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SMART TRANSFORMATION LECTURES:

Open Dual Lecture Series Invitation For Nominations

Dear Transform4Europe Alliance partners,

within the scope of the Transform4Europe project, the Estonian Academy of Arts is pleased to announce the next **Open Dual Lecture: "Dissonant Heritage: Re-evaluating the Soviet Legacies"**.

The lecture will be held on the **17th of October 2023** in Tallinn. Estonian Academy of Arts is looking for a representative from **academic field** from partner universities, to be entrusted with a lectureship activity to be held in Tallinn!

The dual lecture will explore both local and transnational aspects of dissonant heritage in relation to Soviet legacies. Since Russia's full-scale invasion on Ukraine in February 2022, Russian political behaviour, both in present and past, has been discussed across Europe and beyond

as never before, including scrutinising Soviet and Russian-related heritage as one of the reactions to the aggression. This has resulted in creating new and opening up old conflicts between different communities. On the other hand, the situation gives a much needed opportunity for countries and memory groups to acknowledge their collective suppressed conflicts, provoking discussions that had been put on hold for decades. In this delicate process, transregional exchange of comparative experiences is substantial, paving the way for balanced discussions and cross-disciplinary expertise on heritage protection.

The objectives of the lectures are:

- ✓ encourage the academia-industry dialogue;
- ✓ define knowledge and know-how transfer methodologies;
- ✓ professional update and growth;
- ✓ strengthening of the bonds among institutional partners.

The Estonian Academy of Arts will grant an attendance **remuneration of 500€** and will cover the **travel and accommodation expenses** for the day of the lecture. The University ensures equal opportunities, treatment and access to all candidates regardless of their sex, race, color, ethnic or social origin, genetic features, language, religion or belief, political or any other opinion, membership of a national minority, property, birth, disability, age or sexual orientation.

The lecturer must be nominated by a partner university that will submit the documentation by e-mail within the **deadline of October 9, 2023** to the address pille.epner@artun.ee using the nomination form available in the dedicated section of the Transform4Europe website. Attached to the application form, the following documents must be provided:

- curriculum vitae;
- copy of an ID document.

The nominations will be examined by a Selection Committee appointed by the Rector and made of three representatives: one professor from Transform4Europe Universities, one student identified among the students' ambassadors of the University and one representative of the stakeholders identified among the stakeholders list of the University itself. This Committee will meet physically or virtually and will produce a ranking based on evaluation of the curriculum vitae.

All applicants need to have:

- citizenship from a region of the Transform4Europe alliance other than the hosting University;
- demonstrated experience in the fields of digital transformation, sustainability or societal challenges;
- fluent spoken English.

The evaluation of the nominations will assess the previous experience in the subject identified for the lectures and also previous experiences as conference speaker, lecturer or teacher (at university level).

The maximum evaluation will be 30 points subdivided in three areas:

- ✓ maximum 15 points for the demonstrated experience in one of the fields required;
- ✓ maximum 10 points for the demonstrated skills and previous experiences as speaker, lecturer or teacher;
- ✓ maximum 5 points for the interview.

Within 7 working days from the date of publication of the ranking, the selected lecturer must confirm to pille.epner@artun.ee the acceptance of the mobility indicating in the e-mail subject "Transform4Europe mobility acceptance". In case of missing confirmation, the candidate will be excluded and the place will be taken by the candidate following in ranking.

The lecturer must provide the personal data needed to fill in the documents connected with the assignment from the Estonian Academy of Arts.