

**CoNNECTOR** Connecting and Empowering Young Balkans' Artists

## Are you a young artist wondering

## how to build your carrier?

Do you want to learn how to create your professional portfolio?

Do you want to **find** where to look for **funds** for young artists and to learn how to apply for **grants?** 

Do you want to **network** with young artists and **create** projects together?

Join us in Project "Connector" created for

Young Artists in Bosnia and Herzegovina and Kosovo

We offer one year free mentorship and non-formal education for

20 young artists

art≰ngle Balkans Culture Development launches project "Connector – Empowering Young Balkans' Artists" in Bosnia and Herzegovina and Kosovo. The project aims to strengthen professional capacities of young artists through different forms of non-formal education, mentorship program and networking. It is designed to increase communication and collaboration between artists, identify and bridge gaps in the existing education system, and elevate the importance of art in shaping society.

Young artists willing to develop their artistic practice are invited to join the project and to work on:

- establishment of an online service platform for young artists
- co-creation of the mentorship program
- initiation of the co-artistic creation between young artists
- creation of the public promotion of young artists
- initiation of the Fund for Young Artists

The young artists will receive adequate support in these above mentioned activities from mentors, experts and artangle.

Students of art (visual art, music, performing arts, literature) in their final year of education and artists who have graduated between September 2012 and September 2015 are eligible to apply.

Applicants are invited to send a Motivation Letter (1 page), a short CV/biography, and up to 3 links to their representative artistic works (personal websites, online portfolios, online video or music, etc.) to <u>connector@artanglebalkans.net</u>

The selection of the young artists is primarily based on the Motivation Letter which should cover the following three topics: what do I as young artist expect from the project; how do I see myself in the project and what does art mean to me. Application deadline is December 10<sup>th</sup> 2015.



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