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Press release

The CNT and ANOPA have agreed on mutual support and cooperation

Czech National Trust, o.p.s.

Association of Non-State Open Monuments, z.s.

The Czech National Trust o.p.s. (CNT) and the Association of Non-State Open Monuments, z.s. (ANOPA) signed a Memorandum of Cooperation on 18 February 2022. They are both among the most important non-governmental non-profit organizations caring for the cultural heritage of the Czech Republic. They have agreed to support one another by sharing information, cooperating in marketing, fundraising, volunteering, and education.

Members of ANOPA will now be able to participate in the Erasmus+ Project being coordinated by the CNT as a member of the International National Trust Organisation (INTO). The CNT is organising the exchange of heritage professionals and experts between 6 European National Trusts to disseminate know-how in the care of historical monuments and properties.

Furthermore CNT is ready to assist ANOPA and its members in the promotion of Czech historical monuments abroad.

The Memorandum was signed by the secretary Mgr. Vratislav Zákoutský (Loučeň Chateau) on behalf of ANOPA in the presence of Vice-Chairman Ing. Jiří Uhlíř (chateau Kroměříž) and the international lead, Ing. Francesco Kinský dal Borgo (Kost Castle), and Dr. Irena Edwards chairman and Jana Schiebertová director on behalf of CNT. The meeting and signing took place with the legal support of DELTA Legal.

The **Czech National Trust** (CNT) is a non-profit organisation with an eight-year history and a member of the International National Trusts Organization (INTO). The long-term goal of the CNT is to save the cultural and natural heritage in the Czech Republic for future generations, care for buildings owned or entrusted to them, restore and manage them by involving the owners, volunteers and other non-profit organizations and communities as one functional unit.

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ANOPA was established in 2021, uniting the owners of historical monuments; castles, chateaux, monasteries, pilgrimage sites, technical monuments, gardens and other cultural monuments which are open to the public but not owned by the state. They are an integral part of the national cultural heritage. ANOPA aims are to represent the common interests of the owners, to ensure the long-term sustainability and prosperity of these monuments, to ensure their accessibility to the public and to give marketing support.

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