To the respectable Rectors/Directors of the universities, theatrical academies

ITI/UNESCO Network

Dear Colleagues and dear friends,

We think that the mutual knowledge is something precious. Opening new roads and opportunities for our students and our institute, is a way to nourishing creativity and let emerge new questions able to stimulate the individual, human and artistic growth.

We are trying to organize an important international initiative that will take place in Udine and our Region during the next Summer 2022.

SAFest FESTIVAL: JULY 2022 (An international Festival of Theatre Schools lasting five days) whose topic theme is "BORDERS"

First of all we want to share the spirit of our festival in order to verify and possibly receive your sign of immediate interest. The participation of each school includes a class of students (the maximum number will be communicated as soon as possible) and hopefully an accompanying teacher.

a) For the moment we just ask you a declaration of your interest. We are planning that each university' or theatrical academy group will bring a short essay of its own work/composition… (maximum duration will be communicated later).

b) Each accompanying teacher will have the possibility of a brief presentation of the work that may take place before the Performance or in another moment, as during the round table or in a specific interview open to the public.

c) In some cases it will be possible to evaluate the proposal of a class from one of the hosted academies to carry out one or more practical lessons or masterclasses (duration 60 minutes) with the students of the other schools participating at the festival.

d) In addition all students during the five days of the festival are called to frequent Classes and collaborate to the collective creation that will be performed as the great festival final performance.
e) We kindly ask the theatre academies and universities a general declaration of interest which will serve to move what is necessary to make the initiative possible and to receive further informations.

f) Each university/academy will provide to travel expenses (flights) while the hospitality is granted from the Nico Pepe Academy who leads the initiative of the festival

**For Theatre Universities / Academies**

This is a general declaration of interest to our SAFest International Theatre School Festival, 20th December 2021

**SAFest July 2022 – Udine Italy Civic Academy of Dramatic Arts Nico Pepe**

Participant Institution ______________________________________

Group: Number of female male students _________________________

Name Assistant Teacher ______________________________________

The University/Academy/Theatre School Nation City declares its interest to participate at the SAFest 2022.

We ask you to send us more information about the festival in order to verify the flexibility of our participation.