List of positive aspects for cultural life in a country, applied in the Cultural Climate Barometer

Balanced subsidies between mainstream institutions and new or small-scale initiatives

Conscious efforts at equalising access to culture across the country

Contemporary creation is in focus

Cultural life is not overwhelmed by commercial forces

Cultural policies respond to fundamental issues of society

Culture is amply promoted in the media

Education prepares successfully for contemporary culture

Effective incentives generate private contributions (sponsorship, philanthropy)

Efficient coordination mechanisms exist between culture and other policy fields

Fair procedures in the distribution of public grants

Government budget reflects priority for culture

Impressive professional level of cultural managers

In school curricula the arts are given an important place

Level of private contribution (sponsorship, philanthropy) is stable and important

Limited direct political influence into cultural matters

Limited instances of vanity projects that absorb huge sums of money

Local (municipal) culture receives necessary resources

Policies reflect visionary leadership

Political and economic elite demonstrates appreciation for culture

Proper attention is given to culture's impact on the economy

Public's attention is balanced between entertainment and deeper cultural challenges

Stable financial situation of the public

Strong and influential culture ministry

Structure of cultural institutions has been adapted to today's needs

Successes in the inclusion of disadvantaged social groups into culture

The country attracts cultural talent from abroad

Transparent procedures in policy decisions and planning

(Respondents are asked to select five items.)