Belonging to Humanity

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Great people, like Mozart, Leonardo da Vinci, Einstein and so on, don't belong to a single nation. They belong to the whole humanity. These people are appreciated for their work, for their extraordinary abilities. They are above the limiting belonging of a group. Everyone knows who is Einstein without being a physicist. The best expert on Mozart is not necessarily a German. Or the most admirers of Michelangelo don't have to be in Italy.

A parallel can be made to the UNESCO World Heritage program which protects sites of outstanding cultural or natural importance to the common heritage of humanity. And even more, it's not only about material heritage – the Lists of Intangible Cultural Heritage aim to ensure the better protection of important intangible cultural heritages worldwide and the awareness of their significance. Some countries might still not be "wise" enough to appreciate what they have. That is why a global organization of selected people should take care for the common good.

In the same way the Société Imaginaire interconnects remarkable individuals who can see the world from a global point of view, who see it as a whole and not divided by borders into hundred pieces. We are trying to find more such people who are ready to contribute to the common good based on the human essence, who want to help in the development of a valuable global culture. Our goal is not through the globalization to make everything the same, abolishing all cultures. On the contrary, we want to help people open their minds to the broadness and the variety of the cultures, so that they have a choice, a choice to choose a culture, a worldview, where they can feel "at home".