

ANBI Publication — Stichting Culture Unlimited

Fiscal year: 2023

General Information

Legal form	Foundation (Stichting)
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Sector	Arts & Culture

Objectives and Mission

Culture Unlimited Foundation promotes intercultural dialogue and social cohesion through music and cultural projects. We connect people across cultures by organising festivals, concerts, and educational programmes, with a focus on Syria and its diaspora, as well as collaborations in the Netherlands, Europe, and the Middle East.

Policy Plan / Main Objectives

- Organise the Culture Unlimited Festival annually in multiple Dutch cities (November–December).
- Develop educational and community programmes that engage diverse audiences.
- Create new collaborations between Dutch and international musicians.
- Build long-term partnerships with cultural organisations and venues.
- Funding through subsidies, cultural funds, sponsorships, donations, and ticket sales.
- Expenditure focused on artist fees, production, technical support, communication, and outreach.

Organisation & Remuneration Policy

The foundation is governed by an unpaid, volunteer board. Project staff and freelancers are contracted per project. Artists and professionals are remunerated according to sector standards and fair fee guidelines.

Activity Report 2023

The Culture Unlimited Festival 2023 ran from 3 November to 16 December in The Hague, Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Leiden and Utrecht. Below is a selection of programme highlights and partnerships across cities.

Programme Highlights by City

Amsterdam

- 8 December – *Splendor*: West End Big Band with Soloists

Rotterdam

- 5 November – *Verhalenhuis*: Kimya Band & Guests
- 10 November: Sougata Roy Chowdhury (sarode) & Suman Sarkar (tabla)
- 30 November: Rembrandt Frerichs & Wereldzee Ensemble with New European Ensemble (NEuE)
- 2 December – *Grounds at Codarts*: West End Big Band with Soloists
- 7 December: *Under the Surface*, Jeroen van Vliet & Geert Mul

The Hague

- 4 & 11 November – *Paleiskerk*: Ilmatar Kamerkoor & Soloists
- 10 December – *Grote Kerk*: International Human Rights Day Festival

Leiden

- 1 December – *Lokhorstkerk*: Eastern Lights Christmas Concert

Utrecht

- 10 November – *Mennonite Community*: Ilmatar Kamerkoor & Guests
- 10 December – *Theater Kikker*: West End Big Band with Soloists
- 16 December: New European Ensemble

Financial Information (Fiscal Year 2023)

Income Category	Amount (€)
Total Income	17,023

Expenditure Category	Amount (€)
Materials and supplies (cost of goods/materials)	5,360
Fees for outsourced work / external services	5,867
Transport (auto & transport)	320
Other general costs (admin/overhead)	407
Total Expenditure	11,954

Result (Surplus 2023): € 5,069

Balance Sheet as of 31 December 2023

Equity / Reserves	
Reserves 31/12/2023	10,982
Liabilities (current)	3,554
Total Equity and Liabilities	14,536

Because the Culture Unlimited Festival takes place in November and December, part of the funding and related payments are received or disbursed in the following fiscal year. This allows us to secure additional support for the same festival after the year ends and to engage and remunerate more artists and

collaborators.

Board & Organisation

Jakob De Jonge – President

Nada al-Rubaiee – Treasurer

Geert Mul – Board Member

Staff: Freelancers and volunteers engaged per project.

Notes on Use of Funds

All income is allocated to cultural and social activities in line with the foundation's mission. Reserves are modest and intended to secure continuity and financial stability for future projects and festivals.

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activity report), please contact us at hannibal100@gmail.com.