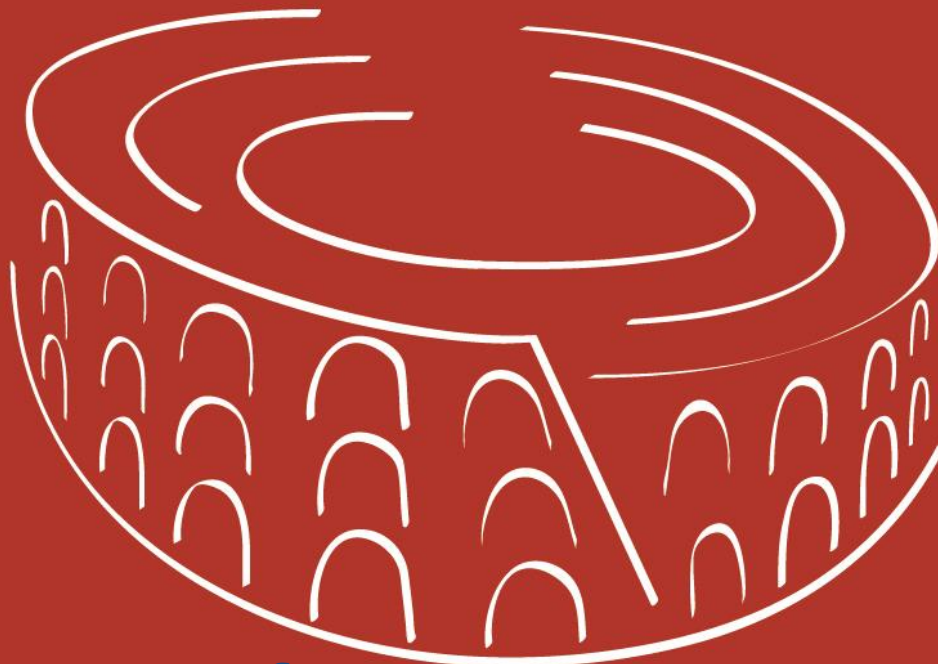




# Plenary Meeting 2012

17-22 June - Rome, Italy



## Info Tourist Point

**Where to find:**  
**Opening hours:**  
**Contacts:**  
**Services:**

Ergife Palace Hotel - Ground Floor  
From Sun. 17 to Fri. 22 from 9:00 to 19:00  
e-mail: [info@grupposymposia.it](mailto:info@grupposymposia.it)  
Information and Booking on:

1. Transports
2. Restaurants
3. Main archeological sites and museums
4. Special events of the week



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## 1. TRANSPORTS

The Info Tourist Point will help you to choose the best way to visit Rome giving you information on public transports and tickets, calling a taxi, hiring a car and buying you "Roma Pass" .

### **What Roma Pass is:**

"Roma Pass" is a **tree days special tourist-cultural card** that gives tourists the opportunity to benefit from various discounts and services that make it easier and cheaper to enjoy the splendors of Rome.

### **Roma Pass includes:**

- Free entry to the first 2 visited museums and/or archaeological sites of your choice. Free admission includes the exhibition held in the museum
- Concessionary ticket to all other museums and/or archaeological sites visited thereafter. The concessionary ticket includes the exhibition held in the museum.
- Free use of Rome public transports. Valid until midnight of the third day after the first validation on ATAC public transport
- Discounted tickets to exhibitions, events and other collaborating operators and businesses
- Reduced charges for use of the On-call Multi-lingual Medical Service for Tourists (MET Travel Health)
- Tourist cultural service: Roma Informa.

### **How to buy it:**

- by CREDIT CARD (pre booking) - sending your credit card number to the Info Tourist Point (fax: 0039.06.39725541).
- by CASH – at the Info Tourist Point at the Ergife Palace Hotel.  
*Please kindly note that Roma Pass will be available from the day after the payment.*

Price per unit: € 30,00

## 2. RESTAURANTS

The Info Tourist Point staff will suggest you a wide range of choice among the best restaurants in Rome. They will be glad to help you choosing and booking the best restaurant for you and to figure out the best way to get there.

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### 3. MAIN ARCHEOLOGICAL SITES AND MUSEUMS

#### COLOSSEUM

*"As long as the Colosseum stands, Rome will stand; and when Rome falls, so will the world".* One of the seven wonders of the world, the Colosseum, a mammoth amphitheater was begun by Emperor Vespasian and inaugurated by Titus in the year 80. Today it is the symbol of Rome worldwide and is a major tourist attraction...a must see!



#### CAMPIDOGLIO AND CAPITOLINE MUSEUMS

The Capitoline Museums, located on the Capitoline Hill - one of the 77 highest spots in Rome - date back to 1471, when Pope Sixtus IV donated a group of bronze statues of great symbolic value to the People of Rome. The collections are linked to the city of Rome and most of the exhibits come from the city itself.



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## VATICAN MUSEUMS

Visiting the Vatican is an incredible experience. The Vatican Museums are among the greatest museums in the world and display works from the immense collection built up by the Roman Catholic Church throughout the centuries.



## AUDITORIUM PARCO DELLA MUSICA

"Auditorium Parco della Musica", located in one of the most luxurious district of Rome, is one of the best-known designs of Renzo Piano. Since the inauguration in 2002 the Auditorium, a multi-functional complex with shops, café and restaurants, plays a key role for the roman cultural reality.



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## VILLA BORGHESE ART GALLERY

No visit to Rome can be complete without seeing the Borghese Gallery. It is one of Europe's most extraordinary art experiences and none of the great periods of art history are lacking in this immensely valuable assortment of works which are also enhanced by the refined taste of the displays.



## MAXXI - NATIONAL MUSEUM OF 21ST CENTURY ARTS

MAXXI, the first Italian public museum devoted to contemporary creativity, arts and architecture provides not only an arena in which to exhibit art, but a research 'hothouse' – a space where contemporary languages of design, fashion, cinema, art and architecture can meet in new dialogue. Three words encapsulate the MAXXI vision – innovation, multiculturalism, interdisciplinary.



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### VITTORIANO ART MUSEUM - SALVADOR DALI

The exhibition will focus on a selection of outstanding paintings, around which a series of other items, including objects, illustrations and theatre and cinema costumes, will examine every aspect of the Spanish painter's activities. Documents, photographs, drawings, letters, projects, and objects will all document his journeys through Italy, and his inspirational encounters, like those with Anna Magnani and Luchino Visconti.



### ARA PACIS - RUSSIAN AVANT-GARDES

The most remarkable achievements of Russian art in the XX Century - Cubo-Futurism, with its unique synthesis of European trends of the time, the originality of Abstract art, Constructivism, with its architectural compositions and Suprematism with its geometric purity - are represented in this single major exhibition: Russian Avant-gardes.



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#### 4. SPECIAL EVENTS OF THE WEEK

The Info Tourist Point will be pleased to help you planning your Roman nights.

*Suggested events:*

**June 19<sup>th</sup> – Lang Lang Concert**

**Auditorium Parco della Musica of Rome – 8.30 pm.**

Lang is a world famous chinese concert pianist who has performed with leading orchestras in Europe, United States and his native China.

He played for the Berlin Philharmonic, the Vienna Philharmonic and the top American orchestras.

At the Auditorium Parco della Musica Lang will play:

Bach, partita n.1 bw 825

Shubert, sonata d960

Chopin, 12 studi op25



Event Programme:

**Transfer** from Ergife Palace Hotel at 7.00 pm. Arrival at Auditorium Parco della Musica at 8.00 pm.

**Transfer** from Auditorium Parco della Musica (11.00 pm. Approximately) to Ergife Palace Hotel.

**Price per person: € 55,00** (21% VAT included)

Price includes: transfers, staff assistance, ticket for the concert

**Mandatory reservation within June, 15** by sending your credit card number by fax at 0039.06.39725541.

We do not charge your credit card except for a cancellation fee (euro 20) made 72 hs. before the concert.

**Payment mode:**

- by CASH – at the Info Tourist Point at the Ergife Palace Hotel until the morning of June, 19.

**The visit will only be held with a minimum of 20 and a maximum of 30 persons.**

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## June 21<sup>th</sup> – The Moon above the Colosseum Colosseum night opening – 9.45 pm.

The Moon above the Colosseum is one of the main event of the *summer archeological season*: the guided tour leads through the monument enlighten by the charming atmosphere of the Colosseum.



### Event Programme:

**Transfer** from Ergife Palace Hotel at 8.30 pm. Arrival at Colosseum at 9.15 pm.

**Transfer** from Colosseum at 11.30 p.m. (approximately) to Ergife Palace Hotel.

**Price per person: € 55,00** (21% VAT included)

Price includes: transfers, staff assistance, ticket, guided tour (English language).

**Mandatory reservation within June, 10** by sending your credit card number by fax at 0039.06.39725541.

We do not charge your credit card except for a cancellation fee (euro 20) made 72 hs. before the concert.

### **Payment mode:**

- by CASH – at the Info Tourist Point at the Ergife Palace Hotel until June, 20.

**The visit will only be held with a minimum of 20 and a maximum of 30 persons.**

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## June 22<sup>th</sup> – Museums at sunset

### Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel (night opening) – 7.30 pm.

A special occasion to visit the Vatican Museums and the Sistine Chapel.



#### Event Programme:

**Transfer** from Ergife Palace Hotel at 7.00 pm. Arrival at Vatican Museums at 7.15 pm.

**Transfer** from Vatican Museums (10.30 approximately) to Ergife Palace Hotel (stop in Piazza Cavour).

**Price per person: € 50,00** (21% VAT included)

Price includes: transfers, staff assistance, ticket, 3 hours private guided tour (English language).

**Mandatory reservation within June, 10** by sending your credit card number to the Info Tourist Point by fax at 0039 0639725541. Nothing will be charged on the credit card, except for a penalty of € 20,00 in case of cancellation with 72 h before the concert.

#### **Payment mode:**

- by CASH – at the Info Tourist Point at the Ergife Palace Hotel until June, 21.

**The visit will only be held with a minimum of 20 and a maximum of 30 persons.**

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