



UNIPOL GROUP SPONSOR OF THE BOLOGNA JAZZ FESTIVAL

Three evenings at the Unipol Auditorium

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The Unipol Group renews its support as sponsor of the Bologna Jazz Festival, now in its twelfth edition. The event continues to follow the approach adopted in recent years: the month-long event will feature the best from the international jazz scene, with an eye to tradition and new languages.

The festival will start by focusing on contemporary music with a combination of jazz, electronica (Enrico Rava - Matthew Herbert - Giovanni Guidi) and rap (Steve Lehman & Sélébéyone).

There will be three evening events at the **Unipol Auditorium**: on 30 October, the public will be able to listen to talented saxophonist Steve Lehman, followed by a tribute to Lee Konitz's career on 2 November and a performance by the Tower Jazz Composers on 5 November. Highlights of the festival will include a concert by Chick Corea & Steve Gadd Band on 7 November and the celebration of one hundred years since the birth of Thelonious Monk (4 by Monk by 4) on 14 November.

With its support for the Bologna Jazz Festival, the Unipol Group once again confirms its wish to participate in the cultural and artistic life of the community, in line with its values and the belief that the company's economic development must be accompanied by support for the cultural and social growth of the community. Through its Corporate Sponsorship Program, the Unipol Group wishes to stay close to people and the community, supporting projects that embrace sport, scientific research, social utility, the environment, entertainment, art and culture, such as in the case of this prestigious music festival.

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