Call to action in Ireland: ‘Make a Connection’ – aims to deepen connection between people and heritage.

The HC is asking colleagues across European to ‘Make a Connection’:

• **Le Chéile san Eoraip** - *Trans: together in Europe*

• **Europe by Book**

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AIM: To encourage local communities to rediscover connections to other places in Europe by means of researching their local heritage;

• To initiate during 2018
• Linking through local authorities/ municipalities and third level institutions
• Capacity building: research and interpretation skills
• On-line digital archive – Irish Community Archive Network and Europeana(?)

• Outputs – exchange economic, tourism, cultural, cohesion, solidarity, sense of being part of a common European space
Aim: to encourage children, young people and adults to explore Europe through books across Europe: literature, popular fiction, and history.

- Library services; a common website; social media
- Potentially with EUNIC
- Output: to improve understanding of the diverse history, landscape, and culture of Europe

e.g.:

Younger readers: When Hitler stole the Pink Rabbit, Emil and the detectives, The Silver Sword, Wings over Delft

Thrillers: Jo Nesbo, Ian Rankin, Henning Mankell, Andrea Camillire

Literature: Irene Nemirovksy, Tove Janson, Joseph Roth, Ivan Klima, Stefan Zweig