## TWINMONASTERIES

A sacred route to inspire tourism

PROJECT TITLE	The twin monasteries – Węgrów and Rawa Ruska: using the potentia of the heritage of Reformati Order for development of tourism and socio-cultural life in Poland and Ukraine	
IMPLEMENTATION PERIOD	01.08.2019 – 30.04.2022	
ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED	Roman Catholic Parish Church of St. Peter of Alcantara and St. Anthony of Padua in Węgrów (PL); Religious Organization "Curia of Lviv Archdiocese of the Roman Catholic Church" in Ukraine (UA)	
PROGRAMME	Poland-Belarus-Ukraine ENI CBC 2014-2020 PL-BY-UA	PL-BY-UA 2014-2020
TOTAL BUDGET	2.638.872,58 €	



The Reformed Franciscan order has had a significant impact on the history of the border towns of Węgrów (PL) and Rava Ruska (UA), leaving outstanding barogue monasteries built by Italian architects: the Church of St. Peter of Alcantara and St. Anthony of Padua (Wegrów) and the Abbey of Archangel Michael (Rava-Ruska). The advanced state of damage of both religious sites did not allow to exploit their full potential, both as tourist objects and socio-educational centers. The TwinMonasteries project reconstructs the sacral buildings and adapts them as centers for Dialogue of Cultures, creating spaces for social, cultural, and educational activities. The renovated monasteries also offer the ground for a new cross-border tourist product -The Former Reformati Order's Monasteries Route – aimed at increasing the tourist attractiveness of the area.



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