

Iberseries & Platino Industria and Berlinale Series Market strengthen their alliance with *Series Match*, a new initiative fostering collaboration between Ibero-American and German companies

Series Match: Germany & Ibero-America will bring together producers from both regions with early-stage series projects to promote co-production and the creation of international synergies.

The call for applications is currently open until **December 15, 2025**.

Madrid, November 10, 2025. As part of their ongoing commitment to strengthen collaboration between Europe and Latin America, **Iberseries & Platino Industria** and **Berlinale Series Market** present ***Series Match***, a joint initiative designed to facilitate meetings between Ibero-American and German production companies with early-stage series projects.

The program aims to boost international co-production and foster creative and industrial synergies in both fiction and documentary formats.

The event will take place on **February 16, 2026**, at the **CinemaxX Lounge** within the **Berlinale Series Market**, bringing together **five German and five Ibero-American production companies**, each presenting an early-development project. The initiative seeks to encourage international collaboration, promote creative exchange, and open new opportunities for business and co-production between both regions.

A platform to promote new alliances and international projects

The call for ***Series Match: Germany & Ibero-America*** is now open. Selected companies will have the opportunity to explore creative synergies, establish international partnerships, and receive specialized guidance from industry professionals and experts in a dynamic, peer-to-peer environment.

With this initiative, **Iberseries & Platino Industria** and **Berlinale Series Market** reaffirm their commitment to strengthening the audiovisual sector as a space for cooperation, diversity, and international visibility.

During the event, **participating companies** will have the opportunity to:

- Present their projects to international colleagues and experts.
- Explore potential co-production and co-development partnerships.

- Receive creative and strategic feedback from industry professionals.
- Expand their professional network within one of the world's most relevant audiovisual markets.

Eligibility Requirements

Eligible participants:

- Production companies based in Germany or in any Ibero-American country.
- Early-stage series projects (fiction or documentary).
- Producers with a genuine interest in international co-production and in exploring new creative alliances.

Format and Timeline

- **Format:** Closed meeting for industry professionals.
- **Structure:** Presentations and roundtable discussions.
- **Application deadline:** December 15, 2025.
- **Event date:** February 16, 2026.
- **Venue:** CinemaxX Lounge, Berlinale Series Market, Berlin.

Required Documentation

Interested companies must submit the following materials for evaluation:

1. A one-page project summary.
2. A half-page description outlining the current development stage of the project.
3. A half-page statement explaining how the project could benefit from collaboration between Germany and Ibero-America.
4. Short biographies (one paragraph each) of the creator and producer.
5. A brief company profile (one paragraph).

Participation Conditions

Participation in **Series Match does not include travel, accommodation, or market accreditation expenses covered by Berlinale Series Market or Iberseries & Platino Industria.**

Selected producers are strongly encouraged to acquire the **EFM Market Badge**, which provides full access to market screenings, industry panels, networking sessions, and other related activities.

Applications, Evaluation, and Selection

All interested production companies are invited to apply for this unique opportunity to connect, create, and develop new stories that transcend borders.

Application form [link](#)

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Submissions will be jointly evaluated by **Iberseries & Platino Industria** and **Berlinale Series Market**, taking into account project originality, international potential, co-production feasibility, and the track record of the creative team.

Selected companies will be notified in early **January 2026**, and their projects will form part of a program designed to promote collaboration, knowledge exchange, and international visibility for emerging Ibero-American and German productions.

About Iberseries & Platino Industria

Iberseries & Platino Industria, the largest business event for Spanish- and Portuguese-language audiovisual content, is organized by **EGEDA** and **Fundación Secuoya**, in collaboration with **FIPCA**, and sponsored by **Madrid Film Office** and **Film Madrid Region**.

Its most recent edition, held at Matadero Madrid, brought together over **2,700 professionals from 50 countries** and **1,500 companies**, including producers, distributors, broadcasters, platforms, studios, financiers, creatives, talents, and other key players in the audiovisual industry.

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