

## **MArteLive Europe 2022. Unleash your talent!**

### *Press Release*

#### **A once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for young and emerging artists**

It's on! International visibility, freedom of expression, no glass ceilings - **MArteLive is about to change the future of art.**

Supported by the **Creative Europe Programme of the European Union**, this new **contest-festival** will enable **thousands of young European artists to showcase their talent, win prizes and network** with fellow artists and high profile professionals.

**MArtelive** represents a truly exceptional chance to **live an unforgettable experience**: selected artists will perform in **Online Auditions**, take part in **Semifinal Shows** and **Art Residencies** in different European countries, and be crowned in the great **Final Show in Rome, Italy**.

#### **A total overview of the world of art**

**MArteLive** is open to a wide range of artists, featuring **16 Artistic Disciplines**: Music, Dj and Producer, Theater, Dance, Contemporary Circus, Literature, Painting and Drawing, Sculpture, Photography, Digital Illustration, Street-Art, Fashion Design, Handicraft, Short Film, Music Video, Video Art.

#### **The Contest**

The MArteLive Contest is open to artists between 18 to 35, European residents or citizens. It follows a 4-step process of selection, running both online and live.

##### **STEP 1 - CALL FOR ARTISTS**

Participants apply on [www.martelive.eu](http://www.martelive.eu)

##### **STEP 2 - ONLINE AUDITIONS**

MArtelive selects the best 10 artists for each Artistic Discipline. Their work will be showcased during **online auditions**. Artists are evaluated by both **qualified juries and the audience**.

##### **STEP 3 - SEMI-FINAL SHOWS**

Spectacular live events where the best 3 artists, for each of the 16 Artistic Disciplines, perform all together: a **unique experience** for both the artists and the audience.

**Semifinal Shows** take place in **Tuzla (Bosnia and Herzegovina)** and **Krakow (Poland)**. The winners from each Area get a **cash prize and fly to Rome** for the European Final Show.

##### **STEP 4 - EUROPEAN FINAL SHOW (October 18-20, 2022)**

An **unforgettable show**, where **the best of European talents perform together** to really wow the audience. The show is held during the prestigious **MArteLive Biennial**, a **high-impact event spread through 60 locations in Rome**, with an

**audience of 50,000 people.**

*Semi-final shows for northern Europe took place in Vilnius (Lithuania) in June 2021. Check out the [after-movie](#).*

## **Art Residencies**

MArtelive is **much more than a contest**. Semifinal winners and other selected artists can take part in **1-week Art Residencies in Italy, Lithuania, Poland and Bosnia and Herzegovina**. The artists **live together** and **create unique multidisciplinary performances**, that will be showcased in **special events** in the Art Residency location and on the **MArteLive Biennial Festival** in Rome, Italy.

Best moments of the experience and “making of” will be shared on MArtelive social media and website, **giving the artists a platform to directly connect with the audience**.

## **The dream goes on**

This **first MArtelive European edition** takes place after **20 years of experience in Italy**, where **MArtelive** has already helped thousands of youngsters **express their artistic views and gain international exposure**.

Thanks to this background, MArtelive proves that creativity has no limits: the energy of the festival vibrates across styles and ways of expression, creating a unique space for connections.

Apply and read the regulation on [www.martelive.eu](http://www.martelive.eu)!