Re: Question about using images

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Hey Daniela and Julika, thanks for reaching out! In principle there should be nothing wrong with applying a blur effect to our photos when you are displaying them, so long as our linking and attribution policies are followed.

However, that screenshot you showed me does raise a few other concerns. Are you translating our 10-scale venue rating to a 5-star based one? Or are you pulling in stars from another provider? We actively discourage translating our 10-point scale to a 5-point one, and if you are combining Foursquare data with that from other providers, make sure you're following our venue database usage rules.

Hope this helps and let me know if you have any further questions.

Best,
David

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On Thu, Dec 18, 2014 at 3:47 AM, Daniela Gülec <daniela.guelec@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Sir or Madam,

we are students from Germany. As a student project we have to develop a web application in which we want to use information and images provided by foursquare. We have one question about using images:

Is it allowed to use the images with a blur overlay?
We will leave the original file unchanged. With the website we will put a blur overlay over the original file. The image will be (example attached) only in the background.

Yours sincerely

Daniela Gülec and Julika Weller

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1. Hacienda　　18:30 - 19:30

„Seit 1991 der temperamentvolle Mexikaner in Stuttgart! Erleben Sie die richtige Mischung aus vielfältigen mexikanischen Gaumenfreuden und bester Unterhaltung"

2. Mauritius　　19:30 - 20:30

„Zentral in der Stadtmitte gelegen, lädt es mit großem überdachten Galeriebereich zu kulinarischen Genüssen mit hochwertigen Cocktails und erlesenen Weinen ein"

3. Sausalitos　　20:30 - 21:30

„Genieße den Moment, wenn an der Bar Cocktail mixen zu Kunst wird oder unsere Köche in der offenen Küche das Fleisch vor deinen Augen braten, mexikanisches Essen mit kalifornischem Einfluss sowie Specials aus aller Welt zaubern"

4. Joe Pena´s　　21:30 - 22:30

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