



## Call for interest for EU book sector professionals

**to participate in the EU organised professionals' programme for European publishers and literary agents at FIL Guadalajara November 26 – 29 2023**

The European Union has been invited to participate as guest of honour (GoH) at the 37<sup>th</sup> edition of the Guadalajara International Book Fair, in Mexico. The *Feria Internacional del Libro de Guadalajara*, known as **FIL**, will be held in the city of Guadalajara **between 25<sup>th</sup> November and 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2023**.

In the framework of its participation, the EU opens a call for interest to participate in the professional activities organised during the FIL.

EU GoH at FIL offers EU book sector professionals a favourable opportunity to participate at the Guadalajara International Book Fair. All participants will be able to benefit from EU GoH communication and information tools and visibility, as well as participate in professionals' debates and activities organised during the fair.

### **Apply for the curated 3-days Professional's programme:**

**A LIMITED NUMBER OF PROFESSIONALS WILL BE SELECTED, BASED ON THEIR FIL PARTICIPATION PROPOSAL AND FINANCIAL CAPACITY, FOR WHICH THE EU WILL COVER:**

- 3 hotel nights on site (arrival on 26 November) and provide
- 3 days (27 – 29 November) of organised professional and match-making activities at the book fair, including:
  - ✓ a speed-dating session with LAC publishers,
  - ✓ individual b2b meetings with up to 5 LAC publishers of their own choice,
  - ✓ a session with translators,
  - ✓ a match-making cocktail session and
  - ✓ daily networking opportunities with colleagues.

### **Eligibility criteria:**

- Be a publishing professional operating in any of the 27 EU member states or Ukraine.
- Proficiency in spoken and written English is required. Spanish is an additional asset.



- Have a well-thought-out goal for the participation in FIL professional activities, demonstrating potential to establish collaborations with Latin American or EU professionals.
- Advantage will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> time participants at FIL.

We will inform you about the selection of the participating professionals by July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

***! APPLICATION TO BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THAN JUNE 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023!***

**APPLY [HERE](#)**