



# Policy plan Stichting Lumo Foundation 2020 - 2024

## 1. Introduction

The (Stichting) Lumo Foundation was established on April 9, 2020 with the aim of introducing the widest possible public to an important phenomenon in European art history: the Artists' Colony.

From the first half of the 19th century, artists and especially painters all over Europe went outside to work in nature and to escape the academism of the artistic training at the time.

In addition to the possibility to work in peace in a relatively cheap and healthy way, the places where the artists gathered offered the opportunity to forge bonds and inspire each other.

Domburg was such a 'classic' Artists' Colony, which originated in the 19th century and flourished until well into the 1920s. Thanks to the revival of the phenomenon of the Artists' Colony at the end of the 20th century, the 'modern' Artists' Colony is experiencing a new bloom in many European countries and former colonies such as Domburg.

From Domburg, the Lumo Foundation wants to help promote attention for it and the study of it.

## 2. Mission

The mission of the (Stichting) Lumo Foundation is to acquaint the widest possible public with the European Artists' Colonies in general and the Artists' Colony Domburg in particular and to focus on performing everything related to this or possibly conducive to it. The Lumo Foundation wants to achieve its goals through various activities (see 3. Activities 2020-2024) but also by trying to acquire possession of artworks or to receive them on loan.

The Lumo Foundation is not for profit and all proceeds will benefit its purpose.

### 3. Activities 2020-2024

- The Lumo Foundation maintains a website ([www.lumofoundation.eu](http://www.lumofoundation.eu)), which will keep interested parties informed about research, interesting publications, exhibitions and other activities.
- The Lumo Foundation will commission new research into the phenomenon of the European Artists' Colony and coordinate existing research.
- In addition, projects and mutual partnerships for researchers and artists will be stimulated and / or supported.
- In this context, the Lumo Foundation will keep close contact with EuroArt, the Federation of European Artists Colonies and its bodies.
- In particular, the ICEAC (International Research and Documentation Centre for the study of European Artists' Colonies, [www.iceac.eu](http://www.iceac.eu)) will be supported in the broadest sense of the word. Its objective, namely to establish a scientific centre in Domburg, is fully in line with that of the Lumo Foundation.
- The Lumo Foundation will have a comparable contact with Impressionisms Routes ([www.impressionismsroutes.com](http://www.impressionismsroutes.com)), a European organisation with a similar objective to EuroArt, focused on the places where the Impressionists worked.

### 4. Finances

The (Stichting) Lumo Foundation wants to achieve its goal by trying to acquire capital through donations and to claim subsidies for activities.

The members of the board do not receive any compensation other than compensation for expenses actually incurred.

In the event of dissolution of the Foundation, any surplus balance will be spent on a public benefit institution with a similar objective.

### 5. Organisation

The (Stichting) Lumo Foundation has a board consisting of five volunteers. At its establishment, the Board of the Foundation has the following members:

- Francisca van Vloten – Chair
- Lemke van Slijpe – Secretary
- Inge van Leusen – Treasurer
- Roderik de Wilde – Member
- Arnold van Houtum – Member

## 6. Independence of the board

The Board of the (Stichting) Lumo Foundation is independent of donors and beneficiaries. The members may not dispose of the Foundation's assets as if it were his / her own assets. The by-laws of the Foundation describe the division of tasks and management relationships within the board, as well as the manner of decision-making. A copy of these regulations can be requested from the board by anyone.

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