

## Significant award for the project “CULTURAL DIPOLE”

On Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> of October 2018 the “**Destination of Sustainable Cultural Tourism 2018 Awards**” ceremony was held in Pafos, Cyprus. The **CULTURAL DIPOLE** project, which is funded by “Interreg V-A Greece-Bulgaria 2014-2020” Cooperation Programme, won **the second prize in the category “Transnational Thematic Tourism”**. In the ceremony participated: the **Mayor of Serres Petros Aggelidis** and **Prof. Aristotelis Naniopoulos**, scientific coordinator of the project for AUTH.

The award contest was organised by the **European Cultural Tourism Network (ECTN)** in cooperation with **Europa Nostra** and **European Travel Commission**, supported by the **Network of European Regions of Competitive and Sustainable Tourism (NECSTour)**. In total 57 candidates from 15 countries had submitted applications, under 7 thematic categories. The implementation of the contest is a contribution to the **European Year of Cultural Heritage (EYCH2018)**.



## 1<sup>st</sup> publicity event of CULTURAL DIPOLE project

On Friday, the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2018, the **first publicity event of CULTURAL DIPOLE project** took place at the Municipal Theater of Serres “ASTERIA”. In the event participated: representatives of the project partners, the artist Constantin Xenakis, also representatives of local authorities and stakeholders. During the event, among other things, Em. Prof. Panagiotis Tzonos made a presentation on the main provisions of the museological and museographical study of the “Constantin Xenakis” Museum and Em. Prof. Matoula Scaltsa, art historian and museologist, presented the key milestones of Constantin Xenakis work.



## 2<sup>nd</sup> publicity event of CULTURAL DIPOLE project

The **second publicity event of CULTURAL DIPOLE project** was implemented on Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> of October 2018 at Petrich, Bulgaria. In the event participated: the Mayor of Serres Petros Aggelidis, the Municipal Councilor of Tourism Department of Municipality of Serres Panagiotis Grigoriadis, the Municipal Councilor, Ex chairman of the city council of Municipality of Serres Theodoros Arabatzis, the Mayor of Petrich Dimitrar Brachkov, citizens of Petrich, Mr. Aristotelis Naniopoulos, Professor of AUTH, Mrs. Argyro Dimoudi, Assoc. Professor of DUTH, members of “Serreon Politeia” Society and Society for the “Study and Research of the Serres Region History” (EMEIS).

