# SANGSANGMARU

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# About SangSangMaru

SangSangMaru is a social venture company in the field of culture and arts, with the motto of "A cultural imagination group that moves the world with our stories." Since its establishment in 2012, SangSangMaru has been active as a specialized production company for creative performances in South Korea, successfully producing a total of 17 original performances.

SangSangMaru collaborates and develops numerous performances and arts education programs not only in Asian countries like China and Vietnam but also in European countries such as Denmark,Norway, and Sweden.

SangSangMaru is shaping a new history for Korean creative performances through imagination, creativity, and a pioneering spirit in new markets. They value the universal humanistic principles and respect the diversity of race and culture, striving to promote the social values of sharing and coexistence. Moreover, they embrace the mission of enhancing the capacity of creative performances through dialectical development.



# **Business Model**

### **Creative Maru**

### Development and production of well-made K-performace

- Developing and producing K-Performance IP.
- Distributing performances domestically and internationally.
- Developing secondary creative works based on the performaces

### Play Maru

Performance story-based art education & Fusion art education

- Art education for youth
- 4th Industry Convergence Arts Education
- Workshop introducing well-made overseas art education programs

### **Play License**

Distribution brand for performance and videos an online platform

- Performance (theater, musical) Academy License
- Performance commercial license
- Performance video distribution license



Korea-Norway co-production <Petals & Tales>

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Korea-Sweden co-production <NeNeNe>

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## **KORDIC HIT**

KORDIC HIT is a co-production project of three performances between SangSangMaru and Nordic art organization from 2019 to 2022. This project was started in 2017 with the 'NORDIC CONNECTION by the Korea Arts Management Services.



Project 1. NeNeNe (with Sweden Zebradans) Project 2. Petals & Tales (with Norway Pantarei dans theater) Project 3. Troll's Child (with Sweden Zebradans)

## **National Theater Project**

By collaborating with outstanding theaters, theater companies, and partners abroad, this project aims to create collaborative productions that combine diverse cultural inspirations and perspectives, thereby enhancing creativity and producing innovative forms of joint creations. This project began as the International Collaborative Creation Project of the Asian Cultural Center (ACC), initiated in 2021.



Project 1. After War (with Denmark NTL-OT) Project 2. Husbandless Dock (with Vietnam National Drama Theater)

### **China Connection**

China connection is a project in which Sangsang Maru's creative performance enters China, with the musical "Robinson Crusoe" Shanghai performance from 2020, followed by the musical "Onemore" in Shanghai in 2021. The musical "Robinson Crusoe" is on a tour across China in 2023.



Project1. Robinson Crusoe Project2. One More

## Vietnam Youth Theater

Vietnam Youth Theater, established in 1978, is a national theater under the Vietnamese Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism that focuses on children and youth audiences in art forms such as songs, dance, music and drama, and exchanges began in 2022



2022 Troll's Child Showcase 2023 Troll's Child Premiere 2023 Cat Zorba Showcase 2024 Cat Zorba Premiere

### **Mongolia Project**

Pre-Research for Korea-Mongolia International Cooperation Project conducted research to discover materials that can contain the past, present, and future discourse of Korea-Mongolia cultural exchange and to investigate joint partners of art organizations for children and families.



Research1. A preliminary literature study on Mongolian art and policy Research2. Visiting and Foundation of Mongolian Performing Arts

Research3. Culture and Arts Expert Interview

Research4. Creating research course archiving materials

## Learn Korean with K-Musical

'Learn Korean with K-Musical' app book is a learning tool that connects beautiful songs and videos of performance contents, scripts and Korean learning to help learners enjoy high-quality cultural contents, and is a sustainable valueadded content that combines performance works and digital media technology.



Series1. <Wom's Friends> Series2. <Troll's Child>





## Information

2023 Invited to DANTISTAN(Sweden performance association) 2022 Selected for CenterStageKorea 2021 ASSITEJ Korea Winter Festival in Seoul Winner of Audience Award at the 29th Seoul Children's Theatre Awards



NeNeNe (Co-production with Sweden)

Genre : Nonverbal Running Time : 50 min. Rating : Ages 3 and up Theater Size : Small theater Number of Performers : 3 performers



# Information

Chinese copyright license signed and Premiere in Shanghai Selected for International Co-production Project by the Arts Council Korea Selected for Small and Medium Business Administration Social Venture Enterprise Project



**Robinson Crusoe** (SSM's Licensing performance in China)

Genre : Musical Running Time : 60 min. Rating : Ages 3 and up Theater Size : Small theater Number of Performers : 4 performers



## Information

2021 Chinese copyright license signed 2019 Sponsored by Korea Creative Content Agencym KT KTOON



**One More** (SSM's Licensing performance in China)

Genre : Musical Running Time : 90 min. Rating : Ages 12 and up Theater Size : Small and Medium theater Number of Performers : 4 performers



## Information

2023 Co-product with Vietnam Youth Theater 2022 Selected for Vietnam Youth Theater Joint Workshop Showcase 2021 Selected for K-Musical Road Show by the Korea Arts Management Services



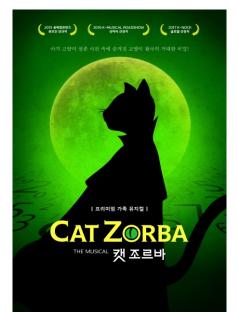
**Troll's Child** (Co-developed with Sweden Co-production with Vietnam)

Genre : Musical Running Time : 60 min. Rating : Ages 3 and up Theater Size : Small-Middle theater Number of Performers : 4 performers



## Information

2023 Co-product with Vietnam Youth Theater 2019 Bangkok Hallyu Expo Art Collaboration 2017 Selected for K-NOCK Global 2016 Selected for K-Musical Roadshow Shanghai



Cat Zorba (Co-production with Vietnam)

Genre : Musical Running Time : 90 min. Rating : Ages 3 and up Theater Size : Grand theater Number of Performers : 16 performers



# Information

2020 Korea-Northern European Co-production Project <KORDIC HIT 2> 2022 Co-product with Norway Pantarei Dans Theater 2022 Selected for Norwegian Children and Youth Festival SHOWBOX



Petals & Tales (Co-production with Norway)

Genre : Dance Theater Running Time : 60 min. Rating : Ages 3 and up Theater Size : Small theater Number of Performers : 3 performers



## Information

2021 Selected for Joint Production with International Groups by ACC 2022 Co-product with Denmark NTL-OT



After War (Co-production with Denmark)

Genre : Play Running Time : 100 min. Rating : Ages 12 and up Theater Size : Middle ~ Grand theater Number of Performers : 19 performers



# Information

2022 Selected for Joint Production with International Groups by ACC 2022 Co-product with Vietnam National Drama Theater 2023 Korea-Vietnam Co-Production Premiere at ACC



### **Husbandless Dock**

(Co-production with Vietnam)

Genre : Musical Running Time : 90 min. Rating : Ages 7 and up Theater Size : Middle ~ Grand theater Number of Performers : 13 performers



# History

### 2016

K-Musical Road Show <Cat Zorba> Showcase /Shanghai,China

### 2017

1<sup>st</sup> Nordic Connection /Oslo, Norway K-Contents Day /Beijing, China

### 2018

2<sup>nd</sup> Nordic Connection /Stockholm, Sweden

### 2019

Korea-Nordic l co-productioon Project KORDIC HIT Hallyu Festival /Bangkok, Thailand Creative Co-production Workshop with Sweden ZebraDans

### 2020

Korea-Sweden co-prodiction <NeNeNe> premiere /Seoul, Korea Korea-China licensing <Robinson Crusoe> premiere /Shanghai, China

### 2021

Korea-Denmark co-production <After War> premiere /Gwangju, Korea Korea-China Licensing <One More> premiere /Shanghai, China Korea-Sweden co-development < Troll's Child > premiere /Seoul, Korea

### 2022

Korea-Sweden co-prodiction <NeNeNe> touring / Stockholm, Sweden Korea-Norway co-production <Petals & Tales> premiere /Oslo, Norway Korea-Vietnam co-production <Husbandless Dock> premiere /Gwangju ,Korea Korea-Vietnam co-production <Troll's Child> showcase /Hanoi, Vietnam Korea-China Licensing <Robinson Crusoe> /Shanghai Suzhou, China

### 2023

Korea-Vietnam co-production <Husbandless Dock> premiere /Gwangju ,Korea Korea-Norway co-production <Petals & Tales> in Poland Korea-Norway co-production <Petals & Tales> / Gjerdrum, Norway Korea-Vietnam co-production <Troll's Child> premiere /Hanoi, Vietnam Korea-Vietnam co-production <Cat Zorba> showcase /Hanoi, Vietnam Korea-China Licensing <Robinson Crusoe> touring in China Korea-Norway co-production <Petals & Tales> / Harstad, Norway





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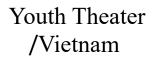
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Korea-Vietnam co-production <Husbandless Dock>