
SEE HERITAGE MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA

General criteria

- Members of the SEE Heritage network can be non-governmental organizations dealing with cultural heritage protection in the following countries:
 - Albania
 - Bosnia and Herzegovina
 - Bulgaria
 - Croatia
 - Kosovo
 - Macedonia
 - Montenegro
 - Romania
 - Serbia

- Members of the SEE Heritage network can be non-governmental organizations which deal with cultural heritage protection or have one part of their program activities dedicated to cultural heritage protection

- A non-governmental organization applying for membership in the SEE Heritage network must have a valid registration:
 1. in the South East European country where it works; or
 2. in the country where it comes from, in which case the concerned NGO must have at least 5 years of an ongoing activities in the South East European region.

- In order to become a part of the network, applying NGOs have to fill in the application and have to be evaluated positively by the Managing Board.

- Network members can recommend new members of the network

- Each NGO that is a part of the Network must delegate the responsibilities for follow-up of network tasks, to a maximum of 3 colleagues from the NGO, who would be present (on a rotating basis, or if decided differently within the NGO) at the network's meetings. This will ensure the continuity of the work.

Application process

- The application is facilitated by sending the following documents:
 1. Filled in SEE heritage network membership application form
 2. Valid registration document
 3. Program of the activities
 4. Short CVs of the person/s that would be delegated with the responsibility for the follow up of network tasks
- The documents will be sent to the e-mail of the SEE Heritage Secretary info@seeheritage.org
- Upon receiving the documents, the SEE Heritage Secretary will forward them by e-mail to the members of the Managing Board.
- After receiving the application forms from the SEE Heritage Secretary, the Managing Board has up to 15 days to come to a decision on receiving new members. The Managing Board may decide to shorten this process, but it cannot be longer than 30 days.
- The Managing Board has full freedom on deciding about new members of the network, and after that bears the responsibility for its decision.
- The Managing Board will work mainly through correspondence through an e-mail contact.

The rights and obligations of the Network's members are:

- to attend the Assembly of the Network
 - to have their representatives elect and be elected in all organs of the Network
 - to participate in the activities of the Network
 - to give opinions and recommendations at the Assembly of the Network
 - to be regularly informed about the Network's work
 - to maintain the reputation of the Network
- (Article number 10 from the SEE Heritage Statute)*

Dismissal from the Network

- If there is an initiative for the dismissal from the Network it shall be done by a mutual agreement between the Managing Board and the concerned member organization.
- Dismissal from the Network shall be confirmed by the Assembly at the proposal of the Managing Board.

Supporters of the Network

- Supporters of the Network can be: civil society and other organizations, individuals, as well as state institutions, media, and private sector representatives that would like to support the Network in an acceptable manner.
- Supporters can attend the Network's meetings in an informal manner, if not otherwise decided by Managing Board.
- Supporters can be from or outside the SEE region.