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### TT&RR International Association

(Transhumance Trails and Rural Roads)

#### **Adhesion Form**

#### **Premise**

Transhumance is a phenomenon with a transnational relevance and significance for the understanding and respect of common European values.

Transhumant pastoralism has been a main fundative element of European culture, widespread from the Black Sea to the Atlantic Ocean and from the Mediterranean Sea to the Baltic Sea.

It has originated an extraordinary ethnographic legacy and cultural heritage, which must be preserved (2003 Unesco Convention For the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage).

Core elements of this cultural patrimony are the trails, the *grazing landscape*, the livestock, and the herders.

The trails are the basic patterns of the tangible heritage of artifacts, sanctuaries, corrals, craftsmanship, tools and whatever was linked with everyday life and livestock management, as well as the intangible heritage of skills, music, arts, poetry and myth.

The *grazing landscape* is the cultural landscape of pastures and meadows shaped over millennia by the constant interaction between man and nature.

Herders and their flocks are the custodians of this legacy.

Herders are the "human" patrimony; the living heritage.

It is necessary that the Institutions, Bodies, Public Administrations, Associations, and any other Entity who intend to associate or go into partnership with the *International Association Transhumance Trails and Rural Roads* (Acronym: TT&RR), adhere to the cultural assumptions here outlined, share the spirit of this initiative and the goal of bringing people closer together and promote the awareness of the common European cultural roots.

## Targets and goals

The International Association TT&RR:

- is a cultural, educational and tourism cooperation initiative;
- fosters the safeguard of the European cultural heritage;
- promotes the intercultural dialogue and the awareness of the common European heritage;
- identifies transhumant pastoralism and traditional grazing as the connecting elements of the cultural roots of the European countries;
- proposes a transdisciplinary approach to the study of the relationships between the transhumance itineraries and the ancient roads;



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- identifies in the trails of transhumance the network of connections of proto-historical origin, which have been the vehicle for the enhancement of commercial and cultural exchanges;
- promotes the development of itineraries based on historic transhumance routes;
- aims to link in a common net as many trails of transhumance as possible across Europe, including as many as possible trails of different ranges and degrees of definition.

## Certification as Cultural Route of the CoE

The International Association TT&RR has applied for certification as "Cultural Routes of the Council of Europe" in the framework of the 2022-2023 certification for a European Network of *Transhumance Trails and Rural Routes*.

By means of the certification, the International Association TT&RR aims to foster a slow, sustainable, creative tourism, aware of the *Genius Loci*. In this meaning tourism can become a tool of enhancement and promotion for the marginal and internal areas.

The International Association TT&RR is committed to promote awareness and sustainable development, involving all the local stakeholders, local administrations, public institutions, local grassroot associations, as well as local communities, civil society and young people, who will be the future operators, and the custodians of the cultural heritage.

In case of achievement of the certification, each member of the International Association TT&RR will gain the use of the logos of Council of Europe and Cultural Route.

## Membership

To the new members/partners we demand to:

- accept the statute of the International Association TT&RR;
- agree with its aims, objectives, and tasks pursued with the application for certification as Cultural Route;
- share the principles recalled in the Premise, which form an integral part of this declaration.

Becoming a member of the International Association TT&RR grants:

- membership to a transnational Network with a legal status;
- open access to the qualified contacts of the other members;
- open access to the archives filed under the web site and any other archive ruled by the TT&RR Association;
- open access to advising and funding opportunities;
- sharing the TT&RR's logo;
- bring proposals and projects to the approval of the Board and the General Assembly.

Becoming a member of the International Association TT&RR grants the participation to the General Assembly meeting twice yearly;



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Becoming a member implies the payment of annual fees, as stated in the form below. Order of payment of the adhesion fee to:

#### Asociacion Vias de Trashumancia y Caminos Rurales IBAN: ES8930581302662720017801 motive: Association fee year 2023

The applicant voluntarily provides the personal data requested in the form below, which are necessary to complete the registration in accordance with the provisions of the current legislation on privacy and processing of personal data, which can be consulted on the site in the dedicated section (Rule UE 2016/679)

The adhesion form below must be fulfilled and returned to:

#### Transhumance Trails and Rural Roads Asociacion Vias de Trashumancia y Caminos Rurales

Vías De Trashumancia Y Caminos Rurales - Transhumance Trails And Rural Roads Avenida de la Trinidad 61 Fundación General Universidad de La Laguna San Cristóbal de La Laguna (SANTA CRUZ DE TENERIFE) España

A full copy is to be sent via e\_mail to:

#### TT&RR Secretariat

transhumance.eu@gmail.com

along with a short profile of the organization, eventually the description of the proposed itinerary (max 3000 characters), n. 8 pictures, and the organization's logo (.tiff or .jpeg)

The membership request will be approved by the Board of Directors and consequently submitted to the General Assembly for final ratification.



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# **Personal Data Denomination Surname** Name Legal representative **Individual member Nationality Domicile** Region/District Adress Town Post code Tax code **Phone contact E\_mail contact** Legal e\_mail adress



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Having read the statutes of the International TT&RR Association, taking into account the aims and objectives of the Association and wishing to contribute actively to their realization,

#### **REQUESTS** to join the Association as:

Active member type 1 National/Regional/Local Authority; University/Research Bodies; Natural Park/Site/Geopark	Annual fees € 200,00
Active member type 2 NGO/Grass root organizations; Small and Medium-sized Enterprises;	Annual fees € 50,00
Friends of Transhumance Natural person	Annual fees € 50,00
Honour member	Free contribution

Registration is effective upon notification of acceptance by the executive committee.

Registration is valid for 12 months from the date of acceptance. Renewal for the following year will take place without further signing of forms, by payment of the established annual fee, within a maximum of no more than 5 days from the expiry date.

Please, include:

- A copy of a valid ID of the legal representative/coordinator;
- The Bank justification of the adhesion fee payment.

You authorize the processing of sensitive personal data for the uses permitted by law.

Date	Signature	Stamp

Please, enclose the Logo of your Organization (.png or .jpeg)