



Beauty of the Costa Brava

INTERNATIONAL ART FESTIVAL & CONTEST

Artists, designers, photographers, sculptors, masters of applied art are invited to take part in this festival-contest

Spain, Lloret de Mar

2026	2027	2028
October 23 — 28	May 02 — 07 June 25 — 30 July 08 — 13 August 01 — 06 September 19 — 24 October 29 — November 03	April 30 — May 05 June 25 — 30 July 09 — 14 July 30 — August 04 September 24 — 29 October 29 — November 03

The International Festival of Fine Arts and Photography “BEAUTY OF THE COSTA BRAVA” takes place on the picturesque Costa Brava. Costa Brava means “wild coast” in Spanish. Its coastal ensemble is made up of picturesque rocky cliffs, interspersed with small bays and beaches.

The depth of the sea usually begins as early as a dozen meters from the shore. The region borders France, and its Mediterranean coast is bounded to the north and south by the resort areas of Costa Brava and Costa Dorada. On the border with France, in the town of Figueres, there is the Salvador Dali House Museum.

For many artists, the visual arts competition is a unique opportunity to be inspired by the beauty of the Mediterranean and to present their artwork for an international audience. Therefore, **finding sponsors** who can support young talents might be a great option to make this dream come true.

It is also a photography contest, which allows photographers to show their creativity and gather material for new artworks. The exchange of experience among creative people always creates strong relationships for years. Competitive artworks are evaluated by a professional international **jury** according to expert evaluation criteria.

6 reasons why you need participate in International Contest of fine arts

60 participating countries	Official awards and prizes	International jury
The possibility of travel	International dating	Vacations on the Mediterranean Sea

Two types of participation in the contest of fine arts

- 1.Participation in the competition;
2. Participation without the competition as part of the festival program*.

*For those who do not want to take part in the competition program and be evaluated by the jury, but want to perform at the festival in an open and friendly atmosphere. Exchange experiences, visit master classes and take advantage of excursion programs!

Categories:

- **Fine art;**
- **Photo and video creativity (photo workshops, photo exhibitions, studios, authors);**
- **Arts and crafts and design (art workshops, studios, independent masters).**

AGE GROUPS OF THE PARTICIPANTS:

- I) younger than 9 years old
- II) 10-12 years old
- III) 13-15 years old

- IV) 16-19 years old
- V) 20 to 25 years old
- VI) from 26 years old
- VII) Mixed age category Mixta

TERMS OF PARTICIPATION

- Each participant can submit no more than 2 competitive works, format no more than A3;
- The subject and technique of the work is various;
- Tablets (for photographers cameras).

JURY:

The jury staff of the international festival-competition consists of the artists and creative persons from Spain, France, Italy, Canada and Eastern Europe and Asia. The international jury is formed by the organizer of the festival.

The jury has the right:

- To award not all prizes;
- To divide the prizes between the participants;
- Award special prizes to teachers for outstanding achievements;
- The Jury evaluates the competitors on a 100-point system, the final result is made up of the average number of points received and the average value of the intermediate evaluations;
- Decisions of the jury are final and are not the subject to revision.

The Evaluation Criteria:

creative individuality and skill of the author;
 mastery of composition techniques;
 mastery of the technique in which the artwork is done;
 originality of the idea and execution;
 coloristic solution.

AWARDS

According to the genres of performance and nominations the awards are divided into the groups:

- — participants who scored up to 70 points become diploma holders;
- — participants who scored from 70 to 79 points become laureates of the third degree;
- — participants who scored from 80 to 89 points become the laureates of the second degree;
- — participants who scored from 90 to 99 points become the laureates of the first degree;
- — The participants who scored 100 points become the Grand Prize winners of the Contest “**BEAUTY OF THE COSTA BRAVA**”.
- Grand Prix winners receive a big cup and diplomas (one per group/quartet/trio/duo/solo);
- First place winners receive a standard trophy and diplomas (one per group/quartet/trio/duo/solo);
- Second and third place winners receive diplomas (one per group/quartet/trio/duo/solo);
- All contestants receive diplomas with their results (one per composition/group/quartet/trio/duet/solo).

*Groups of 5 people or more, receive a special engraving from the city authorities.

*Each leader and sponsor of the group receives a letter of thanks on stamped paper of the Kingdom of Spain.

*Each contestant in the group can request a personal diploma and medal for an additional fee (before the competition).

PROGRAM OF STAY:

Day 1:

- Hotel accommodation (hotel check-in from 14:00)
- Meeting with the organizers of the contest;
- dinner.

Day 2:

- breakfast;
- lunch (if you have ordered this option at an additional cost);
- first exhibition of works;
- dinner.

Day 3:

- breakfast;
- sightseeing tours, optionally (for extra charge);
- lunch (if you have ordered this option at an additional cost);
- dinner.

Day 4:

- breakfast; free day;
- sightseeing tours, optionally (extra charge);
- lunch (if you have ordered this option at an additional cost);
- dinner.

Day 5:

- breakfast;
- sightseeing tours, optionally (extra charge);
- lunch (if you have ordered this option at an additional cost);
- the second exhibition of artworks;
- rewarding of the participants on the stage of the main square of the city;
- dinner.

Day 6:

- 8:00 — breakfast;
- Check out from the hotel (before 10:00 am).

 **ATTENTION:** the program could be the subject to change!

 **ATTENTION:** We can provide transfers from/to airports and railway stations. Please check with our managers about the price of transfers: info@fiestalonía.net

 **ENLARGE** the number of days of stay and we will organize for You an excellent excursion program! The price for extra days is shown in the PRICE section. For detailed information about the excursion programs, please contact our managers by email: info@fiestalonía.net

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* If you have lunch at the hotel and you don't attend due to excursions, or concerts, please order a 'Picnic' (dry ration) at the hotel reception 24 hours in advance that you can take with you in the box.

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- Accommodation in a 3* hotel or a 4** hotel (6 days / 5 nights)
- Half board (buffet: breakfast, dinner + drinks; lunch for an additional price – cost €6,60 for children under 12 years old, €9,90 from 12 years old);
- Diplomas registered by the Spanish office of the Organizer (one per group/category);
- Special diplomas on a metal base from the city authorities (for groups from 5 people);
- Letters of appreciation for group leaders and sponsors on numbered State Emblem paper of the Kingdom of Spain;
- For the leaders of the groups of 25 people or more we provide accommodation in a double room at the price of a triple room;
- Festival fee.

NOTE: For teachers and accompanying persons who do not perform at the festival and do not participate in master classes a 10% discount on the package price is provided.

FREE PLACES

For every 25th participant in the group 1 free package is provided (with the accommodation in triple room).

ADDITIONAL SERVICES:

**Each contestant can request a named diploma and medal for 14 euros (before the competition, is given during the award ceremony). This option is ordered by up to 90% of all participants.*

**Additional letters of appreciation on a numbered State Emblem paper of the Kingdom of Spain can be requested for 10 euros (before the competition). This option is ordered by up to 80% of all participants.*

**Add excursions to your stay (this option is ordered by up to 90% of all participants).*

**You can order a personalized written comment from the jury – cost 70 euros per work (before the competition);*

**Those who come to Spain, can supplement their stay package with lunches in the hotel (buffet).*

For persons under 12 years old – the cost of lunch is 6,60 euros.

For persons over 12 years old – the cost of lunch is 9,90 euros.

**Services of a professional photographer and cameraman – your personal video clip at the contest (prices to be specified).*

PERIOD OF ACCEPTING THE APPLICATIONS

- the last day of receiving of the applications is for 30 days before the beginning of the festival;
- the last day of payment is for 21 days before the beginning of the festival;
- terms and conditions of the agreement are to be requested from our managers.

**Ask for the price by email: info@fiestalonía.net or by phone
(WhatsApp, Telegram): +34 688 276 248**

THE APPLICATION CAN BE FILLED OUT AT THE LINK:

<https://fiestalonía.net/fest/bcb-en/>