

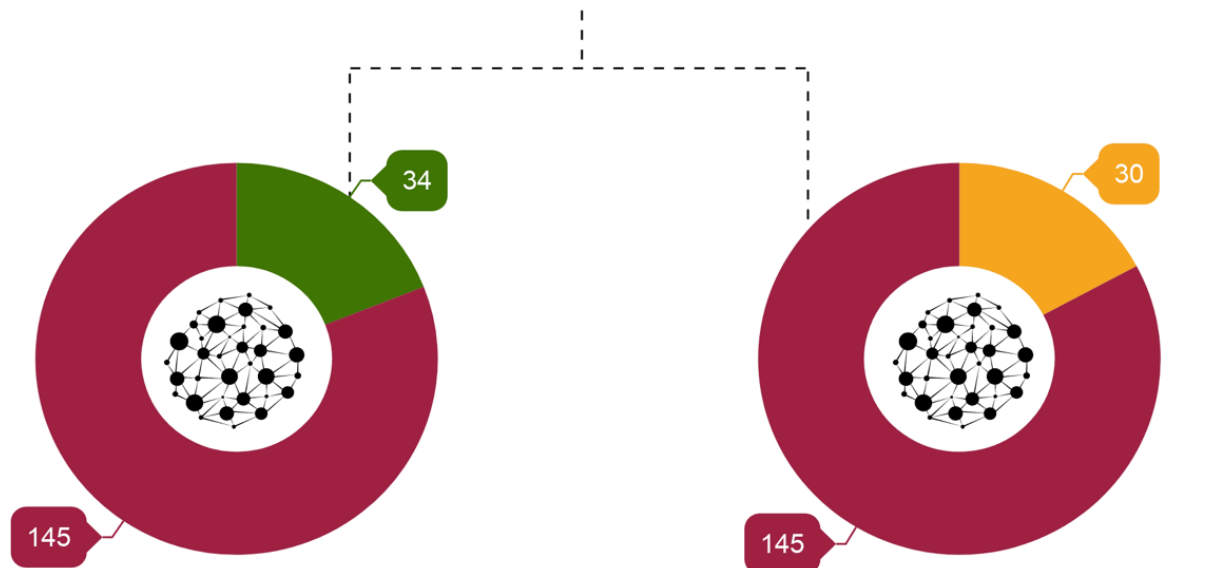




**PUT CULTURE
AT THE HEART
OF PUBLIC
DEBATE
AND DECISION
MAKING**

CULTURE ACTION EUROPE

NETWORK OF NETWORKS



23.4% of Culture Action Europe members are transnational networks

20.6% of Culture Action Europe members are national networks

We give voice to over **80 000** cultural operators

CULTURE ACTION EUROPE IS A COMMUNITY



AGENDA FOR CULTURE

GUIDING POLICY PRINCIPLES

Hubs in eight European countries and 527 people engaged in an open real-time online conversation

BELONGING AND BECOMING

A cultural response to the White Paper on the future of Europe and the accompanying reflection papers



1. Take **the cultural ecosystem as a whole** and move beyond narrow dichotomies. Ensure a **balanced approach between priorities, recognising synergies** across cultural sectors given the increasing **hybridisation**
2. Give a response to the emergence of **new cultural diversities** by enhancing intercultural dialogue and **mobility of cultural actors**
3. Cross-cutting developments: **Safeguard cultural rights and freedom of artistic expression; Enhance synergies between education and culture (STEAM)** in lifelong learning approach



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4. A **holistic and coordinated strategy to mainstreaming culture** and cross-overs. Need of greater policy coherence and to consider culture as a whole.
5. Strengthen the strategy for international cultural relations **promoting civil society involvement and mobility of cultural operators** through adequate visa systems and schemes
6. Foster **new approaches to data collection** given that a new divide is emerging between the public sector, increasingly poor in data and information, and the information-rich digital operators



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