

The criteria for classifying as "cultural product" the projects that can benefit from the provisions of Government Decision no. 421/2018 for the establishment of a state aid scheme for supporting the production of audiovisual works on the territory of Romania, with subsequent amendments and additions, starting from 2024

## Criteria for classifying the project as "cultural product"

No.	Criteria	Project's Points	Maximum Points			
A. C	A. Cultural content					
1	The subject / material which was the basis of the script of the movie is based on an event (events) part of the culture / history / mythology / religions from Romania or Europe.					
	3 points are awarded if the audiovisual work meets any of the following criteria:					
	a) the subject is Romanian or European - for example, it is based on an imaginary or non-imaginary Romanian or European cultural/historical/mythological/religious event, even if it does not take place in Romania or another European state;		3			
	<b>Details:</b> [In this section, applicants will detail how the script reflects a Romanian or European event.]					
	b) the material on which the script is based (book, story, film, play, original script, article) is written by a Romanian or European citizen.					
	<b>Details:</b> [In this section, applicants will indicate the author of the material that formed the basis of the script and his nationality]					
2	The audiovisual work is based on a character (real or fictional) / famous person who belongs to the Romanian or European culture / history / society / religions		3			
	Details: [In this section, applicants will detail how the character belongs to Romanian or European culture/history/society/religions.]					
3	The subject/material that formed the basis of the script is based on a work adapted from a work belonging to another artistic discipline (music, painting, opera, theater) created by a Romanian or European author.		3			
	[In this section, applicants will detail how the subject/material that formed the basis of the script is based on a work adapted from a work belonging to another artistic discipline (music, painting, opera, theater) created by an author which is Romanian or European citizen.]					
4	The final version of the film is in one of the official EU languages.		9			



TOT	AL MAXIMUM POINTS SECTION A - Cultural content		18
B. C	ultural contribution		
5	The audiovisual work/Subject promotes Romanian or European ethnocultural identity.		
	3 points are awarded for promoting within the production of traditional clothing, customs, practices traditional rituals and popular creation from the Romanian or European area.		3
6	Audiovisual work/Subject reflects important Romanian or European values, such as diversity/solidarity, equality/protection of minorities or human rights/tolerance/protection of the environment/respect for cultural traditions or family.		
	3 points are awarded if the audiovisual work meets any of the following criteria:		
	a) Subject / presentation: exploring social and cultural contemporary problems related to people with disabilities, ethnic diversity and social marginalization; promoting and increasing cultural diversity.		3
	b) Other factors representing cultural diversity which can have an impact on the final content.		
	Details:[In this section, applicants will detail how the criterion is met.]		
7	The audiovisual work is a work that proposes an innovative form of artistic expression through means or content or contributes to the development of its cinematic genre.		3
TOT	AL MAXIMUM POINTS SECTION B - Cultural contribution		9
C. T	he team involved in making the film and the use of national resources		
	The involvement of Romanian or EEA citizens in the realisation of the project		
	1 point is awarded for each of:		7
	a) director;		
	b) producer / line producer;		
	c) lead actor;		
8	d) at least two supporting actors / voice - actors.		
· ·	e) at least one of the following: Director of photography, script writer, composer, animator, editor		
	f) at least one of the following: Production designer/ Art director, Costume Designer, Make-up artist, Hairstyle artist, Sound editor, instrumentalist / orchestra.		
	g) Cameraman / Image operator, Assistant Director (1st AD), Production Manager, Post production supervisor, Sound engineer, Colorist.		



	ENTERTAINMENT		
	<b>Details:</b> [Applicants will attach a list of the people based on whom the score was calculated, indicating their nationality and role in the project.]		
9	Involvement in the realisation of the project of Romanian or EEA citizens, other than those mentioned in point 8.		
	2 points are awarded if at least 20% of the team members of the project carried out in Romania, with the exception of those mentioned in C.8, are Romanian citizens or citizens of the EEA member states.		
	3 points are awarded if at least 30% of the team members of the project carried out in Romania, with the exception of those mentioned in C.8, are Romanian citizens or citizens of the EEA member states.		4
	4 points are awarded if at least 50% of the team members of the project carried out in Romania, with the exception of those mentioned in C.8, are Romanian citizens or citizens of EEA member states.		
	<b>Details:</b> [Applicants will attach a full list of team members, indicating the people based on whom the score was calculated, their nationality and their role in the project.]		
	Number of filming days in Romania		
	1 point is awarded if 1 filming day is in Romania		
	3 points are awarded if more than 10% of the total number of filming days are in Romania, but more than one filming day.		
	4 points are awarded if more than 20% of the total number of filming days are in Romania.		
10	5 points are awarded if more than 30% of the total number of filming days are in Romania.		7
	6 points are awarded if over 40% of the total number of filming days are in Romania.		
	7 points are awarded if 50% or more of the total number of filming days are in Romania.		
	<b>Details:</b> [Applicants will attach the production schedule, indicating the filming periods in Romania and the location (city, county, optional - location name.]		
	The completion of the film production takes place in Romania		
	1 point is awarded for fulfilling each of the following criteria:		
11	*laboratory (film processing, digital transposition, internegative, image editing, color correction, etc.);		4
	*editing studio		
	*graphic effects studio		
	*a sound, music, etc. recording studio		
	AL MAXIMUM POINTS SECTION C - The team involved in making the film and use of national resources		22



TOTAL MAXIMUM (sections A + B + C)		49
Minimum to qualify as a cultural project		18