](#) online.

Attendees will have the opportunity to hear Patrice Meyer-Bisch discuss the state of democracy and cultural rights in Europe while Alicja Gescinska will host a panel to discuss Europe's devaluation as a democratic project through the economic crisis. The panel will investigate the role of fear and resentment in this loss of democratic values, and the importance of learning from history to reverse this trend.

The *Brussels Conversations 2012 on A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe* continues the discussion which will begin at the [Berlin Conference 2012](#) by "A Soul for Europe" on 10 November and be continued at the [Amsterdam Conversations](#) by the Felix Meritis Foundation on 30 November.

what	■ conference
when	Nov 16, 2012 09:00 AM to Nov 17, 2012 05:00 PM
where	Palais des Académies, Brussels, BE
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## Register now: Brussels Conversations to take place on 16/17 November

European Festivals Association (EFA) | 11 oct 2012, 15:01



The **European House for Culture** is pleased to announce the **Brussels Conversations 2012** on a "Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe", taking place on **16 and 17 November in Brussels**. The conference is jointly organised with its co-producers the Marcel Hicter Association, the Access to Culture Platform, "A Soul for Europe," and the Philosophy Festival, as well as its partners: the European Festivals Association (EFA), ENCATC, EUNIC, and Felix Meritis. We welcome you to take this opportunity to share your experiences and vision of the future of Europe together with 200 other participants and citizens.

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### Discuss the 'Cultural Coalition for a citizens' Europe' - Brussels Conversations 2012



The European House for Culture and partners would like to take the opportunity to update you on the development of the Brussels Conversations 2012 to take place on 16-17 November at the Palais des Académies.  
What does European citizenship mean to you?

Following the vote of the European Parliament on 23 October 2012 to designate 2013 the European Year of Citizens, aiming to raise awareness of EU citizens' rights, the European House for Culture together with the Marcel Hicter Association, the Access to Culture Platform, "A Soul for Europe," and the Festival of Philosophy bring A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe to Brussels for the first Brussels Conversations 2012.

Discuss the 'Cultural Coalition for a citizens' Europe' !

The Académie Royale de Langue et de Littérature Françaises de Belgique will welcome us for this 2-day conference where we will discuss the future of the European project and the citizens' role in making it a reality. Developing citizenship in Europe is one of the essential needs that should be addressed during the European Year of Citizens 2013 and the Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe believes that culture can be a help, and the essential driver to increasing this spirit of belonging to a shared space of human values, rights and responsibilities. Please join us and the over 120 and rising participants that are already registered in discussing a citizen-led European future.

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## A Soul for Europe - Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe

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Now, more than ever, it is time for Europe to deepen the quality of its civil society. Rocked by a financial crisis on a scale never before imagined, Europe must act to rediscover its cultural values in

order to achieve a prosperous future for its citizens and the unification process. The Berlin Conference 2012 aims to take a stand by working to strengthen both the level of participation and the partnerships between European civil society, the European institutions, and European citizens. These partnerships should work together to foster positive European development, which can be achieved by motivating all parties to become actively involved in a "[Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe](#)" (PDF).

<http://ietm.org/news/register-now-brussels-conversations-take-place-1617-november>  
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11/10/2012 - Posted by EFA

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**BRUSSELS CONVERSATIONS**

**Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe**



The future of the European project and the citizens' role in it, discussed on 16-17 November at the Brussels Conversations on "A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe", organised by the European House for Culture and partners [» more](#)



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# BRUSSELS CONVERSATIONS

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16 novembre 2012  
19:00 →

## Adresse

Palais des Académies  
Rue Ducale 1  
1000 Bruxelles

## Ressource externe

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## BRUSSELS CONVERSATIONS

### UNE COALITION CULTURELLE POUR UNE EUROPE DES CITOYENS

Une initiative de la *European House for Culture* en collaboration avec l'Association Marcel Hicter, la plate-forme *Access to Culture*, l'organisme *A Soul for Europe* et le *Festival of Philosophy*.

Cette conférence de 2 jours lancera le débat sur l'avenir du projet européen et le rôle du citoyen à en faire une réalité. Le développement de la citoyenneté en Europe est l'un des besoins essentiels, et la culture est une clé essentielle pour développer cet esprit de citoyenneté.

Les conférences et ateliers dans cette rencontre iront au-delà de la discussion théorique, juridique ou philosophique, pour voir dans quelle mesure la citoyenneté ainsi que sa composante culturelle, peut se mettre en œuvre au quotidien.



## Brussels Kunstenoverleg

<http://www.brusselskunstenoverleg.be/nl/agenda/encatc-en-european-house-culture-brussels-conversations-2012-cultural-coalition-citizens>

(November 2012)



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## ENCATC en European House for Culture | Brussels Conversations 2012 on a Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe

**Van 16/11/2012 19:00 tot 17/11/2012 18:30**

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## Taku

[http://taku.fi/tapahtumia/brussels\\_conversations\\_2012\\_on\\_a\\_cultural\\_coalition\\_for\\_citizens\\_europe.1910.news](http://taku.fi/tapahtumia/brussels_conversations_2012_on_a_cultural_coalition_for_citizens_europe.1910.news)

(16 November 2012)

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Taku website. The header features the Taku logo and navigation buttons for 'ETUSIVU', 'TAKU RY', 'JÄSENILLE', 'AJANKOHTAISTA', 'LOMAKKEET', 'LINKIT', 'TAPAHTUMIA', 'YHTEYSTIEDOT', and 'HAKU'. A search bar is located in the top right corner. The main content area displays a news article titled 'BRUSSELS CONVERSATIONS 2012 ON A CULTURAL COALITION FOR CITIZENS' EUROPE'. The article text describes the coalition's aim to strengthen participation and role of European civil society. On the right side, there are two call-to-action buttons: 'LIITY TAKUUN' and 'ANNA PALAUTETTA'. The footer of the article mentions ENCATC and the European House for Culture (EHfC) as organizers.

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16.11.2012

## BRUSSELS CONVERSATIONS 2012 ON A CULTURAL COALITION FOR CITIZENS' EUROPE

The Coalition aims to strengthen the level of participation and role of European civil society in European development. The conference will discuss the challenges that lie ahead of us – democracies at risk in various parts of Europe, nationalistic tendencies, fear of the other, which are particularly seen and understood as cultural phenomena.

**Brussels Conversations 2012  
on  
A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe  
A 2-Day Conference – 16 & 17 November**

ENCATC and the European House for Culture (EHfC) are pleased to announce the *Brussels Conversations 2012 on a Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe*, taking

LIITY TAKUUN

ANNA PALAUTETTA

## Appearances in newsletters

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(October 2012)

### REMA Newsletter - From Club to Tool

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### **European Festivals Association**

#### **European House for Culture invites to "brussels conversations" (16/17 November)**

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[Registration](#) deadline: 1 November 2012.

#### **5th Atelier for Young Festival Managers LJUBLJANA 2012: intense exclusive training and high-level public events**

The [Atelier for Young Festival Managers LJUBLJANA 2012](#) - initiated by EFA and hosted by the [Ljubljana Festival](#) - takes place from 14 to 21 October. It follows its core mission to offer to 31 emerging artistic festival directors from 21 countries an exclusive training schedule, thoroughly developed in cooperation with eight experienced festival managers from all over the world. Public events include the official opening ceremony with a keynote speech by internationally renowned Australian festival director Robyn Archer, a press conference with focus on the Atelier, a new EFA publication as well as EFA's and Ljubljana Festival's Diamond Jubilees, and a closing session with festival icon Gerard Mortier.



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**Brussels Conversation 2012: A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe Conference, 16 - 17 November**

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# ENCATC NEWS

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## NEWS DIGEST

### A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe

Dear Members,  
Dear Colleagues,

allow and push us to re-evaluate  
these concepts, thus strengthening  
democracy and human rights.

Dear Colleagues,

ENCATC invites you to attend "A Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe" Conference to be held in Brussels from 16-17 November 2012. This two-day event is produced by the European House for Culture, the Marcel Hicter Foundation, the Access to Culture Platform, and a Soul for Europe in partnership with the European Festivals Association, ENCATC, EUNIC and Felix Meritis to discuss the future of the European project and the citizen's role in making it a reality.

Developing citizenship in Europe is one of the essential needs that should be addressed during the European Year of Citizens 2013. "Through its engagement in this event, ENCATC and the conference organisers believe culture is the key to increasing this spirit of citizenship."

these concepts, thus strengthening  
democracy and human rights.  
Together we will examine the  
applicability of general concepts and  
specific topics within the scope of the  
cultural component of citizenship.

The discussions will establish a link between culture and citizenship and the crises that are currently affecting Europe: financial, economic, social, environmental, as well as a "loss of direction." Speakers will discuss the "Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe" and its role in developing the future of Europe. In the midst of these crises, investigate the state of democracy and cultural rights in Europe, revealing how the active involvement of citizens can be the basis for all future development at the local, national, European and global levels, and explore the role of fear and resentment in the decline of civic values.

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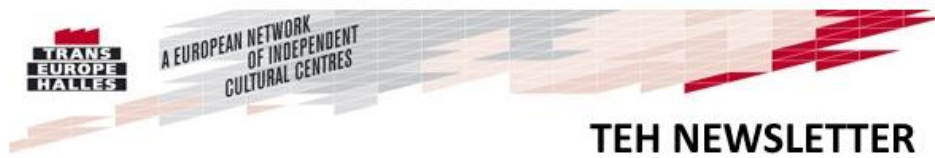
Gemma Papió Montserrat

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## Memo Newsletter

(5 November 2012)

### MemoOct

A memo sent to correspondents, friends and acquaintances of the Budapest Observatory (BO) in October 2012

This newsletter went to 3261 addresses. It is up to you to remain or quit.

#### Fields of manoeuvre

Preparations for the next seven years in the European Union are taking place on several fronts. Outstanding are the labours on the future of the Structural Funds, and about the final shape of the coming Creative Europe programme.

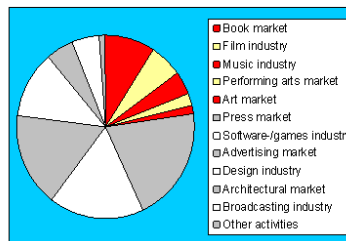
The expansion of the culture sector by annexing the creative industries has been topical for nearly twenty years now. The other issue has lately gained momentum: the self-centric penchants of the sector have increasingly given way to emphasising the social impact of culture, manifested by a strong focus on [audience development](#).

EU	Structural Funds	Creative Europe
Creativity annexation	✓	✓
Sector extraversion	✓	✓

All these have found various manifestations in the past weeks.

#### Expansion fever

The same source, from which we [illustrated](#) our warning about the indiscriminate use of the term "cultural and creative sector" has [reconfirmed now](#) that culture represents about a fifth or fourth in the expanded remit. (Turnover shares of the various branches of cultural and creative industries in Germany in 2010.)



When citing those impressive figures about the creative sector, better avoid sounding like the mouse telling the elephant: "Wow, we are making this bridge shake!"

#### The next bridge

And here comes the [next challenge](#) of the same nature:

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**PLATFORM FOR  
INTERCULTURAL EUROPE**

# Newsbulletin #3

October 2012

Editorial

From conflict to interculturalism: The role of the arts in Northern Ireland. 6th Intercultural Practice Exchange in November

From cultural institutions to intercultural spaces. Launch into OMC phase II

The contribution of migrants to EU growth. 8th European Integration Forum, 16/17th October

News from PIE Members



(9 November 2012)

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## NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER 2012

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### RELATED INDUSTRY NEWS

#### EUROPEAN FESTIVALS ASSOCIATION

##### Brussels Conversations To Take Place On 16/17 November

The European House for Culture presents the *Brussels Conversations 2012* on a **"Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe"**, taking place on 16/17 November in Brussels. The 2-day conference will reflect upon the importance of active citizens and **the role of arts and culture in the making of Europe** in an inviting, participatory, and festive way. It will provide a platform where all sectors of civil society can discuss and reflect upon Europe's future, about what unites us and what divides us.

The Brussels Conversations is the second in a series of three events in the framework of the Cultural Coalition for a Citizens' Europe. Together they form "A Soul for Europe's" kick-off to the European Year of Citizens 2013. The series includes the Berlin Conference 2012 by "A Soul for Europe" on 10 November, the Brussels Conversations 2012 by the partners of the European House for Culture on 16-17 November, and the Amsterdam

#### EUROPEAN MUSIC COUNCIL

##### 3rd European Forum On Music 18 – 21 April 2013 | Glasgow, Scotland

The EMC organises its 3rd European Forum on Music in cooperation with the Scottish Music Centre. The Forum will be hosted from 18 to 21 April 2013 in the UNESCO City of Music Glasgow. Pete Wishart, Scottish MP and former keyboarder of the band Runrig has been confirmed as keynote speaker. The conference will take place in the Grand Central Hotel.

More information soon available at [emc-imc.org](http://emc-imc.org)!

If you have any questions beforehand, please contact the EMC's office [info@emc-imc.org](mailto:info@emc-imc.org).



#### IASJ JAZZ MEETING 2013

##### 29 June – 5 July 2013 | Herning-Aarhus, Denmark

Starting in Herning and continuing in Aarhus, the 23th IASJ (International Association of Schools of Jazz) Jazz Meeting takes place from 29 June to 5 July. After a successful 2012 edition in Graz, Austria, more than 100 jazz musicians in all stages of their musical career are expected to participate in the IASJ Jazz Meeting in Denmark 2013...

As a special highlight, bands formed by the participants will perform in the final concerts on 4 and 5 July in the concert hall of the Royal Conservatory of Aarhus.

Invitations were extended to members of the IASJ. Visitors are welcome!

## Appearance on Blogs

Prasino: Steve Green Cultural Chronicle

<http://prasino.eu/>

(6 November 2012)

# Prasino

Steve Green's cultural chronicle

## Unity through Conferences

It's November and the conference season in full swing across Europe. Austerity and cuts may be the dominant reality but Europe's cultural cosmopolitans have their boarding passes at the ready.

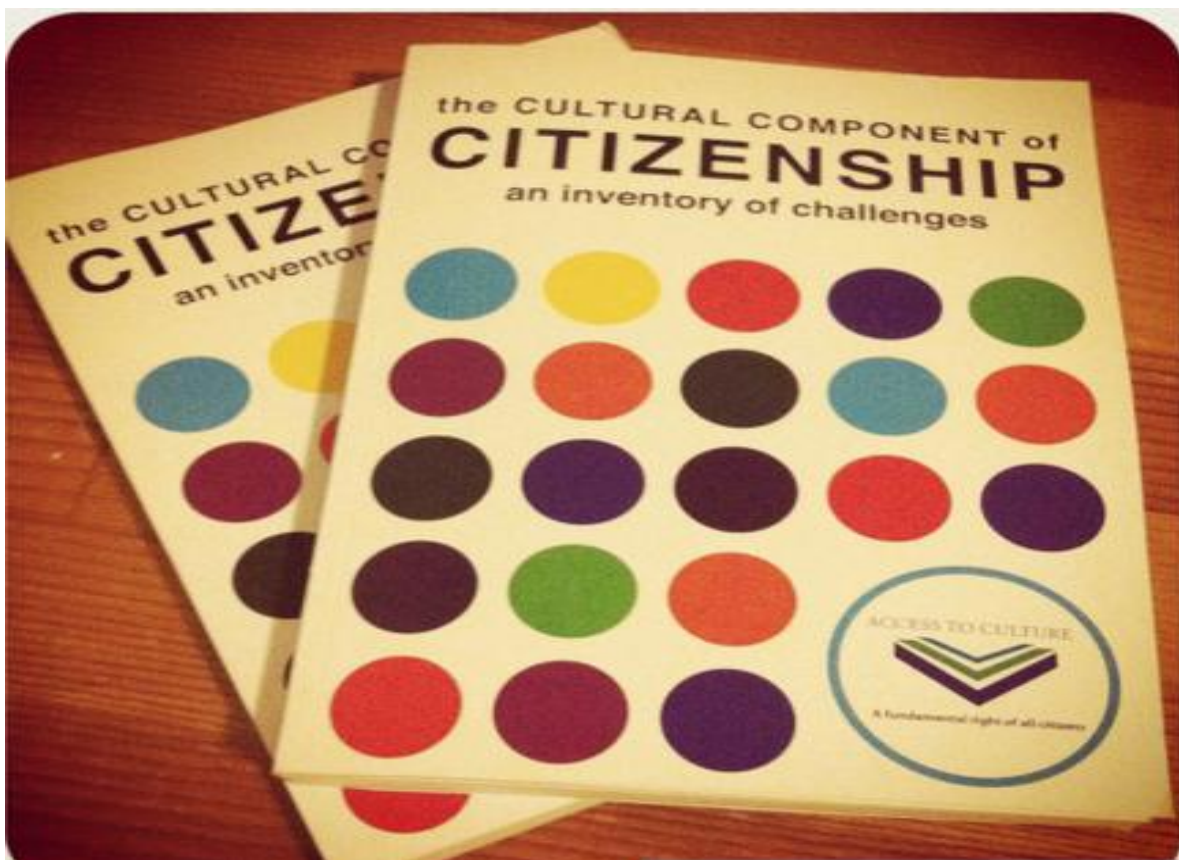
The ever-welcome newsletter of the [Platform for Intercultural Europe \(PIE\)](#) sets the scene. Conferences in [Belfast](#), [Brussels](#), [Turin](#), [Vilnius](#), [Helsinki](#), [Brussels](#) (again), [Cosenza](#), and [Kobuleti](#); and that's just November. Amidst this cornucopia of lanyards, name tags and lost luggage two themes emerge, the ever-changing make-up of European societies and how "culture" can, or should, solve Europe's problems.

## myculturalpostcards

*culturally mobile and driven...*

### Talking about European cultural citizenship

November 21, 2012 · by myculturalpostcards



On the 16th and 17th of November 2012, I participated at the **Brussels Conversations** an initiative by the **House of Culture** aiming to highlight the cultural component of (our) european citizenship.

## Appearances in Social Media

### Twitter

<https://twitter.com/EFA60/status/266170706205749248>

(7 November 2012)

**EFA Festival Network** @EFA60 Volgen

Brussels Conversations 2012 (16/17 November) promising high-level exchange about a citizens' Europe -...  
[fb.me/1GIy9BDgU](http://fb.me/1GIy9BDgU)

← Beantwoorden ↻ Retweeten ★ Toevoegen aan favorieten

7 november 12 om 5:30 's ochtends · Deze tweet embedden

Personen

Populaire afbeeldingen en video's  
Deze resultaten bevatten media die is gedeeld door personen die je niet volgt.

Foto weergeven

**MAMR** @mamr\_bxl 17 november  
Brussels Conversations 2012-Culture Coaliton 4 Citizen's Europe.Fostering Citizenship & Democracy in EU throught culture.  
[#CulturalCoalition](#)  
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## Twitter

<http://twitter.com/labforculture/status/268014076049883138>

(12 November 2012)

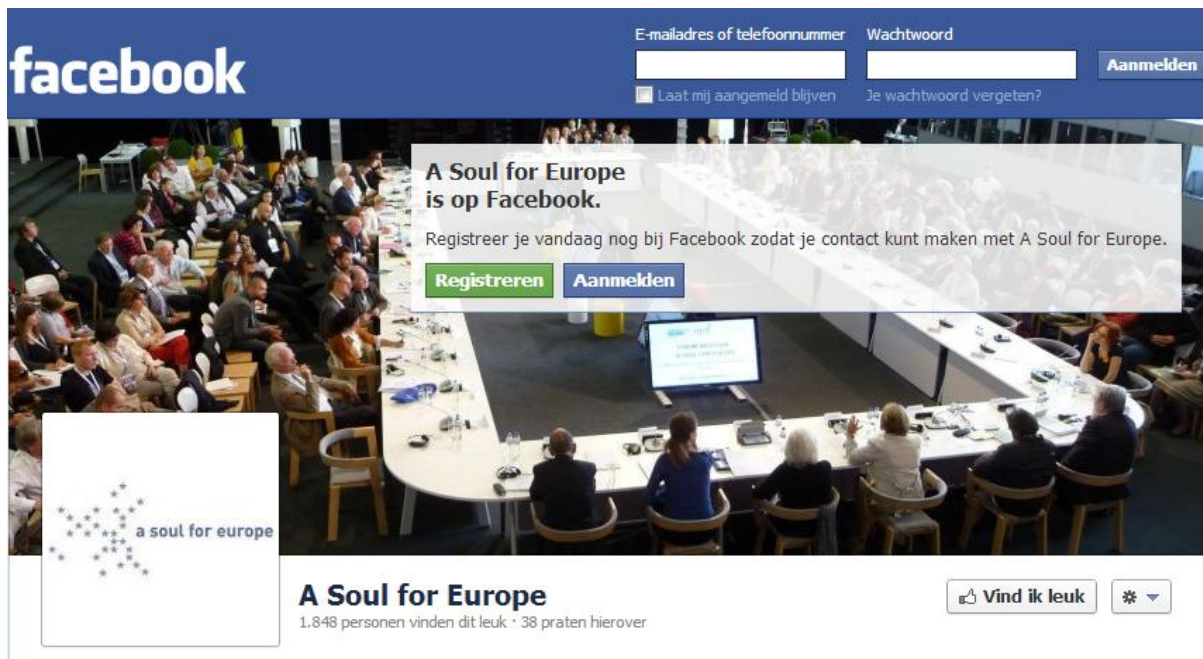


The image is a screenshot of a Twitter post. On the left side, there is a grey vertical bar containing the text "Labfor Culture .org" in a stylized font. The main content area is white and contains the following information:

- Profile: LabforCulture (@labforculture) with a "Volgen" (Follow) button.
- Text of the tweet: "Brussels Conversations 16-17 November: A #Cultural Coalition for a #Citizens' #Europe - Culture is the key! [ow.ly/fdyhT](http://ow.ly/fdyhT) @EFA60"
- Interaction options: "Beantwoorden" (Reply), "Retweeten" (Retweet), and "Toevoegen aan favorieten" (Add to Favorites).
- Retweets: "4 RETWEETS" with a list of users who retweeted, including "Skills Quality" and others.
- Timestamp: "12 november 12 om 7:35 's ochtends" (12 November 2012 at 7:35 AM).
- Footer: "Deze tweet embedden" (Embed this tweet).

## Facebook

<http://nl-nl.facebook.com/asfeurope>  
15 November 2012)

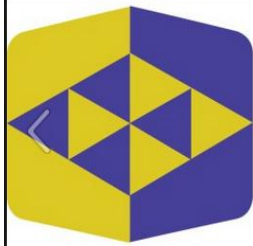


The image shows a screenshot of a Facebook post. At the top, the Facebook navigation bar is visible with the logo and login fields for 'E-mailadres of telefoonnummer' and 'Wachtwoord', along with an 'Aanmelden' button. Below the navigation bar is a large photograph of a conference room with many people seated around a long table. Overlaid on the photo is a white text box with the text: 'A Soul for Europe is op Facebook. Registreer je vandaag nog bij Facebook zodat je contact kunt maken met A Soul for Europe.' Below this text are two buttons: 'Registreren' (green) and 'Aanmelden' (blue). To the left of the photo is a profile picture of 'A Soul for Europe', which consists of a cluster of small grey dots forming a shape similar to the European Union flag. Below the profile picture, the name 'A Soul for Europe' is displayed, followed by the text '1.848 personen vinden dit leuk · 38 praten hierover'. To the right of the name are two buttons: 'Vind ik leuk' (with a thumbs-up icon) and a dropdown menu icon.

Our partner, the House for Culture in Brussels, is hosting the second in our chain of November events for a Cultural Coalition for a citizens' Europe. We are looking forward to two days of intense debates!

Brussels Conversations 16/17 November - all info at  
[www.houseforculture.eu/page/20/Brussels%20Conversations%202012](http://www.houseforculture.eu/page/20/Brussels%20Conversations%202012)

# BRUSSELS CONVERSATION 2012



# BRUSSELS CONVERSATIONS 2012



European Festivals Association (EFA) 15 novembre


Brussels Conversations 16/17 November - all info at [www.houseforculture.eu/page/20/Brussels%20Conversations%202012](http://www.houseforculture.eu/page/20/Brussels%20Conversations%202012)

A Kathrin Deventer, György Pretz e Ben Schofield piace questo elemento.


4 condivisioni


## Facebook


<http://www.facebook.com/events/330313427067778/?ref=nf>  
(November 2012)

  
 Laat mij aangemeld blijven

[Registreren](#) Maak contact en deel met de mensen in je leven.

**Europe for Citizens**

**Deelnemers (1)**  
 Manfred Jakoby

**Misschien (1)**  
 Tosca Campati

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### Conversations on Europe: Amsterdam, Berlin, Brussels


Openbaar evenement · Door Felix Meritis

vrijdag 30 november 2012 3:30 tot 8:30

Citizenship, citizens' initiatives and the culture of democracy: a matter of trial and error?

International cooperation between Berlin, Brussels and Amsterdam.

Opened by Professor Ferenc Miszlivetz (Director of the Institute for Social and European Studies, University of Western Hungary) with a lecture: Illusions and Realities, the metamorphosis of civil society in a new European space. Jacques Monasch (Member of House of Representatives) comments on this lecture. Guests from all over Europe and the audi...[Lees verder](#)



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