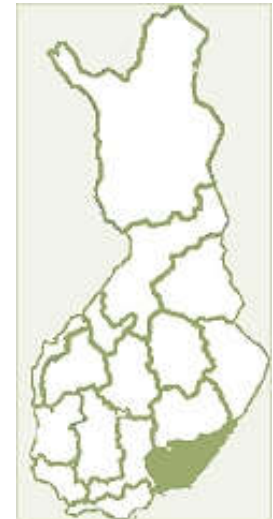


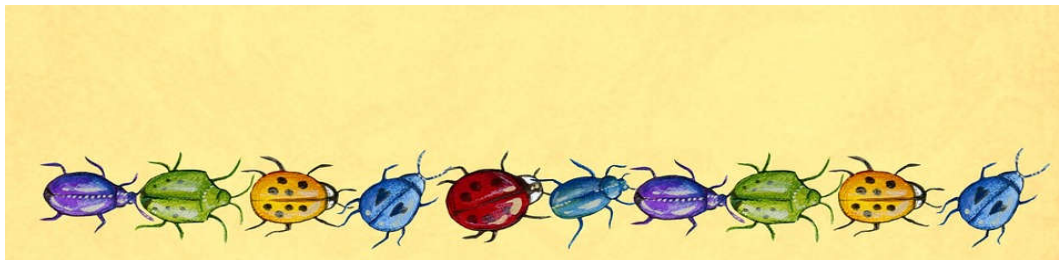
Network of Creative Industries in South East Finland

- Consisting two provinces: South Karelia and Kymenlaakso (main cities Lappeenranta and Imatra, Kotka and Kouvola)
- Network of public sector's service providers and entrepreneurs
 - cities, universities, educational institutes, companies, associations
- Established and coordinated by ELY Center of South East Finland (The Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment)



Network of Creative Industries in South East Finland

- Sharing actual information about events, financing possibilities (CreMA, Digi, OKM grants)
- Sharing best practices and future prospects
- Cooperation in communication and promoting creative businesses in the area
- F2f meetings about 3 times a year
- Culture newsletter about twice a year, spring and autumn



Culture newsletter of Network of Creative Industries in South East Finland

- Latest news about creative industries projects and activities
- Information about financing possibilities
- Actual events, trainings
- Culture news and promoting of culture in SE Finland



NCI SEFIN Belongs to national organizations

Culture Finland

Creative and Inclusive Finland – is active national network promoting and developing ESF projects dealing with creative capabilities and inclusive know-how. On top of that network compiles and disseminates knowledge of creative and inclusive industries and tries to increase coverage, effectiveness, profitability nationwide.

<http://www.cifinland.fi/>

6 milj euros for Finnish-Estonian Cultural Foundation Finnish government includes 6 M€ donation to 2018 budget for the capital of Finnish-Estonian Cultural Foundation. The foundation promotes culture and art related networking and cooperation between Finland and Estonia, mutual lingual abilities and economic activity related to cultural activities. The Finnish-Estonian Cultural Foundation was established in 2015.



Wirma Lappeenranta Business Services

- Free services for startups and companies: consultancy, events, trainings, networking
- Invest in services
- Development of businesses
- Development of business environment
- Vivid creative industries business environment
- Examples of Wirma's customers in creative industries



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National funding for creative industries

- CreMa

- Financing is for combining creative industries and other industries know-how and development of business models
- Support for new product and service development projects, mixing capabilities of industries
- 250 000€ in 2017 for 20-30 projects, once a year, dl 30.9.
- 60% of total costs, co-financing can include staff costs

- Creademo

- For creative industries and culture entrepreneurship projects
- About 550 000€ / year, dl 28.2.
- Concept, demo, proto, pilot project supports

- Digidemo

- Cultural digital content product development for professionals
- About 800 000€ twice a year, dl in the end of October and March



South-East Finland – Russia CBC 2014-2020

Calls for proposals from the South-East Finland – Russia CBC 2014-2020 opened on 30 January 2017. Grant Contracts for the awarded projects may be signed only after the ratification of the funding agreement.

The third call for proposals will be closed on 28th of March 2018.

- Business and SME development
Priority 1: Lively, active and competitive economy
- Support to education, research, technological development and innovation
Priority 2: Innovative, skilled and well-educated area
- Environmental protection, climate change adaptation and disasters prevention/management
Priority 3: Attractive, clean environment and region
- Promotion of border management and border security
Priority 4: Well-connected region

Interreg Baltic Sea Region

- Third call: planned to be opened in autumn 2017
- 3 Priorities:
 - Capacity for innovation
 - Efficient management of natural resources
 - Transport
- 75% for Finnish, 85% for Estonian
- Each project has to involve at least three project partners from three different countries of the programme area: a lead partner and at least two project partners. Lead partners must be located in the territory of a Member State in the Programme area or in Norway.



Thank you!

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