

## **BARBAROSSA – PRODUCTION OF DANCE PROJECT**

**Location: Aspendos Ancient Theater / Antalya - Muhsin Ertuğrul Theatre Hall / Istanbul –**

**The Bodrum Castle / Bodrum**

Istanbul 2010 European Capital of Culture Project

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Barbarossa depicts the life of Ottoman Fleet Admiral Barbarossa Hayrettin Pasha and the 16th century Turkish expansionism in the Mediterranean. Through historical connections, it portrays the human-water relationship in the modern world, and Istanbul's relation with the sea. It constitutes a contemporary platform conjoining dance, music, visual design and literature. The organization of Istanbul, Ankara, Izmir and Samsun State Opera Ballet performers' transportations and rehearsals. Sound and light production of shows in Antalya, Istanbul and Bodrum.