

Creative Workshop ARTIFAKE: Art Invades Propaganda

ARTIFAKE: Art Invades Propaganda is a project focusing on media literacy, exploring the notions of propaganda and fake news through contemporary art. The development of digital technologies and transformation of news consumption and production brought the spread of global misinformation, strengthened propaganda and the emergence of the era of post-truth. As the apparent irrelevance of accuracy and the incapacity to differentiate between the fact and fake complicate social dialogue, ARTIFAKE hopes to provide tools for countering such mechanisms. We invite artists to expand their knowledge about the propaganda mechanisms with focus on the post-soviet contexts and create works of art in the public space that respond to the matter.

The project consists of an online course held between 22-26 February and creation of works of art in public space. The artists chosen for this series of workshops will be invited to submit proposals, and the selected submissions will be granted financial and organisational support to realise it. Artifake is organised by [Internews Ukraine](#) in cooperation with [Art Transparent](#) foundation (Poland) and [Association of Audio-Visual Reporters](#) (Armenia) with support of “Creative Europe”, the program of European Union.

We invite artists to submit their application for participation in the 5 day long online course (up to 3hrs per day) consisting of webinars and discussion panels with leading experts in the field of media literacy, disinformation, propaganda and hybrid threats, as well as interactive sessions with leading cultural figures. There will be 10 participants selected from each partner’s country and the working languages are English and Russian. Only the artists selected to participate in the workshop will be able to propose a project of an artwork in the public space regarding propaganda and fake news, with up to EUR 5,000 allocated to its realisation.

The artists wishing to participate in the course are asked to submit a FORM along with their website or online portfolio, or send a portfolio in a PDF file up to 10MB to fundacja@arttransparent.org. The deadline for submitting it 18.02.2021. The 10 participants will be selected by the ArtTransparent foundation.