

‘Projects and Initiatives’ Listing Template

Name for the initiative: European “Culture and Innovation” network along the Danube river axe

Background:

- Protocols and work-programs of the 5-th and 6-th session of the Commission Bulgaria -Baden-Württemberg, 2010 and 2012;
- Partnerships agreement between 9 Bulgarian NGO’s and institutions, 13.12.2010;
- Cooperation agreement between the municipality of Ellwangen and the Ministry of Culture, Republic Bulgaria, 10.08.2012;
- Integrated plan for urban rehabilitation and development of the city of Ruse funded by the EU Operational Program “Regional development”, 2013 - (BG161PO001/1.4-07/2010/001);
- Memorandum of understanding between the Ruse municipality and the Giurgiu municipality (Euroregion Ruse-Giurgiu), 02.07.2013;
- The existing facilities both cultural centers in Ruse and Ellwangen:

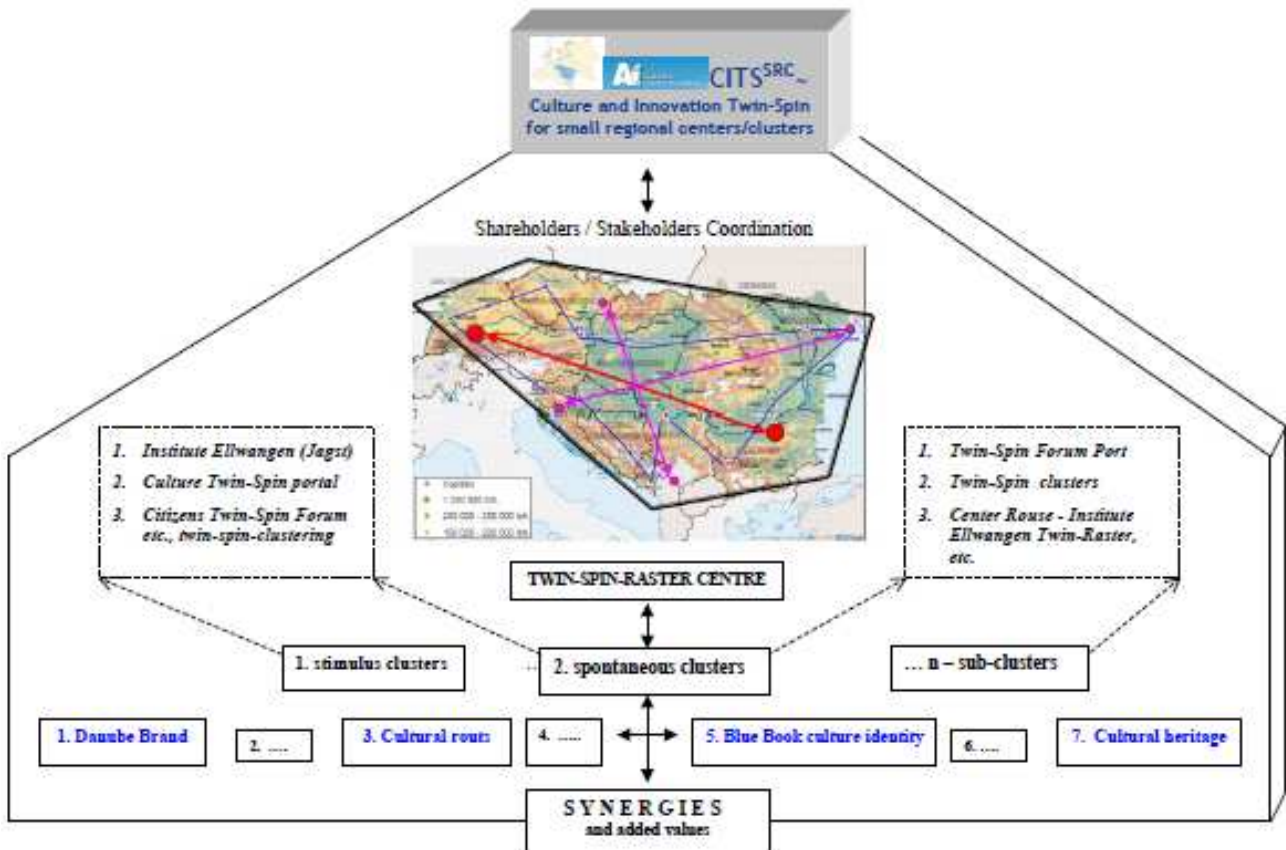


Project Name: CITS^{SRC} ~ Culture and Innovation Twin - Spin for small regional centers/clusters

Website: www.alliance-bg.org (direct link: http://www.alliance-bg.org/projects_en.html)

Coordinating Organization(s) / Institution(s): Alliance for Environment, Bulgaria; ASDE Ecoregions, Bulgaria; Municipality of Rouse, Bulgaria; Municipality of Ellwangen, Baden Württemberg, BRD; City Archive of Ellwangen, Baden Württemberg, BRD;

Short description:



Based on the existing Southeast European Culture Institute in Palais Adelman in Ellwangen and the Center for Culture and Innovation in “L.Karavelov” Bibliotheca in Rouse, a raster network for twinning and spinning of cultural-historic innovative activities will be develop, focused on citizens from smaller communities. Both German and Bulgarian centers from the Upper and Lower Danube aims to be the starting point for a larger network of similar centers in the whole Danube region. This grid will support the creation of stimulus, spontaneous and other kind of clusters for culture and innovation.

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