



Tbilisi 2nd International Summit of Crafts and Design

EthnoFest – 2018

28, 29, 30 September, 2018

About

Tbilisi 2nd International Summit of Craft & Design is the second international gathering of crafts makers, designers, entrepreneurs, retailers and experts in the South Caucasus region.

Summit aims to:

- Build up the business platform for craft and design products in South Caucasus
- Attract new local and international producers, retail and wholesale buyers
- Build up the brand image of national crafts of participant countries both locally and internationally
- Turn Tbilisi into a meeting point of international crafts community
- Raise the role of crafts in the tourist industry
- Create the new cultural attraction for Tbilisi inhabitants and visitors

Who can participate?

Decorative-Applied Arts field representatives, designers, crafts makers, entrepreneurs, and retailers from Georgia and beyond are eligible to participate in the Summit! All products presented on the expo should fall in the category of handmade or hand finished.

Summit also invites experts and buyers of the field to take part in the event with their preferable format. Summit is open for the wide audience!

Summit Programme will include:

- Crafts and Design International Expo;
- Public lectures and presentations;
- Trainings and workshops and consultations led by the visiting experts;
- Series of special networking sessions;
- Contests “the Best Booth”.

How to participate and what to expect?

Exhibitors

In order to take part in the Summit, candidates should submit filled participant’s application form (and 5 photos of their artwork (jpg. 72 dpi, Total size of the images mustn’t exceed 3 MB).

Application Submission deadline is 30th of June, 2018

Chosen participants will be informed by 15th of July, 2018.

Exhibitors will have opportunity to participate in all summit activities. Information on participation conditions and application forms are available at www.TbilisiEthnoFest.ge

Experts, Buyers

Local and International experts, buyers, importers are welcome to Summit. No entrance fee, no preliminary registration is obligatory. Organizational committee also offers free opportunity to make public presentation in central stand area. Those interested should submit their short CV and outline of presentation topic before **July 30, 2018**.

More details at

<http://www.tbilisiethnofest.ge>

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Organizers



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