



European Territorial Cooperation Programme
Greece-Bulgaria 2007-2013

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*Photography competition with the theme
"Promoting the Beauty of the Cross Border Area
and its People"*

ENTRY FORM

**IMPORTANT: This entry form must be filled, printed, signed and sent by
e-mail, fax or post with every entry into the photo competition.**

Otherwise your entry is not valid!

Dear Sir/Madam

Please find attached (1 – 2 – 3 - 4, *please write accordingly*) picture(s) to enter into the Photography competition with the theme "Promoting the Beauty of the Cross Border Area and its People" that will be held in Komotini, Greece on the 13th of September, 2013. Some of these photographs may be exhibited in the Photography Exhibition that will take place in Komotini between the 13th and the 16th of September, 2013, within the framework of the European Cooperation Day. This exhibition may be transferred to other parts of Greece or abroad as well. Copyright of all images submitted for this competition remains with the respective entrants. Further terms and conditions are attached.



EUROPEAN COOPERATION DAY

Sharing borders, growing closer

The titles of the Pictures and the Places they were taken are the following:

- 1/.....
- 2/.....
- 3/.....
- 4/.....

With this document I agree that one (or more) of my pictures can be displayed in the Exhibition and be used for any publicity and promotional activities before, during and after the Exhibition.

Full name and contact details of the Photographer (please print or write clearly!)

Name and surname:

Permanent Residence:

Tel:

e-mail:

With this form I agree with the terms and conditions of the competition.

Signature.....

If the entrant is under 18, signature of parent or guardian is required:

Parent/Guardian name and signature

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Send the completed and signed entry form and your photograph(s) with a CD or email by the 4th of September 2013 to:

Joint Technical Secretariat ETCP "GREECE – BULGARIA 2007 – 2013"

Balkan Center

Building D, elevator 2, 3rd floor,

10th km Thessaloniki - Thermi,

570 01, Thessaloniki, Greece

Tel.: 0030 2310 024040

Fax: 0030 2310 024 078

E-mail: jts_grbg@mou.gr



Terms and conditions

1. Participation is open to every individual, who is an amateur photographer, above 18¹ years and is resident in any of the two participating countries in the Programme in the eligible area: Greece, in the Region of Eastern Macedonia and Thrace (Regional Units of Evros-Kavala-Xanthi, Rodopi, Drama) and the Region of Central Macedonia (Regional Units of Thessaloniki and Serres) and from Bulgaria in the regions South-Central Planning Region and South-West Planning Region with the regions of Blagoevgrad, Smolyan, Kardjali and Haskovo.
2. No entry fee is required
3. Entries must reflect the theme of the competition: "Promoting the Beauty of the Cross Border Area and its People". They may include areas, people, activities, events and so forth.
4. Participants may submit up to four (4) images and must provide full contact details
5. The photos must follow technical format requirements:
 - .jpg/.gif format
 - Resolution 300 dpi
 - Exhibition size: A3, 29,7X42 cm
 - The size of each photo must be smaller or equal to 7MB. If sent by email you must take care so that each e-mail does not exceed this size.
6. Entries must be the original work of the photographer. Involvement with projects of others, non-original, copied projects or photos taken/bought from the Internet are not allowed.
7. The submitted competition photographs cannot be retouched: nothing in



the photographs (people, animals, scenery, objects, etc.) may be altered, removed, augmented or rearranged. Cropping is permitted, as is modest darkening or lightening of parts of the image. They must also be taken in the cross-border area.

8. The closing date for entries is Wednesday, 4th of September 2013. Proof of the submitted date will be the date of the e-mail, post or courier stamp or personal submission. All entries must be sent at the following address:

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9. Participants will complete and sign the entry form and declare that they agree with the terms and conditions of the competition otherwise their entry is not valid
10. Images with low resolution or serious technical problems will not be accepted
11. Participants have to mention their contact details (Name – Surname, telephone number and e-mail address). In case of lack or inaccuracy of the above mentioned details the participation in the competition will not be possible.
12. Copyright in all images submitted for this competition remains with the respective entrants. However, each entrant grants a license to the ETC Programme "Greece-Bulgaria 2007-2013" Management structures (Managing Authority, Joint Technical Secretariat, and National Authority) to feature any or all of the submitted images in any of their publications, their websites and/or in any promotional material connected to this

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competition or to other publicity activities. Moreover, the winners may be required to take part in publicity actions.

13. Only photos complying with the terms and conditions may win. Photos will be judged by a panel on the basis of the following: 1) How well the photo conveys the Theme: "Promoting the Beauty of the Cross Border Area and its People"; images may include natural beauty, architectural points of interest, people enjoying the landscape and or/any other images that reflect the unique and distinct character of the cross-border area; 2) Photographic quality – technical merit; 3) Visual appeal; 4) Originality; 5) Emphasis on cross-border character; 6) Artistic Merit; 7) Composition of the photograph.

14. The verdict of the panel is final and no objection, appeal or demand is acceptable

15. Questions and inquiries about contest rules can be emailed to jts_grbg@mou.gr

