Festival sustainability policy

The Cap Roig Festival is a unique experience that offers participants a wonderful selection of music and food in a setting of unquestionable beauty: the Cap Roig Gardens, located in Girona province between Palafrugell and Mont-ras.

These are the main reasons why the Cap Roig Festival, organised by the "la Caixa" Banking Foundation, has become a cultural and tourist highlight during the Costa Brava summer since it was first held in 2001.

At the "la Caixa" Banking Foundation, we're aware that, in order to guarantee quality and preserve the event’s prestige, we need to ensure we comply with some demanding sustainability criteria in the broadest sense, namely in sociocultural, economic, and environmental terms.

Therefore, in line with the "la Caixa" Foundation’s values, we undertake to apply the following principles during the preparation and celebration of the Cap Roig Festival:

- Commitment to sustainable development
  Including sustainability criteria in the Cap Roig Festival is consistent with the Sustainable Development Goals approved during the 2015 United Nations Summit (target 2030), with the COP21, and with the World Charter for Sustainable Tourism +20.

- Compliance with current legislation and voluntary commitments
  Respecting the law is an unavoidable responsibility and we therefore focus our efforts on guaranteeing compliance with legislation, as well as with regulations on responsible management, in each and every one of the tasks carried out and in all of the services provided by the Festival.

  We explicitly reject any practice that promotes sexual exploitation (or any other kind of exploitation) as well as commercial harassment, especially with regard to children, teenagers, women and minorities.

- Generating positive effects in the area
  We’re aware that the Festival should have a positive impact on the area where it’s held, avoiding anything that might have negative sociocultural, economic or environmental repercussions.

- Sensitivity towards diversity
  All visitors should be able to fully enjoy the Festival. We therefore commit to adopting accessibility measures to guarantee universal access for everyone, especially those with any type of sensory, physical, intellectual or psychological impairment.

- Continuous improvement and satisfaction guarantee
  In a society that's constantly evolving, we commit to implementing actions and good practices that will turn the Festival into a benchmark for sustainability.

  We also strive to guarantee the satisfaction of all those involved in the Festival: festival-goers, artists and staff that participate in each and every one of the phases in preparing and holding this event.

- Transparent and responsible communication
  The Festival's publicity and marketing provide true and understandable information, avoiding the creation of unattainable expectations and complying with the sustainability measures implemented at the event.

- Shared responsibility
  In order to make the Cap Roig Festival sustainable, we rely on the collaboration of the entire value chain. We therefore establish good practices with all the parties involved in the Festival.

  We also publicly commit to fulfilling the commitments presented in our current policy, approved by the "la Caixa" Banking Foundation’s senior management.

Approved by the Executive Committee on 27/2/2017.