1. GEOPARK IDENTITY

Geopark name, country, regional Network: Catalunya Central UNESCO Global Geopark, Spain, European Geoparks Network.

Year of inscription / Year of the last revalidation: 2012 / 2016

![Picture of the new Geopark's visitor centre at the municipality of Sallent.](image)

2. GEOPARK FIGURES

Number of Geopark staffs: 9 in the geopark core management body, including three geologists.

Number of visitors: It is complicated to estimate the total number of visitors accurately. Statistics show a decrease of up to 75% in many cases compared to 2019.

Number of Geopark events: Twelve.

Number of school classes that realized Geopark educational programmes: About twenty.

Number of Geopark press release: 17 press releases. 1,118 posts in different Digital Media and Social Networks.

3. GEOPARK ACTIVITIES

Major achievements in 2020

- Two new visitor centres, at the municipality of Sallent and the Montserrat Mountain Natural Park.

Contribution towards GGN - Networking and participation

- Participation with the Spanish Geopark's magazine presented at FITUR.
- Participation at the digital Forums and meetings of the EGN, GGN and Spanish Forum.
• Members of the Mining and Wine and Geoparks working groups.
• Participation with an article at the EGN Magazine and to the ENG Newsletter.

Management and Financial Status
• Incorporation of a geologist into the staff, with a temporary contract.
• New financial cooperation with the Government of Catalonia with a 40,000€ grant.

Geoconservation
• Development of a geoconservation plan based on the new geosite inventory.

Sustainable tourism (Geotourism)
• New website (www.geoparc.cat)
• New marketing plan.
• Signalisation of two natural sites: two hiking trails of the Green Ring at Manresa and two viewpoints and a hiking trail at the Natural Park of the Mountain of Montserrat.
• Completion of new infrastructures carried out with the FEDER Plan on geotourism.

New education programmes on geoconservation, sustainable development and disaster risk reduction
• Educational dossier for the new AR Sandbox of the Centre of Documentation and Research of the Geopark.
• Educational suitcase.
• Elaboration of didactic material on the minerals of the geoparks of Spain and Portugal.

Strategic partnership
• Agreement with the Natural Park of Sant Llorenç del Munt i l’Obac.
• Agreement with the Catalan Government railway company (Ferrocarrils de la Generalitat de Catalunya).

Promotional activities
• Coparticipants at the EGN booth at FITUR (Tourism fair in Spain) to promote the Geopark touristic packages.
• Geopark promotional design on the FGC’s trains that communicate with Barcelona.
• Two promotional videos.

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