

Call for proposals for FiraTàrrega 2025

FiraTarrega opens its call for proposals for professional companies that would like to present shows of any stage discipline and format (small, medium and large), aimed at any type of audience and that can be located in indoor, street or non-conventional venues.

The artistic director will select a programme featuring shows taking place on the street or in non-conventional spaces (60%) and in indoor venues (40%). The call does not limit applications, although the companies are selected according to origin: Catalonia (50%), rest of Spain (25%) and international (25%).

For the selection of the shows, the artistic quality of the proposal will be taken into account, as well as its consistency and viability in terms of technical specifications and its consistency and viability in terms of the market, that is to say, that it is designed to be able to tour and/or open up new markets.

Other, non-exclusive criteria that will be taken into account are:

- 1. Ability to build connections to citizens and/or the environment, involvement of active audiences, hybrid languages and contemporary aesthetics, and commitment to the values of gender perspective, sustainability and accessibility.
- 2. Co-productions and partnerships that support the proposal (confirmed or in process).
- 3. Proposals by emerging artists.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE CALL

Companies applying to participate in FiraTarrega accept the following terms and conditions:

1. General conditions

Companies interested in submitting an artistic proposal to FiraTarrega must fill in the **registration form** https://www.firatarrega.cat/artistes/en_artistes-participar-form/and attach: a proposal dossier, technical sheet and market objectives (filling in the attached form), between 1 July and 30 September 2024 (both dates included).

The selected companies must be available to perform throughout FiraTarrega, which will be held from 11 to 14 September 2025.

During March 2025, FiraTàrrega will inform the companies whether or not they have been selected.

The decisions by FiraTarrega's artistic director regarding the call are final.

All proposals submitted and not selected will be taken into account for other promotional programmes within the framework of FiraTarrega's market activities.

2. Financial terms

Companies participating in Fira-Tarrega will be paid 50% of their fee for the show, depending on the number of performances to be carried out.

3. Meals, accommodation and transportation for the companies

Number of people: For the purposes of accommodation and meals, the actors/actresses involved in the show, one technician and one touring agent will be counted as members of the company.

Meals: FiraTarrega will facilitate meals for the company (lunch and/ or dinner according to the schedule and days of the performances), through a system of catering tickets valid in several Tarrega restaurants. In any case, breakfasts are not included.

Accommodation: Fira will provide accommodation for the company according to the schedule and days of its performances and according to the company's usual place of residence. Given the limitation of accommodation, only double rooms will be provided, in hotels located between Tarrega and the city of Lleida: the characteristics of the accommodation will depend on availability. International companies will have priority accommodation in Tàrrega. For hotels outside the city, there will be a return bus service.

Transportation: FiraTàrrega only takes care of the companies' transfer from Barcelona el Prat airport – Tàrrega // Tàrrega – Barcelona Barcelona el Prat airport. FiraTàrrega does not cover the company's travel expenses to Tàrrega or back to its place of origin.

4. Technical conditions

For shows that have already premiered, the technical sheet presented to the artistic director when the programme is being negotiated is the one that will be validated as final and featuring the most detailed technical requirements; this technical sheet may be subject to changes due to Fira's technical needs.

Any subsequent changes or additions to this document that involve a budget increase will be borne by the company.

The shows that premiere during Fira and do not have a final technical sheet must negotiate it directly with Fira's technical management.

Fira will not supply any type of stage props or fungible materials (such as gels, lights, pyrotechnics...) or musical instruments.

FiraTarrega technicians are responsible for the installation of the equipment in the venue and supporting the company's technicians during assembly. The company's technicians are responsible for the assembly and for the performance.

5. Data protection

The data of the companies that are part of the FiraTàrrega programme will be included in an artist database that will be treated in accordance with European Data Protection legislation. The information collected will be used for contractual purposes, to promote the company's show and to inform the company of future activities organised by FiraTàrrega.

6. Communication

The selected companies will transfer indefinitely the reporting rights for the purposes of dissemination and archiving of Fira itself and of their participation in the event.

FiraTàrrega will authorise accredited journalists and media to take photos and video images of the indoor shows, for communication purposes of their participation in the Fair, during the first 5 minutes of the show.

7. Formalisation of the collaboration

Each selected company must sign a performance contract with FiraTarrega, in accordance with the procedure established by the Public Sector Contracts Law.

Further information

For further information, you can contact us by phone (+34) 973 310 854 or by email at info@firatarrega.com. FiraTàrrega is the commercial brand of Fira de Teatre al Carrer de Tàrrega, a Local Public Business Entity governed by a Board of Directors that includes Tàrrega City Council, Lleida County Council, the Ministry of Culture and the Generalitat de Catalunya. Fira de Teatre al Carrer de Tàrrega. VAT number: V25203530. Av. de Josep Trepat i Galceran, s/n. 25300 Tàrrega.