

SUSTAINABILITY POLICY

The Pau Costa Foundation is fully aware of the danger that the world is currently running, so it uses science along with other actors involved in forest fires to significantly reduce this threat since 2011. But not only we try to have an effect related to forest fires but also to sustainability in general.

To do so, the Pau Costa Foundation complies with 11 of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) identified by the United Nations for 2030. SDG are a series of measures approved by 193 countries that aims to end poverty, protect the planet, ensure that all people enjoy peace and prosperity and establish alliances. More information about SDG can be found in our website (www.paucostafoundation.org).

We are committed to integrating sustainability into our daily activities:

- Minimize environmental impacts in the areas of water and energy: we seek to maximize sustainability measures in our workplaces by promoting the reduction of water and energy use.
- Minimize environmental impacts in the area of air quality: the use of public transport is encouraged and also avoidance, when possible, of aerial transportation. Also, the use of teleconferencing for meetings is promoted as a way to avoid unnecessary travels.
- Promote the reduction of material waste and maximizing recycling: we minimize material waste by acting as intermediaries between equipment providers that have stocks to give and agencies and/or organizations in need of this equipment.
- Ensure our supply chain has responsible social and environmental practices.
- Minimize paper-based products and promote digital alternatives.
- Enhance sustainable circular economies that contribute to engage society by creating a positive impact through the consumption of local products, always taking into account the environmental needs.
- Create innovative approaches to minimize negative environmental impacts.
- Operate every aspect of our business in compliance with all applicable environmental legislation, Government policies and approved codes of practice, and voluntarily exceed them when possible.

This policy applies to all activities organized and/or performed by the Pau Costa Foundation. Regarding the activities in which we may participate but do not organize, we commit to explain to third parties our policy and encourage them to align operating practices with policy objectives.