

Dear Friends / Colleagues,

With pleasure I send you an update of the International Amateur Theatre Activities.  
Not only participating is a useful and great experience, visiting a festival as a spectator is as well !

Kind regards,  
Joke Elbers

## INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR THEATRE ACTIVITIES

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### 2017

19 – 30 July, Aalborg, Denmark: 12<sup>th</sup> EDERED Youth Encounter for participants 15 – 18 yrs. Theme TIVOLI Hosted by DATS Danish Amateur Theatre Association [www.edered.org](http://www.edered.org) [www.dats.dk](http://www.dats.dk) [dats@dats.dk](mailto:dats@dats.dk)

20 – 23 July, Vratsa, Bulgaria: 4<sup>th</sup> International Ancient Cultures Festival TODORKA'S SUN historical themed performances, outdoor stage historical reconstructions can take part [baat1@abv.bg](mailto:baat1@abv.bg)

20 July – 20 August, Kolasin, Montenegro: 4<sup>th</sup> ALTERNATIVE Theatre Festival KORIFEJ [kolasinskopozoriste@gmail.com](mailto:kolasinskopozoriste@gmail.com)

29 July - 4 August, Tournon sur Rhone and Tain l'Hermitage, France: Shakespeare Festival 2017, 16 – 30 yrs., theatre, dance, music, indoor, outdoor, street ---- around Shakespeare's world. [festivalshakespeare@outlook.fr](mailto:festivalshakespeare@outlook.fr)

20 – 30 August, Tsarevo, Bulgaria: 3<sup>rd</sup> Festival Vacation PRIESTS OF THE MUSES International Youth Festival of Arts street theatre and outdoor performances can take part [baat1@abv.bg](mailto:baat1@abv.bg)

21 – 30 August, Monaco: 16<sup>th</sup> Mondial du theatre [mondialdutheatre@monte-carlo.mc](mailto:mondialdutheatre@monte-carlo.mc)

23 – 26 August, Namur, Belgium: XI th International Amateur Theatre Festival performances max. 60 minutes, preparing max. 3 hrs., max. 12 persons, all genres as dance, musical theatre, mime, puppets ..., presence of all participants is requested throughout the festival, deadline 31 January 2017 [taps@province.namur.be](mailto:taps@province.namur.be)

28 August - 2 September, Girona, Spain: 17<sup>th</sup> FITAG International Amateur Theatre Festival visual performances such as mime and theatre-dance are welcome; max. 12 persons per group; max. duration 75 minutes 25 groups [fitag@fitag.cat](mailto:fitag@fitag.cat)

1 – 12 September, Cuttack, India: 25<sup>th</sup> India Theatre Olympiad: International Festival [theatre.olympiad@gmail.com](mailto:theatre.olympiad@gmail.com)

7 – 13 September, Mont-Laurier, Canada: International Festival de Theatre, organised by IATA associate group Double Defi [info@doubledefi.org](mailto:info@doubledefi.org)

20 – 23 September, Sopron, Hungary: PROGRESS SOPRON 2017 International Amateur Theatre Festival ; groups of max. 12 persons, duration performance max. 90 minutes [jjregos@gmail.com](mailto:jjregos@gmail.com) or [sopronprogress@gmail.com](mailto:sopronprogress@gmail.com) deadline 30 April

20 – 24 September, Jonava, Lithuania: AIDAS International Festival [st@jonava.net](mailto:st@jonava.net)

22 – 26 November, Goepingen, Germany: International Goepingen Amateur Theatre Festival, organized since 1963, with children, youth and adult groups, discussions [kreisjugendamt@landkreis-goepingen.de](mailto:kreisjugendamt@landkreis-goepingen.de)

5 – 9 December, Iasi, Romania: X1 th LUDIC THEATRE DAYS, international festival, duration performances max. 2 hrs.; max. 10 persons per group [www.ludic.ro](http://www.ludic.ro) [ludicc@yahoo.com](mailto:ludicc@yahoo.com)

14 – 17 December, Delhi, India: 15<sup>th</sup> International Children's Festival organized by RYAN Foundation, ages 12 -19 yrs., all genres, application form can be found on website IATA

### 2018

19 – 25 March, Friedrichshafen, Germany: 34<sup>th</sup> Theatertage am See / International Theatre Days at the Lake deadline 25 November 2017 [www.theatertageamsee.de](http://www.theatertageamsee.de) [auffuehrungen@theatertageamsee.de](mailto:auffuehrungen@theatertageamsee.de)

6 - 10 June, Brixen/Bressanone, Sued-Tirol, Italy: SAPPERLOT International Meeting of Youth Theatre organized by TPZ Brixen. 12 groups, performances of max. 60 minutes, age 14 – 20 years, workshops, street activities, colloquies [tpz-brixen@hotmail.com](mailto:tpz-brixen@hotmail.com)

18 - 24 June, Venice, FL., USA: AACT World Festival [lorichase@venicetheatre.net](mailto:lorichase@venicetheatre.net)

22 – 29 June, Lingen, Germany: 15<sup>th</sup> AITA / IATA asbl WORLD FESTIVAL OF CHILDREN'S THEATRE. Theme: Children move the world. [kontakt@weltkindertheaterfest.de](mailto:kontakt@weltkindertheaterfest.de)

19 – 22 July, Vratsa, Bulgaria: 5<sup>th</sup> International Ancient Cultures Festival TODORKA'S SUN [baat1@abv.bg](mailto:baat1@abv.bg)  
historical themed performances, outdoor stage historical reconstructions can take part

20 – 30 August, Tsarevo, Bulgaria: 10<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Festival PRIESTS OF THE MUSES International Youth Festival of Arts  
street theatre and outdoor performances can take part [baat1@abv.bg](mailto:baat1@abv.bg)

27 August – 2 September, Goleniow, Poland: 20th International Amateur and Alternative Theatre Festival BRAMAT, organised by Teatr Brama [teatrbrama@gmail.com](mailto:teatrbrama@gmail.com) [www.teatrbrama.org/english/bramat](http://www.teatrbrama.org/english/bramat)

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