



ROCK IN RIO LISBON FESTIVAL CELEBRATES 10 YEARS IN THE CAPITAL WITH STAR-STUDED LINE UP

12th May 2014 – Stars of the music world once again line up to “rock out” in Lisbon at the **Rock In Rio Lisboa** festival, which this year celebrates its 10th anniversary in the Capital.

The Rolling Stones, Robbie Williams, Justin Timberlake, Linkin Park, Jesse J and Arcade Fire are just some of the big names confirmed who will be taking to the main stage over the following dates - **May 25th, 29th, 30th, 31st and June 1st 2014**. Most recent to join the line up is British singing sensation Paloma Faith who will be performing on the same night as Robbie Williams.

Over the last decade more than 1,700,000 festival-goers have enjoyed the atmosphere at Bela Vista Park, affectionately known as the “city of rock”, and 420 bands and musicians have performed at the Portuguese version of the festival, originally held in Brazil.

With different stages showcasing a variety of artists, the festival aims to cater to a wide audience of music lovers, both young and old. “Palco Mundo” stage hosts the big names from the international music scene, whilst “Tenda Electronica” presents sets from leading Portuguese and international DJs and VJs. For those looking to discover the next big thing, the “Hot Stage” hosts a mix of emerging artists.

Rock In Rio Lisboa is just one of the many music and cultural events taking place across the city in 2014. Music fans can book tickets to see famous Portuguese singer songwriter *Samuel Úria* on 24th May, enjoy the sound of fado during the month-long Festas de Lisboa in June or catch a performance during the *Jazz em Agosto* in August.



Tickets for Rock In Rio Lisboa are available from 61 Euros / £50 per person at

<http://rockinriolisboa.sapo.pt/en/>

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About Lisbon

Portugal's national capital, Lisbon, boasts one of the longest histories, warmest climates and bustling nightlife of any major European city alongside its dramatic location sprawled along seven hills overlooking the river Tagus and Portugal's west coast. Famed for its year-round sunshine and beauty, Lisbon's grand architecture dazzles and its old-world charm mingles with chic streets, galleries, lively nightlife and a centre which gives way to sandy beaches just minutes away. It also one of the most affordable capitals in Europe, perfect for a captivating city break or short haul escape.

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About Turismo de Lisboa

Turismo de Lisboa is a non-profit organization established through an alliance of public and private bodies operating in the tourist sector. It now has around 680 associated members. Since its inception in 1998, the main objective of this association is to improve and increase the promotion of Lisbon as a tourist destination and therefore enhance the quality and competitiveness of the city.