



# **THE BUTTERFLIES**

**XXL SUSPENDED EXHIBITIONS IN CARPENTRAS**

**THERE'S ART IN THE AIR**

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## ART IS IN THE AIR!

Our mission, “*promoting popular art*,” comes to life each year thanks to the commitment and passion of the artists—whether professional, semi-professional, or amateur.

All ages, all schools, all styles, and all forms of expression come together and connect through creation.

**LES PAPILLONS** is, and will remain, a space of artistic freedom—a celebration of imagination and sensitivity—where each work invites viewers to journey and marvel.

Year after year, our visual arts festival has established itself as an unmissable event in **Carpentras**.

Far more than an event, it is an invitation to discovery and sharing, transforming the city into an open-air gallery.

Every summer, the streets of the historic center are adorned with colors and shapes, hosting the works of 150 painters from across France and beyond.

Their creations captivate the eye, stir emotion, and offer visitors a unique immersion into the world of art.

The talent and creativity of the artists are what make **LES PAPILLONS** such a success.

Thanks to their passion, Carpentras resonates with art each year, and we remain committed to ensuring that this festival continues to be a moment of inspiration and beauty.

**M. Camille Senoble**  
**Président**







## THE BUTTERFLIES

### An Extraordinary Event

**Over 150 XXL canvases suspended throughout the city.**

The international contemporary art exhibition “**Les Papillons**” is a unique aerial installation, showcasing more than **150 giant canvases** from around the world.

Every summer, from July to the end of August, these spectacular works transform the streets of downtown Carpentras into a true open-air museum.

Since its launch in **2009**, “**Les Papillons**” has established itself as one **of the major cultural events** in the region, attracting art lovers and the simply curious into a poetic, immersive atmosphere.



# The Art Umbrellas

## 100 Painted Umbrellas

**A whirlwind of artistic madness is sweeping through Carpentras!**

For the past few years, driven by the association ***Les Papillons***, the city has adorned itself with an installation as poetic as it is unexpected.

More than a hundred emerging and established artists are invited to transform a simple white umbrella into an original artwork.

In total, over **100 unique creations** stretch above pedestrians, forming the most spectacular of **exhibition-parades**.

An **original, artistic, and playful** event where art rises above the streets to delight every gaze.





## ATTRAP'ART

### Giant Dreamcatchers Across the City

#### An Artistic Installation Ready to Take Over the Sky!

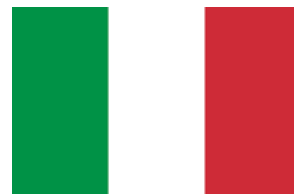
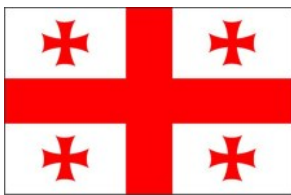
A breath of creativity rises above the city! **Children, teenagers, residents, and artists** have taken on the challenge of transforming everyday objects into true works of art.

These unique creations will float in the air, giving life to a **surprising artistic installation** that reshapes the urban landscape and invites visitors to see the streets and shops in a whole new way.

An original and **poetic event**, celebrating **art, heritage, community, and imagination** in a unique and spectacular form.

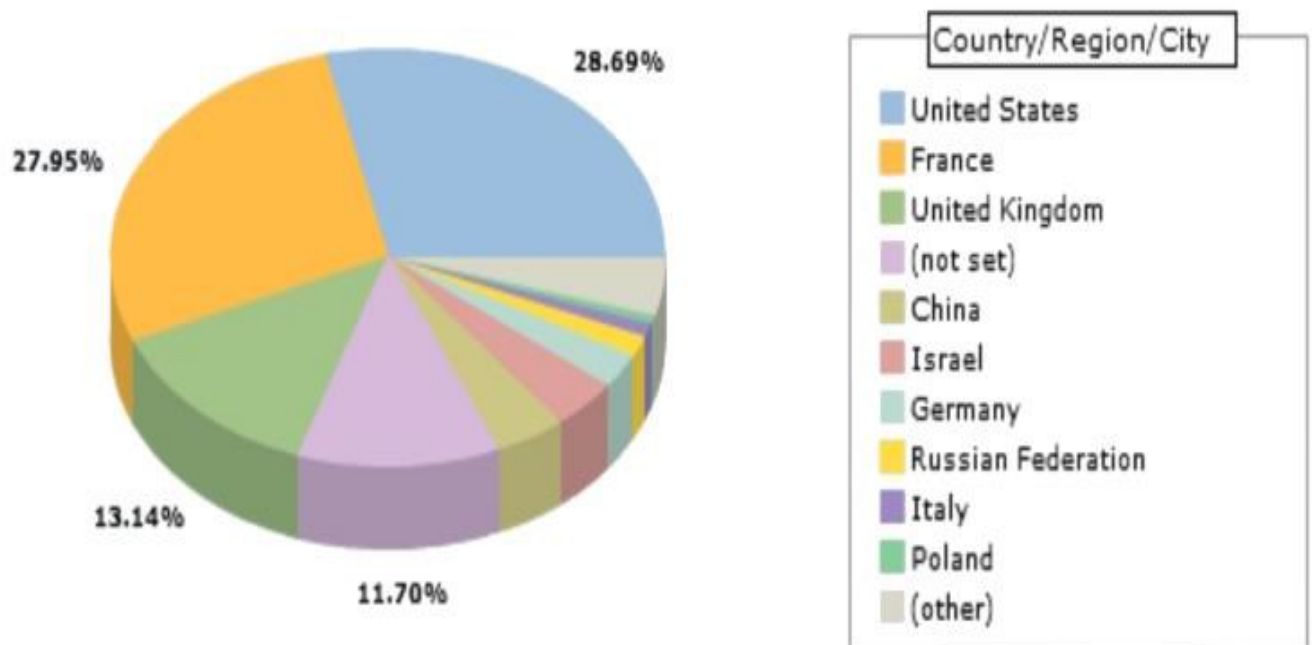
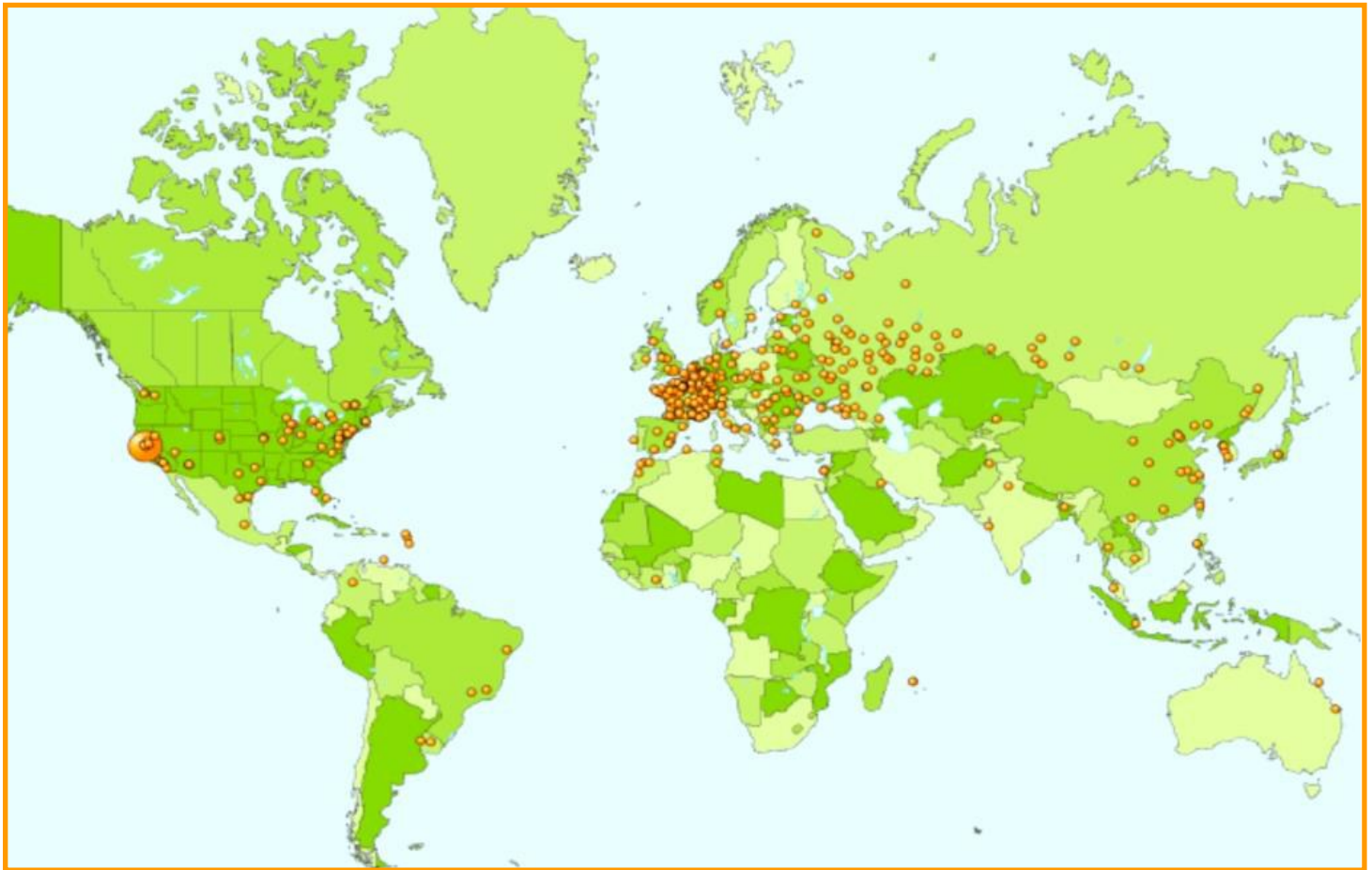


# PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES



# THE FESTIVAL & ITS ONLINE COMMUNITY

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# **FESTIVAL INTERNATIONAL XXL D'ART CONTEMPORAIN À CARPENTRAS**

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