





Sustainable Wine Tourism

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### 1. Where we are?



### Schloss Vollrads has got a beautiful and ideal location in the middle of Germany



70 min to Koblenz



The Upper Rhine Valley is a UNESCO World Heritage Site

8 minutes to Rüdesheim am Rhein



Right on the Rhine River bench



Located near main German Crossroads Motorways and Railstations close by



Direct hiking and cycling trails through the vineyards



30 min to Frankfurt Airport



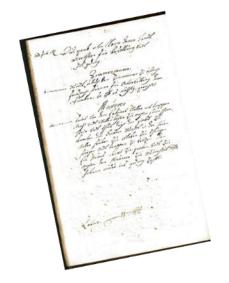


### 2. Who are we?

- -Schloss Vollrads is one of the eldest wine estates wand well known worldwide
- -150 (a.c.) roman foundations
- -850 (a.c) documented vineyard owner
- -1211 wine sales are documented
- -1716 Cabinet as worlds FIRST CLASSIFICATION
- -2023 Certified Bio/Organic farming.
- -Our Forest next to the vines is Birds Sanctuary (since 1934) and Nature Reserve (since 1954)



















### 3. What is our relation to Wine Events and Tourism?







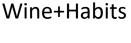


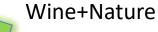
Wine+Talk

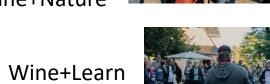
Wine+Food (since 1976)

Wine+Work











Wine+Fun

We have an estimated 550 wine events a

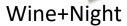
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Wine+Music (since 1987)



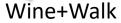
Wine+History







Wine+Art









### 4. Why is sustainability so essential?

Wine history + tradition implements to give content to "SUSTAINABILITY" and not use it as a phrase

So it'll be essential to learn from each other and share best practice models.

here are a few examples:

- No disposable tableware and cutlery
- Reduce paper for business communication and if paper, then recycled
- Reduce post service and related carbon footprint
- No plastic bottles for water and non-alcoholic beverages, no plastic straws
- Only large glass water bottles (1,0 liter) no small bottles
- Use existing buildings and capacity as well as outdoor options for touristic events no outdoor heating
- Own production of related products such as marmalades, jams, preserved food (game meat, sausages from our own restaurant)
- Long term customer relationship to develop common strategies for sustainability
- Long term staff relationsship



# 5. How do we advertise, communicate and emotionalize the events?











### 6. Who organizes the events?

## **STAFF**

S = Skilled

T = (Well)

Trained

A = Attentive

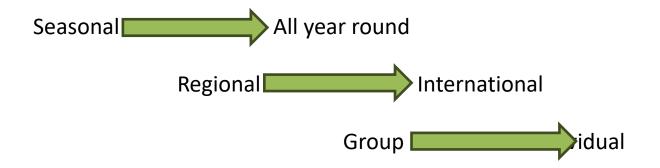
F = Focussed

F = Flexible





### 7. Wine Tourism – Quo Vadis?



### **Relevant topics and issues**







### 8. What's the challenge?

1980 it was important to own vineyards and a winery 2000 it was important to win accolades and have a good wine journalist network 2020 it was important to hire an architect for a unique design in a state-of-the-art building **2030 it will be important to have the best staff** 

- -Staff Qualification essential
- -Fast and attractive marketing
- -Effective communication
- -Digital formats can support but not substitute
- -Some impacts of Covid-19 will stay for long (ever)
- -Wine Industry needs to become more attractive financially otherwise staff will leave
- -QUALITY-SUSTAINABLITY-AUTHENTICITY-UNIQUENESS



### WELCOME TO RIESLING.









Social Media



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