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➔ A Note from the Publisher

Those visiting Milan this month will find an apparently deserted city because August is when most people take their holidays. However, take it easy and don't be discouraged, even in **August Milan continues to throb with life**. This is a great time to enjoy an unencumbered view of the city. In August, the best way to see the sights is by riding a tram, hiring a bike or simply taking to the streets with a good guide in hand and we can assure you that nothing is better than this magazine and the suggestions given by your concierge.

Milan is a different city in August. Life is much calmer, traffic less congested and opportunities abound. The crisis hit hard here meaning that you will be able to find a number of excellent shopping options at affordable prices. Furthermore, if you're a non-EU citizen you will be able to take further advantage of our premium tax-free shopping option.

We warmly suggest a visit to the **Museum of Science and Technology**, one of the most interesting in Europe, situated just moments away from the **Cenacolo** or the **Museo Archeologico**, a small gem that will give you an insightful view into the origins of Milan, currently hosting a temporary exhibit about the reign of the Empire in the holy land during the time of Jesus (see page 40). Whatever you do, don't miss the jewellery display. The exhibition can be completed in just under one hour, thus leaving you time to visit several of Milan's most beautiful frescoes hosted in the **Church of San Maurizio**, housed in the same building as the Archaeological Museum (Corso Magenta, **Map E5**).

If you're wondering what to do next, continue a little further towards the centre of the city until you reach the **Ambrosiana**, home to numerous masterpieces by Renaissance genius Leonardo da Vinci. **Make sure to bring this copy of Where with you as it will entitle you to a free audioguide.**

Before leaving, remember two things: vote for your favourite concierge on **www.wheremilan.com** and register on **www.milanlovesyou.com** designed to help you keep you in touch with the city at all times. The city is now yours: discover and enjoy!

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Road of the Abbeys

In anticipation of Expo 2015, the Provincia di Milano is presenting a special initiative for tourism: Road of the Abbeys. A new interesting itinerary to discover and enjoy the artistic treasures of Milan and its outlying areas, a delightful experience combining art, religion, nature and enogastronomy... don't miss it!

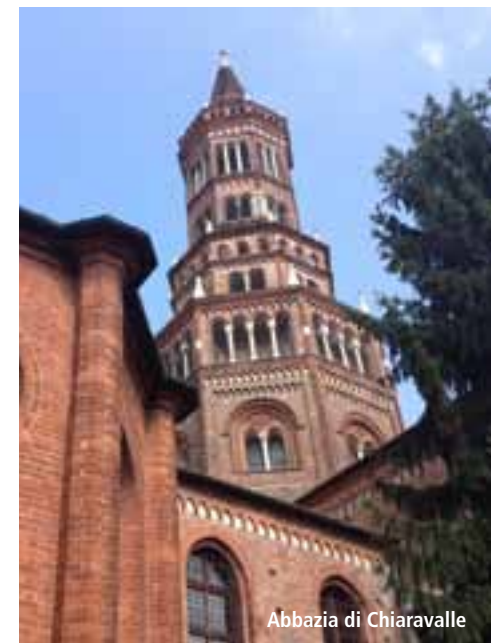
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Long stretches of the itinerary – just over 100 km – traverse the **Agricolo Sud Milano Park** and the **Valle del Ticino Park** and can be covered either on foot or by bicycle in discovery of unique landscapes, marked by rocks, canals, fountains, windmills, country roads and large farmhouses, where you can stop and savour a number of specialities of the Lombardy area.

During the year, a cornucopia of unmissable opportunities and events, from religious feasts to historic re-enactments, from **concerts** to **guided tours** of sites of historic interest, from **workshops** to **gastronomic exhibitions** plus loads of markets where you can purchase local produce or handicrafts. For example, in August, the area hosts the feasts of two Patron Saints, i.e. S. Bernardo in Morimondo and San Costantino in Gudo Visconti.



Abbazia di Chiaravalle



Abbazia di Morimondo



Top in town

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— The Last Supper by Leonardo da Vinci

One of the most famous attractions in the world, "L'Ultima Cena" or "Cenacolo" by Leonardo da Vinci is a large 15th century mural painting representing the scene of the last supper of Jesus narrated in the Gospel. It can be found in the church of Santa Maria delle Grazie. Booking required: ask your concierge. www.cenacolovinciano.net

— Duomo, the symbol of Milan

Among one of the most important (and majestic) Gothic buildings in the world, the Duomo, constructed on and off over a period of 450 years (begun 1386) is the symbol of Milan. To experience it at its most majestic you must ascend to the roof (either by elevator or by steps) where you will be surrounded by an outburst of pinnacles, turrets and marble statuary and, naturally, the city's famed golden Madonnina. The cathedral is open daily 8.30am-6.45pm. Admission free. www.duomomilano.it. Piazza Duomo. M1-M3 Duomo.

— "Il Castello"

The ancient seat of the ruling Visconti, the Castello Sforzesco was later rebuilt by Francesco Sforza and is now simply known by the Milanese as "Il Castello". Demolished and reconstructed several times from 1300 onwards, it has served as the backdrop for numerous historic events. Today, it houses a number of interesting museums and libraries. Its park is a favourite with old and young alike. Open daily 7am-6pm. Free admission. M1-M2 Cadorna FN; M1 Cairoli; M2 Lanza.

— Galleria, the "living room" of the Milanese

Sometimes known as "the living-room of the Milanese", Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II with its elegant, four-storey arcade, housing luxury cafés and famous designer shops, is covered by a glass barrel vault and a beautiful glass cupola and measures 196 metres in length. Tradition has it that placing your right heel on the bull, depicted in the mosaic on the floor, and then spinning around inside it, will bring good luck. Piazza Duomo-Piazza della Scala. M1-M3 Duomo.

— The Opera house

The world's premier opera house, built at the behest of Empress Maria Teresa of Austria and designed by Piermarini, the Teatro alla Scala was inaugurated in 1778 with an opera by Antonio Salieri. www.teatroallascala.org. Piazza della Scala. M1-M3 Duomo; M3 Montenapoleone.

— Ambrosiana, all about Leonardo

The Ambrosiana picture gallery contains several exquisite works of art from the 15th through 17th centuries and includes "The musician", attributed to Leonardo, Raphael's cartoon for the "School of Athens" fresco and Caravaggio's "Basket of fruit". The Ambrosiana library will be exhibiting Leonardo's entire Codex Atlanticus until 2015, 44 or 45 pages at a time for three months at a stretch. www.ambrosiana.it. Piazza Pio XI, 2. M1-M3 Duomo, M1 Cordusio.

— 20th Century art

One of the youngest museums in the city, lying adjacent to the Duomo, the Museo del Novecento hosts more than 400 20th century masterpieces of Italian and international art – ranging from Fontana to Picasso – at the recently refurbished Palazzo dell'Arengario. A building where works of art interact with the city, engaging with the past while looking towards the future. www.museodelnovecento.org. Piazza Duomo. M1-M3 Duomo.

— Masterpieces of science and technology

Found in a 16th century monastery, the Museo Nazionale della Scienza e della Tecnologia Leonardo da Vinci is one of the most important museums of science and technology in the world. Its collections, featuring cars, aircraft, ships, scooters, trains, reconstructions of ancient workshops for metalworking, explore the relationship between men and machines starting from Leonardo da Vinci. Don't miss a visit to the new Must Shop. www.museoscienza.org. Via San Vittore, 21. M2 Sant'Ambrogio.

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The Last Supper



Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II



Castello Sforzesco



Museo del Novecento

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2 FRIDAY COMICS

head to Palazzo Reale to see "Guido Crepax: ritratto di un artista", the first complete exhibition of works by the Milanese artist, until 15 September. Ask your concierge.

THURSDAY	1	DUOMO: evening opening of the Terraces of the Duomo, sponsored by "Estate in Duomo": sunset from the spires of the cathedral (Thurs-Sun, 9am-9pm, until 15 September).
SATURDAY	3	EXHIBITION: "Da Gerusalemme a Milano", a journey in discovery of the birth of Christianity (Civic Archeological Museum, until June 2014).
SUNDAY	4	PHOTOGRAPHY: "A Glimpse at Photo Vogue", a selection of the works of Photo Vogue's most talented artists, on show at Galleria Sozzani in corso Como until 10 August.
MONDAY	5	ANTIQUES: until 15 September, an unusual display of more than 50 fragments of Egyptian fabrics created between the Hellenist and Medieval ages. Castello Sforzesco.
TUESDAY	6	PHOTOGRAPHY: Palazzo Reale hosts the works by well-known artist and photographer Francesco Jodice taken from project "What We Want" (until 30 September, p. 8).
WEDNESDAY	7	SPORT: Palazzo Reale opens its doors to two icons of football Helenio Herrera and Nereo Rocco with the exhibition "Quelli che... Milan Inter '63" (until 30 September, p. 8).
THURSDAY	8	OUT OF TOWN: "La Traviata", the majestic opera in three acts by Giuseppe Verdi will be staged at the Arena di Verona. The complete Arena calendar is on p. 8. Ask your concierge.
FRIDAY	9	ARCHITECTURE: until 1 September, the Triennale di Milano will host the winning projects of prestigious architecture competition "Mies van der Rohe" 2013.
SATURDAY	10	FESTIVAL: singer Pitbull will perform at LatinoAmericando Expo 2013, the "must-visit" festival of Latin American culture on show at Milan's Forum di Assago, until 13 August.
SUNDAY	11	ARCHITECTURE: head to Palazzo Morando to see Patrizia Mussa's photographs of "Ville Nouvelle", the new city designed by architect Jean Balladur (until 1 September).
MONDAY	12	ART: The Museo del 900 hosts works from the collection of Milanese gallerist Gianfranco Bellora dealing with verbal-visual artistic research in the 1960s (until 8 September).
TUESDAY	13	CERAMICS: The Fornasetti showroom in corso Matteotti hosts "Il Piatto Forte", an exhibition of '50s-'60s dinner services from the Fornasetti archives (until 14 September).

WEDNESDAY	14	ART: Fondazione Stelline features the exhibition "Pittura europea dagli '80 ad oggi", with works from the Alessandro Grassi Collection (until September).
FRIDAY	16	DANCE: until 31 October, to mark the bicentenary of the La Scala Ballet School, the Centro Diagnostico Italiano (via Saint Bon) will host the exhibition "Album di compleanno".
SATURDAY	17	ART: at the "1963 e dintorni" exhibition currently on show at Gallerie d'Italia, thirty works tell the story of Italian art (until 27 October). Ask your concierge.
SUNDAY	18	CASTLE: until 4 September, "Un'Estate Sforzesca" boasting a host of special events and initiatives. Today you can enjoy a bilingual guided tour of the battlements (see p. 8,10).
MONDAY	19	ART: for the first time in Italy, a display of works from the Jonas Netter collection "Modigliani e la Scuola di Parigi" (Palazzo Reale, until 8 September, p. 8).
TUESDAY	20	PHOTOGRAPHY: black and white stories of Milan and its inhabitants seen through the evocative lens of Gianni Berengo Gardin, at Palazzo Reale until 8 September (p. 8).
WEDNESDAY	21	PHOTOS: "Apartheid", an exhibition by the International Center of Photography in New York about South Africa during the 50 years of Apartheid (at PAC, until 15 September).
THURSDAY	22	PORTRAITS: at Pinacoteca di Brera, "Zavattini e i Maestri del Novecento", a truly unique exhibition featuring the self-portraits of some tens of personages.
FRIDAY	23	DESIGN: Triennale Design Museum commemorates well-known designer and architect Gae Aulenti with a selection of several of his most iconic objects (see p. 8).
SATURDAY	24	COMICS: be swept away at WOW Spazio Fumetto by the "Belgio, il regno del fumetto" exhibition with many comic strip characters from Tintin to the Smurfs (until 6 October).
SUNDAY	25	ART: last day to visit "E subito riprende il viaggio...", more than 100 works on loan from the MA*GA museum hosted at the spaces of the Triennale di Milano.
MONDAY	26	LEONARDO: head to the Ambrosiana and the Sacrestia del Bramante to see the new chapter of Leonardo da Vinci's Codex Atlanticus "Favole e Facezie", until 8 September.
TUESDAY	27	ROCK: California band System Of A Down returns to the Italian music scene in a concert at Fiera Milano Live in Rho. Ask your concierge.
WEDNESDAY	28	CONCERT: only Italy date for popular American industrial group Nine Inch Nails at Milan's Forum di Assago. Ask your concierge.
THURSDAY	29	CONTEMPORARY ART: the spaces of Hangar Bicocca present "Mike Kelley", an unprecedented exhibition featuring installations and videos (until 8 September).
SATURDAY	31	MOVIES: until September 22, Palazzo Reale will host the exhibition "Alfred Hitchcock nei film della Universal Pictures", dedicated to the Master of suspense (p. 8).



15 THURSDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
today it's Ferragosto, a holiday celebrating the Assumption of the Virgin Mary. Most businesses are likely to be closed. Ask your concierge.



30 FRIDAY POP ART
the Museo del Novecento presents the exhibition Andy Warhol's Stardust featuring several of the artist's most famous prints (until 8 September, p. 8).

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MUSEUMS

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• Until 8 September

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Palazzo della Triennale

MUSEO DEL 900

• Until 8 September

ANDY WARHOL'S STARDUST

• Until 8 September

GIANFRANCO BELLORA

Open Mon 2.30pm-7.30pm; Tues, Wed, Fri and Sun 9.30am-7.30pm; Thurs and Sat 9.30am-9.30pm. M1-M3 Duomo. Map F5. www.museodelnovecento.org

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VERDESTATE



The master of suspense
Until 22 September, Milan's **Palazzo Reale** will host an exhibition dedicated to **Alfred Hitchcock**, the master of suspense par excellence. The exhibition traces Hitchcock's career and features a chronology of his masterpieces produced by **Universal Pictures**. A collaboration that brought unforgettable masterpieces including **"Psycho"**, **"Rear Window"**, **"The Birds"**, **"The Woman Who Lived Twice"** and many others besides to the silver screen. www.comune.milano.it

MOVIES



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HOW TO REACH LUGANO

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By train. Trains depart daily both from Milan's Central Station and Porta Garibaldi FS. Info www.trenitalia.com and www.ffs.ch

By bus. FoxTown Outlet Mendrisio: Zani Viaggi, Foro Bonaparte 76. www.zaniviaggi.it



Via Nassa

Located just 70 kilometres from Milan, the city of Lugano will surprise you with its natural beauties and wide array of shopping and entertainment venues at all times of the day

Taking things slowly is an absolute "must" in Lugano. In fact, it is only by strolling leisurely that one is able to discover several of the old city's best kept secrets and hidden corners.

Exclusive shopping

When talking about shopping in Lugano, one immediately thinks about **via Nassa**, a reference point for luxury boutiques, including historic jewellers **Bucherer** whose name, since 1888, has been synonymous with stunning high-precision timepieces and jewellery, and the splendid **Les Ambassadeurs** boutique. In via della Posta 2, corner of via Canova, you can find the **E. Marinella** store, a brand known throughout the world for its stylish, hand-made neckties, worn by heads of state, industrial magnates and celebrities. E. Marinella has recently opened its sixth single-brand boutique in the world, in Baku (Azerbaijan). At Balmelli Sport and Zappa Sport Team, you can find the **HSL Hic Sunt Leones** collections, the well-known Milanese street-minded brand of backpacks, bags and contemporary, glam accessories. Finally, for an exclusive shopping experience, we suggest a trip to the renowned **FoxTown Outlet in Mendrisio**, boasting more than 160 boutiques carrying several of the world's most important haute couture labels at prices discounted from 30 to 70%.

Bucherer High-Class Watches

Since the very beginning, in the world of Haute Horlogerie and Jewellery, the name of Carl F. Bucherer has been synonymous with style and exclusivity. Thanks to its unique, innovative design, the **Patravi Travel Tec GMT** is a perfect example. Standout features include: 46.6mm stainless steel case with a black dial which displays chronograph, date and three time zones. Water resistance is 50 meters. Self winding movement with a 42 hour power reserve, black calf strap and stainless steel folding clasp.



LEFT AND BELOW

The **Patravi Travel Tec GMT** by Bucherer; the **E. Marinella** boutique in Lugano



la Rinascente Food Hall: taste with a view

For a romantic dinner, a business lunch, a party but also a meeting with friends or simply a coffee break on the magnificent terraces overlooking the Duomo, the **Food Hall** on the seventh floor of la Rinascente acts as the perfect backdrop for all occasions. In fact, every day until midnight, guests can take their pick from among several locations.

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• **MAIO RESTAURANT** features an enrapturing magic touch, which however does not cover the special tastes created by chef Luca Seveso, thanks to his long experience and careful research.

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• **IL BAR** is one of the most appealing café in Milan's city centre and awaits you every day for breakfast, light lunch, aperitivo and dinner with the best view in town.

• **YN** is the perfect location for a quick lunch break or aperitivo and boasts an incredibly wide range of products: dozens of wines, to be combined with refined dishes, range from the great musts to those yet unknown but that will certainly shoot to fame.

• **CHAMPAGNERIE MOËT & CHANDON** is a cozy corner for romantic dates, but also an elite luxury lounge for an "aperitivo" with friends, tasting delicacies to be chosen from an

"ad hoc" menu, in a sophisticated atmosphere, far from the madding crowd.

• **BE STEAK** is a refined and dynamic restaurant where you can taste the finest beef cuts, the rarest salts coming from all over the world and the most elaborate mustards for an informal lunch, a gourmet dinner or a simple Club Sandwich.

• **MY SUSHI** is the Milan's best-known take-home sushi offering dozens of sushi, sashimi and delicious finger food, which are fresh and ready for you following the principle "seechoose-eat".

• **JUICE BAR** offers fresh juices and crushes, fruit and vegetable smoothies, blends and milk shakes, yoghurt, fruit salads, steamed vegetables, healthy food... 100% fresh and natural.

• **DE SANTIS** is the perfect place to taste first class sandwiches, made with fresh ingredients and prepared at the moment following original and special recipes. The choice among 210 different recipes presented by turns.

FOOD MARKET AND GIFT BOXES

In addition to the exclusive tasting location on the seventh floor, there is also a **Food Market**, where you can find hundreds of gourmet, "Made-in-Italy" products and specialities from all over the world, which can also be transformed into surprising gift ideas thanks to the **Gift Boxes** provided. By appointment only, expert personal shoppers are at-the-ready for your every shopping need (T: 02 8852471).



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Milan Skyline Tour - € 50.00

4.00pm Departure by bus from Zani Viaggi travel agency (Foro Bonaparte, 76). Bus tour of the modern Porta Nuova district as far as Palazzo Lombardia. "Panoramic" aperitivo at the Skyline restaurant. Walking tour of Corso Como with a stop at a concept store.

6.30pm Return by bus to Zani Viaggi travel agency.

Mondays and Fridays from 1 April to 31 October 2013

NOTES: From 1 November 2013 to 31 March 2014, tours will take place on Monday mornings from 10.00am to 1.00pm.



Milano by Night Tour - € 50.00

8.00pm Departure by bus from Zani Viaggi travel agency (Foro Bonaparte, 76). Bus tour of famous landmarks and the city's most popular nightlife areas. Break for a "Happy Hour" experience (drink included).

10.30pm End of the tour at the Navigli district and return by bus to Zani Viaggi Travel Agency.

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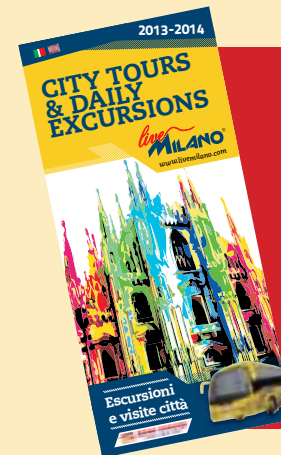


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DAILY EXCURSIONS GUIDE

Discover the Zani Viaggi 2013-2014 city tours, shopping and excursions outside Milan. You have just to choose! Available in the best hotels, tourist offices and on tourist buses.

Venice Skyline



Venice - € 130.00

7.00am Departure by bus from Zani Viaggi travel agency (Foro Bonaparte, 76).

10.30am Arrival in Venice and transfer by boat to St. Mark's square. Meeting with the local tour guide and visit of the city. The tour will end with a short visit to a Glass Factory and free time. In the afternoon optional Gondola trip (extra, not included)

4.30pm Departure for Venice.

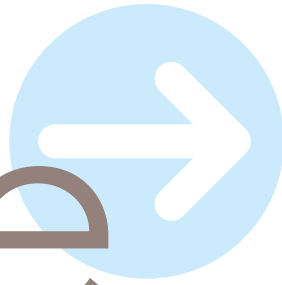
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Shopping



Gucci in the Heart of Brera

Located in the picturesque district of Brera, right in front of the Pinacoteca, Gucci has chosen Milan as the home for its **first European flagship store** dedicated entirely to men. An exclusive space, the Gucci men's store spans more than 500 square metres across three floors and features a large area dedicated to its **"Made-To-Measure" service**, customized luxury tailoring for a glam, elegant, modern-day gentleman. It also boasts a **"Made-to-Order" shoe service** for bespoke footwear, from the choice of materials, colours and sizes right up to the option of having one's initials engraved.

www.gucci.com. Via Brera 21, corner of via Fiori Chiari 1. T: 02 7202921. Map F3

NEW opening

For more detailed listings, please see www.wheretraveler.com

Accessories

AGENT PROVOCATEUR—Irreverent lingerie brand, Agent Provocateur has chosen via Verri for its Italian debut. The seductive elegance, typical of the boutique, tempts customers into a playfully evocative area, dominated by the brand's signature colours – black and pink. Open Mon-Sat 10.30am-7.30pm; Sun 11am-7pm. www.agentprovocateur.com. Via Pietro Verri, 1. T: 02 76024043. M1 San Babila. **Map F4 Closed from 14 to 16 August**

BORSALINO—Historic Italian company synonymous with "hats" the world over. Each piece is an unrepeatable masterpiece, created with an artisan touch, the result of in-depth research that harmonizes fabrics, materials and colours. Open Mon-Tues 10am-2pm/3pm-7pm; Wed-Sun 10am-7pm. www.borsalino.it. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, 92. T: 02 89015436. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map G4 Open daily**

FURLA—Contemporary luxury and a discreet, elegant style. A wide assortment of exclusively "Made-in-Italy" items: bags, footwear, belts, luggage, costume jewellery and jewellery. A perfect example of time-honoured Italian artisan tradition. The chain has other stores in Milan. Open Mon-Sun 10am-7.30pm. www.furla.com. Piazza Duomo, 31. T: 02 89096794. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Open daily**

PUNTO OTTICO HUMANEYES—For more than twenty years, it has boasted a wealth of experience in optometry, collaborating with several leading brands in the industry and using to work with international visitors in Milan. Its selection of different eyewear lines is based on the purest diktats of design and the artisanal rigour of handcrafted items, with painstaking attention being paid to each and every aspect of the production process right up to the creation of frames customized in an array of the most diverse, highly sought-after materials: from natural horn to buffalo to titanium, from gold to eco-sustained wood from Alto Adige. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Thurs-Sat 10am-7pm. www.puntoottico.it.

Piazza F. Meda, 3. T: 02 781999. M1 San Babila. **Map F4 Closed from 11 to 19 August**

SERAPIAN—A story of passion, creative genius and craftsmanship, an exclusive name in high-class leather goods. Serapian boasts two locations: an atelier in via Jommelli, where, since 1945 all of its collections are produced, and a boutique in via della Spiga. The latter offers a special "made to order" service for those in search of high-class objects whose every detail can be customized. Its hallmark features are unique, exclusive made-to-measure products exuding a sense of low-key luxury. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.serapian.com. Via della Spiga, 42. T: 02 76024451. M3 Montenaполеone. **Map G3 Closed from 10 to 27 August**

Books & Magazines

LA FELTRINELLI EXPRESS—A brand new sales point extending over 2500 sq.m. located inside the Stazione Centrale. Spread out over several floors, it offers books, CDs, DVDs, multimedia items, stationery and the largest selection of paperbacks

Guidelines

This directory, grouped by category, is a list of establishments recommended by the editors of *Where Magazine* and includes regular advertisers. The most popular luxury brands and designers stores are grouped under the separate listing **Top Brands**, which can be found on pages 20-21.

MAP LOCATIONS

Note that references in **bold** at the end of each listing (**A1, B5** etc) refer to the coordinates on the street maps on pages 46-47.

INFORMATION

Visitors should note that VAT is generally 21% and it is generally included in the price of goods. Before finalizing a purchase, overseas visitors from outside the EU should ask the shop assistant whether they are eligible for a tax refund. Shopping hours are generally from 9.30am to 7.30pm; less centrally located shops still take the traditional lunch break from 12.30pm or 1pm to 3pm or 4pm. Most shops are closed on Sundays (except those located in central Milan) and on Monday mornings. Make sure to always check ahead. Several unusual shops, stocking items and rarities for collectors and aficionados in specific product categories, are listed under **Passion Shopping** rather than in the standard Shopping sections.

in the city in original language versions. On the ground floor, dedicated to travelers, you can find an international newsstand and a wide selection of guides and books on art and local history. The second floor is given over to infants and children while the third, boasting original frescoes from the Thirties, offers a selection of 65 thousand books, CDs, DVDs and games. The top floor is used for presentations and events. Open Mon-Sun 7am-10pm. www.lafeltrinelli.it. Stazione Centrale. T: 02 6679031. M1-M3 Centrale. **Map G2 Open daily**

Children's Clothing & Toys

MIKI HOUSE—Superb quality and unique style are the hallmarks of this Japanese house of children's fashion and style. Every collection is conceived with the child in mind. Fashioned in workshops in Japan, the clothing is made from fine fabrics and imbued with practical, functional, and unique touches. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.mikihouse.co.jp. Via Montenaполеone, 8 entrance from via Sant'Andrea. T: 02 76011448. M3 Montenaполеone. **Map G4 Closed from 11 to 18 August**

Clothing - Men & Women

ANIMAL HOUSE—Contemporary menswear stocking a wide selection of international brands

- Blauer, Blundstone Shoes, B.D. baggies, Ganesh, Hartford - at this store created as an offshoot of Host (see listing). Animal House is gradually becoming a new destination address for men in the know. Open Mon 3pm-7.30pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7.30pm. Via A. Saffi, 7. T: 02 4694900. M1 Conciliazione, M1-M2 Cadorna. **Map D4 Closed from 10 to 25 August**

ASPESI—Likes to define its style as "basic, with a twist". The cult brand, created in 1990 by fashion veteran Alberto Aspesi, features quirky, tailored lines, elegant details and natural materials. His current collections are still based on the original "no-frills" philosophy and will appeal to all those who like their outerwear without flashy labels. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.aspesi.it. Via Montenaполеone, 13. T: 02 76022478. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenaполеone. **Map G4 Closed from 5 to 20 August**

GOLFINO—One of the most revered companies in Europe for the production of superior-quality golf attire – with sales points in Berlin, Paris, London, Marbella and Saint Andrews – GOLFINO has a flagship store in Milan, in the Bohemian Brera district. The store carries a wide range of on&off course clothing and accessories for women (sizes from 40 to 52) and men (from 46 to 58). A highly qualified staff is available to assist clients with their choice of purchases. Open Mon 2.30pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. www.golfino.com.

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LARUSMIANI CONCEPT BOUTIQUE—An expression of timeless style and a leitmotif of sophisticated elegance located in the heart of Milan's fashion quad in the now completely renovated historic store opened in 1954. A Concept Boutique extending over 700 sq.m. on three floors, it oozes simplicity and understated luxury, reflecting the subtlety of its sumptuous apparel. The perfect place to build your wardrobe with exclusive pieces. Larusmiiani takes luxury retail to a new level. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7.30pm; Sun 10.30am-1.30pm/2.30pm-7pm. www.larusmiiani.it. Via Montenapoleone, 7. T: 02 76006957. M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Open daily**

MARI—Set within the heart of the Quadrilatero della Moda, right next to the Armani Hotel Milano, the Mari boutique is reference point of Italian style that exudes an exquisitely Parisian atmosphere. Three floors dedicated to refined women's clothing collections and the accessories of exclusive brands but also a place where you can indulge your every shopping whim while garnering tips and learning about the latest fashion trends. Open Sun-Mon 11am-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. www.marimilano.com. Via A. Manzoni, 27/29 (corner of piazzetta Croce Rossa). T: 02 80500468. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 11 to 25 August**

MAX MARA—An Italian fashion house known for its ready-to-wear clothing. Established in 1951, since its inception, Max Mara has always offered clean-cut, beautifully tailored lines. Although it has numerous sales points scattered throughout Milan, Italy and the rest of the world, it is not a chain store but rather a real designer label. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7.30pm; Sun 10.30am-7.30pm. www.maxmara.com. Corso Vittorio Emanuele II. T: 02 76008849. M1-M3 Duomo, M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Open daily**

MASSIMO SFORZA—A sought-after address in the heart of via Montenapoleone where you can find all the style and elegance of the brand's refined menswear collections, distinguished by figure-flattering, couture apparel, ultra-light knitwear and artistic intarsia, precious fabrics and skins including cashmere and crocodile and beautifully handcrafted footwear and accessories. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.massimosforza.com. Via Montenapoleone, 23. T: 02 76015653. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 12 to 18 August**

RENCO—Since its inception in 1926, Renco has been synonymous with male elegance, style and "Made-in-Italy" quality and offers a complete range of big and tall men's clothing in sizes ranging from 51 to 85 as well as extra-long sizes from 50 to 68. Elegant, traditional or casual wear: suits, trousers, sweaters, shirts and underwear, in

a welcoming atmosphere designed for a special clientele. All garments and accessories are made according to time-honoured artisan traditions, to guarantee the perfect fit and durability. Open Mon 3.30pm-7.30pm; Tues-Sat 9.30am-7pm. www.rencostore.com. Corso Venezia, 29. T: 02 76000235. **Map G4 Open daily**

WALTER VOULAZ—Perfectly situated in an elegant palazzo in Milan's fashion Quad, Walter Voulaz is sure to win you over thanks to the fantastic quality of their fabrics and wholly "Made-in-Italy" cuts. Real "shirt couture" where meticulous attention to details and plays of volumes lend a sense of uniqueness to each and every garment designed for sophisticated, contemporary women. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10.30am-7pm. www.waltermoulaz.it. Via Manzoni, 29. T: 02 72001676. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 5 to 26 August**

Concept Stores

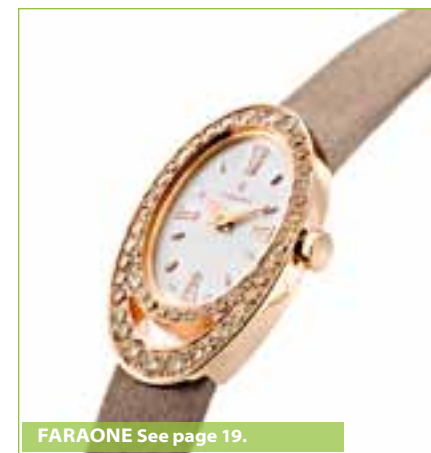
10 CORSO COMO—A unique and ever-expanding mix of selling spaces grouped around a beautiful courtyard in Corso Como's pedestrian area. Worth particular note are the Galleria Carla Sozzani, a book store stocking design books, boutiques, must-have luxury goods, a café and a restaurant. Open Mon-Tues-Fri-Sat-Sun 10.30am-7.30pm; Wed-Thurs 10.30am-9pm. www.10corsocomo.com. Corso Como, 10. M2 Garibaldi FS. T: 02 653531. **Map F2 Closed from 11 to 19 August**

FERRARI STORE MILANO—Dedicated to Ferrari devotees, this authorized sales point of the historic Maranello headquarters sells over three thousand types of Ferrari merchandise including clothing, leather goods, high-class accessories, toys and models. From a minimum of 3.5 euros for a logoed writing pad up to 42 thousand for a Formula 1 engine. A visit to this futuristic, five-storey, location, expressing the explosive soul of car racing, is definitely a worthwhile experience. Open Sun-Fri, 10am-8pm; Sat 10am-9pm. store.ferrari.com. Piazza Liberty, 8. T: 02 76017385. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Open daily**

Jewellery & Watches

BREGUET—This historic brand, synonymous with excellence and technological innovation, shares its exclusive Milanese venue with lovers of the creations of high-class horologerie, by presenting an extensive collection of unique timepieces and jewellery. A scenographic staircase with marble walls leads to the second floor where, in addition to its display cases, visitors are invited to discover everything that they've ever wanted to know about Breguet's workshops at the store's virtual room which offers the screening of interactive, thematic films. Open Mon-Sun 10am-7pm. www.breguet.com. Via Montenapoleone, 19. T: 02 76007756. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed on 15 August**

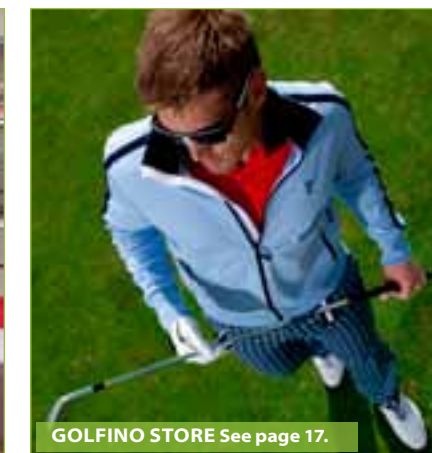
BULGARI—Among the most noteworthy names in the world together with Cartier and Tiffany, since the very beginning, Bulgari has been a reference point for luxury jewellery. It also carries watches, fragrances, accessories and small table items. Its most famous collection is the "Bzero1", originally



FARAONE See page 19.



OUTLIVING See page 29.



GOLFINO STORE See page 17.

crafted in gold and subsequently embellished with diamonds and precious stones. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.bulgari.com. Via Montenapoleone, 2. T: 02 777001. M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Closed from 15 to 18 August**

CARTIER—In addition to its jewellery, Cartier is also famous as a luxury maker of watches, second only in the world to Rolex. Renowned for its design and technology, Cartier's steel watches are embellished with details in gold, platinum and diamonds. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.cartier.it. Via Montenapoleone, 16/A corner of Via Gesù. T: 02 3030421. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 15 to 18 August**

DAMIANI—Master craftsmen since 1924, Damiani has a long goldsmithing tradition which it has

always interpreted with the innovative spirit. Line purity, a refined, elegant classic as well as contemporary spirit, are the distinctive values of the Damiani jewelry repropose in a flagship store designed by Antonio Citterio. A well-lighted space displays all the Maison's jewelry collections, which are admired throughout the world for their jewelry to be realized by master goldsmiths in full accordance with the best Italian tradition. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.damiani.it. Via Montenapoleone, 10. T: 02 76028088. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Open daily**

DE WAN—An elegant, sophisticated space and an ideal venue for this historic brand whose offer ranges from costume jewellery and highly sought-after accessories to leather bags and china collections. Closed Sun and Mon morning.

Open Mon 3.30pm-7.30pm, Tues-Sat 10am-1.30pm/3.30pm-7.30pm. www.dewan.it. Via Manzoni, 44. T: 02 76003018. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F3 Closed from 12 to 18 August**

FARAONE—This historic maison of highclass jewellery interprets Italy's famous tradition of goldsmithery according to an innovative, sophisticated and exclusive vision. A real jeweller's showroom that though boasting a new style and soul nevertheless retains its time-honoured heritage and personality. Faraone offers two exclusive lines, a prêt-à-porter line "I Composable" and a haute-couture line "One-of-a-kind", both featuring an infinite number of combinations shapes and colours. Open Mon-Fri 10am-7pm. www.faraonegioielli.it. Via Montenapoleone, 9. T: 02 76319153. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 3 to 27 August**

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At **FoxTown Factory Stores Mendrisio** - just 50 km north of Milan and only 20 km south of Lugano (Switzerland) - **160 stores** offer the most prestigious brands at prices **discounted from 30% to 70%** all year round. Amongst the famous labels carried are: Armani, Bally, Blumarine, Burberry, Dior, Dolce&Gabbana, Gucci, Hugo Boss, Polo Ralph Lauren, Prada, Salvatore Ferragamo, Valentino, YSL and some 240 other brands. FoxTown is **open daily**, 11am-7pm (except 1 Jan, 1 Aug, Easter and Christmas & Boxing day). Furthermore there are a Casino, 7 bars and restaurants and a Tourist Info Point. Tax-Free Shopping service is available and payment is accepted by major credit cards: Union Pay, Visa, MasterCard, JCB, American Express, Visa Electron, and more. Shuttle bus service by Zani Viaggi (www.zaniviaggi.it).



Top Brands



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Milan is known as one of the shopping capitals of the world. Although high-end purchases can be made in any part of the city, several urban areas are also entirely given over to the business of luxury shopping. First and foremost, the **Quadrilatero della Moda**, set amidst four of Milan's most expensive and prestigious shopping streets, namely **via Montenapoleone**, via Manzoni, via della Spiga and corso Venezia. It is here that the most important fashion designers offer their luxurious creations. **WHERE TIP** Discover the new "Fashion History Tour" by Zani Viaggi (www.zaniviaggi.it/livemilano). Beyond the Quad itself, shoppers can visit other districts such as the **Duomo-corso Vittorio Emanuele II-Galleria-via Dante** area, **Brera** and **Solferino**, with corso Garibaldi and corso Como or the **Vercelli-Belfiore-Marghera** districts.

ALBERTA FERRETTI PHILOSOPHY—www.albertaferretti.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 18. T: 02 76003095. M3 Montenapoleone, M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 18 August

ASPESI—www.aspesi.it. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 13. T: 02 76022478. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 5 to 20 August

BALENCIAGA—www.balenciaga.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Santo Spirito, 19. T: 02 760841. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 10 to 19 August

BLUMARINE—www.blumarine.com. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. Via della Spiga, 42. T: 02 795081. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 10 to 20 August

BORSALINO—www.borsalino.com. Open Mon-Tues 10am-2pm/3pm-7pm; Wed-Sun 10am-7pm. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, 92. T: 02 89015436. M1 Duomo. **Map F4** Open daily

BOTTEGA VENETA—www.bottegabeneta.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 5. T: 02 76024495. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

BRUNELLO CUCINELLI—www.brunellocucinelli.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via della Spiga, 30 (Clothing). T: 02 76015982. M3 Montenapoleone. Map G3 • Via della Spiga, 5 (Accessories). T: 02 76014448. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 11 to 18 August

CARSHOE—www.carshoe.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 11am-2pm/3pm-7pm. Via della Spiga, 1. T: 02 76024027. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Open daily

CASADEI BOUTIQUE—www.casadei.com. Via Sant'Andrea, 1. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. T: 02 76318293. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 4 to 31 August

CHANEL—www.chanel.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 10/A. T: 02 77886999. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

CHURCH'S—www.church-footwear.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 2pm-7:30pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 11. T: 02 76318794. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** • Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 10am-2pm, 3pm-7pm. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, 84. T: 02 72094454. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

DIOR—www.diorcouture.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 12. T: 02 76317801. **Map G4**. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. Closed from 15 to 16 August

DOLCE&GABBANA—www.dolcegabbana.it. Men: open Mon-Sat 10:30am-7:30pm. Corso Venezia, 15. T: 02 76028485. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 14 to 17 August • Women: open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm. Via della Spiga, 26. T: 02 76001155. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 14 to 17 August • Accessories: via della Spiga, 2. T: 02 795747. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 1 to 25 August

EMILIO PUCCI—www.emiliopucci.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 14. T: 02 76318356. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

ERMENEGILDO ZEGNA—www.zegna.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm. Via Montenapoleone, 27/E. T: 02 76006437. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Closed on 15 August

ETRO—www.etro.it. Open Mon-Sun 10am-7:30pm. Via Montenapoleone, 5. T: 02 76005049. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

FAY—www.fay.it. Open Mon-Sun 10:30am-7:30pm. Via della Spiga, 15. T: 02 76017597. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 11 to 25 August

FENDI—www.fendi.com. Open Mon-Thurs 9:30am-9pm; Fri-Sat 9:30am-10pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 16. T: 02 76021617. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

FRATELLI ROSSETTI—www.fratellirossetti.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-8pm; Sun 10am-2pm, 3pm-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 1. T: 02 76021650. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

GIANFRANCO FERRÉ—www.gianfrancoferre.it. Open Mon-Sun 9am-6pm by appointment. Via Pontaccio, 21. T: 02 721341. M2 Lanza Brera-Piccolo Teatro. **Map F3** Closed from 15 to 16 August

GIORGIO ARMANI—www.giorgioarmani.com. Open Mon-Sun 10:30am-7:30pm. Via Montenapoleone, 2. T: 02 76003234. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** • One stop shop for Armani Lifestyle, from food to home accessories. Via A. Manzoni. **Map F4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

GUCCI—www.gucci.com. Open Mon-Fri 10am-7pm; Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 5/7. T: 02 771271. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** • Open Mon-Fri 10am-7pm; Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 10am-7pm. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II. T: 02 8597991. M1, M3 Duomo. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

HERMÈS—www.hermes.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 21. T: 02 76003495. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** • Hermès Aeroporto di Milano-Aeroporto di Malpensa Terminal 1. T: 02 58581265. **Off Map** Closed from 15 to 17 August

HOGAN—www.hoganworld.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 23. T: 02 76011174. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Closed from 11 to 18 August

JIL SANDER—www.jilsander.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via P. Verri, 6. T: 02 7772991. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 17 August

JIMMY CHOO—www.jimmychoo.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 1/A. T: 02 45481770. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

KENZO—www.kenzo.com. Open Mon-Sat 9am-7:30pm; Sun 11am-7pm. Via A. Manzoni, 25. T: 02 72080735. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Open daily

KRIZIA—www.krizia.it. Open Mon 3pm-7:30pm; Tue-Sat 10am-7:30pm. Via della Spiga, 23. T: 02 76008429. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G3** Closed from 4 to 26 August

LES COPAINS—www.lescopains.it. Open Mon 3pm-7pm Tue-Sat 10am-7pm. Via A. Manzoni, 21. T: 02 72080092. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Closed from 5 to 27 August

LORO PIANA—www.loropiana.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 27/c. T: 02 7772901. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Closed from 12 to 19 August

LOUIS VUITTON—www.louisvuitton.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 11:30am-7:30pm. Via Montenapoleone, 2. T: 02 7771711. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** • Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 10:30am-7:30pm. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II. T: 02 72147011. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map G4** Closed on 15 August

MISSONI—www.missoni.it. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Sant'Andrea corner of via Bagutta. T: 02 76003555. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 11 to 25 August

MOSCHINO—www.moschino.it. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 12. T: 02 76000832. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** • Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm. Via della Spiga, 30. T: 02 76004320. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G3** Closed from 12 to 18 August

PRADA—www.prada.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 11am-7pm. Corso Venezia, 3. T: 02 76001426. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** • Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, 63/65. T: 02 876979. M1 Duomo. **Map G4** • Via Montenapoleone, 8 (Woman). T: 02 7771771 / Via Montenapoleone, 6 (Man). T: 02 76020273. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** • Via della Spiga, 18 corner of via Sant'Andrea, 23 (Woman Accessories). T: 02 780465. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Open daily

RALPH LAUREN—www.ralphlauren.com. Open Mon-Sat 10:30am-7:30pm. Via Montenapoleone, 4. T: 02 7788721. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** Closed from 14 to 16 August

ROBERTO CAVALLI—www.robertocavalli.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via della Spiga, 42. T: 02 76020900. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 19 August

ROCCO BAROCCO—www.roccobarocco.it. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via della Spiga, 31. T: 02 76000518. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Open daily

→ Guests Choice

These are the top-ranking brands rated best, last month, by international guests shopping at exclusive locations in the city*.

- Max Mara
- Louis Vuitton
- la Rinascente
- Prada
- D&G
- Armani
- Gucci
- Zara
- Boggi
- Corneliani

*From a survey conducted by the concierges of several of the city's most important hotels regarding the purchases made by their international guests.

SALVATORE FERRAGAMO—www.ferragamo.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 11am-7pm. (Woman) Via Montenapoleone, 3. T: 02 76000054. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** • (Man) Via Montenapoleone, 20/4. T: 02 76006660. M1 San Babila. **Map F4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

TOD'S—www.tods.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7:30pm; Sun 1-7pm. Via della Spiga, 22. T: 02 76002423. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** • Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II. T: 02 877997. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4** Closed on 15 August

TOM FORD—www.tomford.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via P. Verri, 3. T: 02 36529600. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 10 to 17 August

TRUSSARDI—www.trussardi.it. Concept Store: Open Mon-Sat 10am-8:30pm. Piazza della Scala, 5. T: 02 8068821. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4** Closed from 11 to 18 August • Accessories: Open Mon-Sat 10am-8:30pm. Via Sant'Andrea, 5. T: 02 781878. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 5 to 25 August

VALENTINO—www.valentino.com. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 20. T: 02 76006182. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Closed on 15 August

VERSACE—www.versace.com. Open Mon-Sun 10am-7pm. Via Montenapoleone, 11. T: 02 76008528. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 15 to 16 August

YVES SAINT LAURENT—www.ysl.com. Open Mon-Sat 10:30am-7:30pm; Sun 11am-7pm. Via Gesù, 4. T: 02 76000573. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4** Closed from 11 to 18 August

ZILLI—www.zilli.fr. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Via Gesù, 5. T: 02 49541950. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4** Closed from 12 to 18 August



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T: 02 76317726
- **Orologeria Luigi Verga**
Via Mazzini corner of via Dogana, 3
T: 02 8056521
- **Rocca 1794**
Piazza Duomo, 25
T: 02 8057447
- **Gobbi 1842**
Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, 15
T: 02 76020536
- **Luigi Verga Orologi**
Corso Vercelli, 7
T: 02 43995176
- **Ronchi**
via Gonzaga, 5
T: 02 877449

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MARI See page 18.



WALTER VOULAZ See page 18.

GOBBI 1842—Founded in 1842, Gobbi is a reference point for refined jewellery and precious timepieces, such as Patek Philippe, Rolex, Tudor and Baume&Mercier. You will get the same fine assistance that the Gobbi family has been providing its clients for the last six generations. The upper-floor laboratory provides quick, top quality, watch repair and maintenance service. Open Tues-Sat 10am-1.30pm/2.30pm-7pm. Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, 15. T: 02 76020536. M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Closed from 11 to 26 August**

JAEGER-LECOULTRE BOUTIQUE—Ideally located in the heart of Milan's "Golden Fashion Triangle", Jaeger-LeCoultre opened its first Italian boutique in keeping with the spirit of invention and creativity which has set this reference brand of Haute Horlogerie apart in the field of watchmaking since 1833. Featuring

an elegant, low-key interior, this exclusive space harmoniously blends the best of design and contemporary materials with an Art Déco style, a period in which the Swiss watchmakers created the legendary Reverso. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. www.jaeger-lecoultre.com. Via Montenapoleone, 1. T: 02 76281376. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 12 to 18 August**

LUIGI VERGA—A large selection of some of the most desirable watch brands available on the market, including Rolex, Patek Philippe, Cartier, IWC, Jaeger-LeCoultre, Tudor. Luigi Verga also prides itself on its after-sales service and boasts an on-premises UNI EN ISO 9001: EDITION 2008 certified repair workshop. Open Tues-Sat 10am-1.30pm/3pm-7pm.

www.luigiverga.it. Orologeria Luigi Verga: Via G. Mazzini corner of via Dogana, 3. T: 02 8056521. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F5 • Luigi Verga Orologi: Corso Vercelli, 7. T: 02 43995176. M1 Conciliazione. Map C4 Closed from 3 to 31 August**

PISA OROLOGERIA—A watch lover's paradise for over 60 years. Prestigious timepieces with particular attention to the latest innovations. Assistance centre and specialized workshop. Unique gift packaging with delivery guaranteed to any part of the world. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. www.pisaorologeria.com. Via P. Verri corner of via Montenapoleone, 9. T: 02 76208328. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 10 to 25 August**

 **SPOTLIGHT**

Summer Entertainment

Fidenza Village celebrates summer with a series of unmissable initiatives, including the new "Globalista" campaign, dedicated to seasoned travellers featuring supermodel, actress and style icon Milla Jovovich. **Summer also sees the relaunch of Shopping Nights: on Thursdays shops will stay open until 11pm** and in August (on Thursdays) shoppers can also listen to music, savour several of the region's best enogastronomic products, shop and enjoy a truly unique experience.



For evening visits to the outlet, take the free **Shopping Express™** which runs two services, one from Milan's Central Railway at 6.00pm and one from Piazza Castello 1 at 6.30pm, returning at 11.00pm from Fidenza Village. Other fab initiatives include the new "Talent Store", an exclusive collaboration with Vogue Italia, hosting the limited edition collections of several of Italy's most coveted emerging designers and **Fidenza Village Passport**, offering countless benefits until 1 September. **FidenzaVillage.com**

Outlets & Factory Stores

Milan is surrounded by a belt of Outlets and Factory Stores. Real shopping villages offering top Italian and international designer brands at prices discounted from 30 to 70%.



• **FIDENZA VILLAGE** - Fidenza Village is part of the collection of nine "Chic Outlet Shopping" villages in Europe. A real shopping village, offering a fabulous array of designer clothing and homeware.

• **WHERE:** halfway between Milan and Bologna. Take the A1 autostrada and exit at Fidenza/Salsomaggiore Terme. Daily "Shopping Express" shuttle bus also available (departs at 10am from piazza Castello 1, M1 Cairoli).

• **WHAT:** 100 boutiques featuring prestigious designer labels at reduced prices, including Valentino, Paul Smith, Missoni and Michael Kors.

• **NOT ONLY SHOPPING:** thanks to its position, in addition to shopping, Fidenza Village offers a number of other attractions. A great opportunity to learn more about Parma and Terme Verdiane, one of Italy's primary artistic and cultural hubs.

For more information visit: www.fidenzavillage.com

• **FOXTOWN FACTORY STORE** - An outlet store on the Swiss border, FoxTown uses the popular US-style "Factory Stores" formula: practically all the best designer labels, accessories and not only, at factory prices.

• **WHERE:** just 15 km from Lugano and 30 km from Milan. Take the Milano-Lugano autostrada and exit at Mendrisio. The outlet can also be accessed by a daily shuttle service - Zani Viaggi: departure at 2pm from Foro Bonaparte 76, M1 Cairoli-M2 Lanza. (www.zaniviaggi.it)

• **WHAT:** 160 exclusive stores, more than 250 top brands (such as Gucci, Prada, Armani, Dolce&Gabbana, Dior, Polo Ralph Lauren, Lacoste, Burberry, Nike e Tommy Hilfiger), 1 casino, 7 bars and restaurants. And again, new openings of prestigious brands such as Blumarine, Timberland, Lindt, Pollini, Sebastian and Desigual.

For more information, visit: www.foxtown.com

• **SERRAVALLE DESIGNER OUTLET** - One of the first outlet villages in Europe, Serravalle Scrivia is located in the province of Alessandria. Designed as a typical medieval Ligurian town, it combines all the appeal of luxury designer brands with the beauties of the surrounding Piedmont countryside and the Liguria Riviera. McArthurGlen boasts also "Barberino" near Florence, "Castel Romano" near Rome, "La Reggia" in Marcanise near Naples, and "Veneto" at Noventa di Piave near Venice.

• **WHERE:** take the A7 Milano-Genova autostrada and exit at Serravalle Scrivia. The outlet can also be accessed by a daily shuttle service - Zani Viaggi: departures at 10am and 11am from Foro Bonaparte 76, M1 Cairoli-M2 Lanza. (www.zaniviaggi.it)

• **WHAT:** 180 exclusive designer brand stores, elegance, affordable prices and high quality for all pockets. Several events in November.

To discover your favourite designer brands visit: www.mcarthurglen.it

• **VICOLUNGO THE STYLE OUTLETS** - Situated just thirty minutes from Milan, in the province of Novara, the Vicolungo Outlet is the ideal place to spend an exciting day's shopping.

• **WHERE:** take the A4 Milano-Torino autostrada and exit at Biandrate Vicolungo. The outlet can also be accessed by a daily shuttle service - Zani Viaggi: departure at 10.30am from Foro Bonaparte 76, M1 Cairoli-M2 Lanza. (www.zaniviaggi.it)

• **WHAT:** 150 prestigious designer stores offering clothing for the whole family, homeware and beauty products at discounted prices of up to 70%.

• **NOT ONLY SHOPPING:** Vicolungo Outlet also hosts art exhibitions, events and other initiatives for a enjoyable day's outing.

For more information, visit: www.thestyleoutlets.com



THE WAY OF SHOPPING

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PISA OROLOGERIA-ROLEX BOUTIQUE—The Pisa family has always been a forerunner in the watch sector and now hosts the Rolex Boutique. The collaboration between the family and the Rolex brand goes back over 70 years. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.pisaorologeria.com. Via Montenapoleone, 24. T: 02 76317726. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 10 to 25 August**

POMELLATO—Established in 1967 as an artisan laboratory and currently a reference point in Italian gold-crafting. Pomellato trends include vibrant coloured stones set in red gold, irregular cuts and ultra-feminine designs. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. www.pomellato.it. Via San Pietro all'Orto, 17. T: 02 76006086. M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Closed from 10 to 19 August**

ROCCA 1794—Master jewellers and watchmakers since the 18th century, Rocca rates among the first importers of luxury Swiss watches. A selection among the most prestigious brands: Damiani, Rolex, Breguet, Ulysse Nardin, Omega, Cartier, Panerai, Piaget, Vacheron Constantin, Breitling, Jaeger-LeCoultre, Tudor, Gagà. Rocca guarantees outstanding levels of competence and expert skillfull consultancy. Open Mon-Sun 10am-7pm. www.rocca1794.com. Piazza Duomo, 25. T: 02 8057447. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Open daily**

RONCHI—Opened in 1929, it has become a prestigious reference point for all watch lovers, always combining the passion for the high level watchmaking with the love for the refined jewellery, the continuous research of the fashion trend as well as the classic. Among the most prestigious brands: Rolex, Tudor, Jaeger-LeCoultre and Franck Muller. Open Tues-Sat 9.30am-1pm/3pm-7pm. www.ronchigiolielli.com. Via Gonzaga, 5. T: 02 877449. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F5 Closed from 5 to 26 August**

TIFFANY & CO.—This world-renowned jeweller has four flagship stores in Milan, Florence, Bologna and



GIÒSA MILANO See page 28.



HSL HIC SUNT LEONES See page 29.

Rome. Located in the heart of Milan's fashion district, it carries an exclusive selection of classically simple jewellery and gift items in perfect keeping with the tradition of its famous New York counterpart founded in 1837. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.tiffany.com. Via della Spiga, 19/a. T: 02 76022321. M3 Montenapoleone, M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Closed from 15 to 17 August**

TOYWATCH—ToyWatch interprets a new concept of luxury with its brightly coloured watches. Unique collections that are distinguished by their wholly "Made-in-Italy" style and design but also the search for innovative materials, often including a fusion of polycarbonate, plasteramic, steel or velvet combined with Swarovski elements that embellish their faces and straps. www.toy-watch.it. Via Montenapoleone, 25/3. T: 02 76005996. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 15 to 16 August**

VAN CLEEF & ARPELS—Respect for the past, a taste for beauty, a passion for travel and a search

for harmony are the underlying values that the Maison has continued to uphold since its creation in 1906. Values which though never losing sight of contemporary styles nevertheless continue to encourage an ongoing dialogue between those who create the jewellery and those who wear them. A timeless recognizable style defined by elegance, femininity and creative audacity are the hallmark features found in all the collections of this historic brand. For a century Van Cleef & Arpels have been fusing inspiration and technical prowess into creations embodying expertise, ingenuity and talent. Open Tues-Sat 10am-7pm, Mon 3pm-7pm. www.vancleef-arpels.com. Via P. Verri, 10. T: 02 7767951. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 15 to 17 August**

Leather & Luggage

GIÒSA MILANO—An atelier combined with a showroom in the Brera district, where the

Luxury Personal Experiences

by GoldBlack Style



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Manuela Faganelli and Elisa Bongiascia, President and Vice-President of GoldBlack Style.

particular way to work the crocodile leather is, before being a business, a family history for about 40 years. The atelier merges the traditional working techniques of how to handle the most precious leathers with the modern and innovative way to transform them. Today Giòsa Milano has become a reality bringing the finest craftsmanship and producing unique pieces intended to satisfy each customer's necessity, from the choice of colors to the most sophisticated finish. Open Mon-Fri 9am-1pm/2pm-7pm; Sat and Sun by appointment. www.giosamilano.com. Via Ciovasso, 6. T: 02 86997441. M1 Cairoli, M2 Lanza. **Map F4 Closed from 10 to 20 August**

PELLUX-RIMOWA STORE—Situated just a short distance from the Duomo, Pellux is the epitome of luxury travel luggage selling briefcases, suitcases, bags of all shapes and colours and handcrafted lines made from the most precious skins. It is the first Italian flagship store of Rimowa, leading producer of aluminum and polycarbonate suitcases. Open Mon 3pm-7pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7pm. www.pellux.it - www.rimowastoremilano.it. Piazza San Fedele, 2 (entrance from via Agnello). T: 02 864104. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Open daily**

Passion Shopping

HSL HIC SUNT LEONES—The collections of the well-known Milanese street-minded brand of backpacks, bags and contemporary, glam accessories are distinguished by the search for new materials, attention to detail and innovative

design. For example, its one strap flag "Back Pack" is considered a must-have cult item among a younger, international set. A practical backpack that can be worn in front to guarantee comfort and the utmost safety while travelling. Open Tues-Sun 10am-8pm. www.hicsuntleones.com. Corso Europa, 12. T: 02 5390537. M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Closed from 11 to 18 August**

OUTLIVING—Situated just a few steps from the Duomo, Outliving has become a destination store for "quality Swiss" products. A magical world with two souls: one dedicated to those who are passionate about cooking, either for pleasure or as a profession, and another, more intrepid one for those who love the great outdoors. The store carries a variety of products: knives, kitchenware and homeware, multi-purpose items for travellers, binoculars, torches, compasses, barometric stations, whistles, thermoses and flasks. Open Tues-Sat 10am-2pm; 3pm-7pm. www.outliving.it. Via Agnello, 8. T: 0280583246. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Closed from 11 to 31 August**

POLSOGEMELLO—The first shop in Italy dedicated to shirts with cufflinks and all accessories related to this garment. Its various creations for men, women and children are all "Made-in-Italy" and range from elegant to casual styles that can be paired to perfection with the wide array of cufflinks on offer boasting an exclusive, original design, including being "made-to-measure" to suit individual requirements. If you can't find them, they will find them for you. The whole offer is completed by ties and brightly-coloured braces and handmade belts. Open Mon 3pm-7.30pm,

Tues-Sat 10am-12.30am/3pm-7.30pm. www.polsogemello.com. Via G. da Procida, 7. T: 02 89604000. **Map C2 Closed from 4 to 25 August**

SCALA SHOP (LA)—A destination store for the lovers of ballet and opera, this fabulously equipped shop offers a wide choice of books, CDs, DVDs, gift items, merchandise, photos and posters. It has a corner dedicated to dance equipment and shoes by Freddy, the official sponsors of the La Scala Ballet corps. Purchases can also be made online. Open Mon-Sun 10.30am-7.30pm and on evenings during performances. www.lascalashop.it. Largo A. Ghiringhelli. T: 02 45483257. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Closed on 15 August**

SEGWAY—The trendiest, most environmentally-friendly way to visit the city. Segway offers a wide range of services including "Downtown Tour", 3 hours in discovery of the most evocative places in the city's historic centre. Now available: new city bike tours (1.5 h and 3 h). English language or audio-guide included. Reservation advisable. T: 02 39545062 and Mob. 393 2801000 - info@segwaytourmilan.com. Piazza Sempione, 5 (Arco della Pace). www.segwaytourmilan.com - www.milancitytour.it. **Map D3 Open daily**

Shoes

ALFONSO GARLANDO—Tailor-made, Italian-style shoes are the protagonists at this charming boutique in the Brera district, which offers made-to-measure shoes for ladies and brides available in hundreds of different styles and a wide array of materials. Open Mon 12.30am-7.30pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7.30pm; Sun 11am-1.30pm/2.30pm-7pm. www.alfonsogarlando.it. Via Madonna, 1. T: 02 874665. M2 Lanza. **Map F4 Closed from 15 to 16 August**

BALLIN—The signature brand of "Made-in-Italy" excellence and leader in the artisan production of luxury footwear has recently opened a new single-brand store in Milan. Extending over a surface area of 200 sq.m. in Milan's Quadrilatero della Moda, the store makes a statement with its minimalist lines and elegant decor. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. www.ballin-shoes.it. Via Santo Spirito, 5. T: 02 76020183. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 5 to 18 August**

FRATELLI ROSSETTI—Renowned throughout the world for their comfort and fit. These beautifully handcrafted shoes are a perfect mix of luxury and tradition, with an added touch of originality. Beautiful and stylish to boot. Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm; Sun 10am-2pm/3pm-7pm. www.fratellirossetti.com. Via Montenapoleone, 1. T: 02 76021650. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 15 to 18 August**

VERGELIO—A historic brand offering some of the finest quality footwear for men and women. Collections that are always abreast of the latest fashion trends without ever foregoing quality. A Made-in-Italy "must". The chain has many other shops scattered around the city. Open Mon 3pm-7.30pm; Tues-Sat 10am-7.30pm. www.vergelio.it. Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, 10. T: 02 76003087. M1 San Babila. **Map F4 Closed from 15 to 16 August**

Department Stores & Shopping Centers

LA RINASCENTE, a fabulous department store overlooking the Duomo, is a real part of Milan's history. **Open seven days a week: Mon-Sat 9.30 am-10pm; Sun 10am-10pm. www.rinascente.it Piazza Duomo, 10. T: 02 88521. M1-M3 Duomo. Map F4**

La Rinascente Food Hall on the 7th floor features a Food Market brimming with rare delicacies, all origin controlled. It also offers visitors a choice of as many as nine bars and restaurants designed to cover the entire spectrum of taste: My Sushi, Obikà Mozzarella Bar Pizza e Cucina, Il Bar, Juice Bar, YN, Maio Restaurant, Be Steak, De Santis, Champagnerie, Moet & Chandon. Open 7 days a week until midnight (dedicated entrances also on via Santa Radegonda, 1 and via San Raffaele, 2. T: 02 8852471)

COIN is a historic department store, extending over several floors, with its flagship location in piazza Cinque Giornate. Boasting a seamless glass façade, it features one of the largest video walls in Europe and serves as an interactive medium for dialogue with the city. It offers a number of excellent services and an array of the best fashion brands, ranging from clothing to accessories, from home design to food. It also has other branches located in corso Vercelli 44 and in piazza Cantore 12. **Mon-Fri 10am-8pm; Sat 10am-8.30pm; Sun 11am-8pm. www.coin.it. Piazza Cinque Giornate 1/A. T: 02 55192083. Map H5.**

The **PIAZZA PORTELLO** shopping malls are situated near the MICO Congress Centre in a rapidly expanding area: these malls host numerous shops and facilities. **Mon-Sun 8.30am-9pm. Via Grosotto, 7. www.piazzaportello.it. Map B1**



La Rinascente terraces overlooking the Duomo

Welcome to Brera




Alfonso Garlando
Italian-style shoes
 Via Madonnina 1
 corner of piazza del Carmine
 Online Shop
 www.alfonsogarlando.it



GUCCI, Italian high fashion brand



IL CONSOLARE, traditional Italian cuisine



KUSMI TEA, French maison de thé

Brera is synonymous with the artistic heart of the city. In fact, as you stroll along the streets of this ancient district, you cannot help but be enchanted by its almost surreal atmosphere boasting small artisan's workshops or quaint stores selling canvases and paints. Additionally, Brera is home to the impressive **Accademia di Belle Arti**, where visitors can admire Milan's famous painting collection at the **Pinacoteca** (the Brera Picture Gallery), the historic **Biblioteca Nazionale Braidense** (Braidense National Library), the **Museo Astronomico** (The Astronomical Museum), the oldest scientific research institute in the city and the **Giardino Botanico** (Botanical Gardens), an evocative green space located.

WHERE TIP Discover the "Brera Art District" tour by Zani Viaggi (www.zaniviaggi.it/livemilano).

Art, shopping and entertainment

To start your sightseeing tour on the right foot, we suggest stopping for a cup of coffee at **Princi**, not just an ordinary bakery, but a meeting point where, amidst the heady scents of "brioche" and "cappuccino", you will have a chance to begin your day on a high note. A reference point for antique lovers, Brera boasts a large number of antique shops. As an aside, those interested in bargains or bric a brac should definitely make time to visit the **Mercatino di antiquariato e brocantage**, held

on the third Sunday of each month. Not far from the elegant artisan footwear sold by **Iliprandi** or small stationary shop **Rigadritto** offering special gift ideas from all over the world, visitors will find the first Italian monobrand store of fashion guru **Marc Jacobs**, whose adjacent café is the perfect spot for a "trendy" aperitivo. The array of boutiques continues with the new **Gucci** boutique, the first European flagship store, the **Fixdesign Flagship Store**, tailor-made, Italian-style shoes by **Alfonso Garlando**, and the **Kusmi Tea** new tea house, carrying a wide selection of unforgettable blends of blacktea, green tea and infusions. Other points of interest include historic high-class luxury jewellers **Manfredi**, sophisticated scarves by **Faliero Sarti**, the original accessories by **Angela Caputi Giuggiù**, jewellery by **Kidult** in via Pontaccio, designer eyewear by **Alain Mikli** in corso Como, unique leather accessories by **Giòsa Milano** in via Ciovasso and the sartorial tradition of **Ader** and **Montezemolo**. Conversely, for design aficionados, we suggest a visit to the **Calligaris** flagship store, after which you will have a chance to lose yourself amidst the thousands of furnishing ideas offered by **Cargo&Hi-Tech**; *dulcis in fundo*, in the real sense of the word, don't forget to sample the specialties of maitre chocolatier **Guido Gobino** in corso Garibaldi.

ACCADEMIA DI BELLE ARTI - via Brera 28, T: 02 869551 www.accademiadibrera.milano.it
Pinacoteca - T: 02 722631 - www.brera.beniculturali.it
Biblioteca Nazionale Braidense - T: 02 86460907 - www.braidense.it
Museo Astronomico - T: 02 50314680 www.brera.unimi.it
Orto Botanico - T: 02 02 50314680 www.brera.unimi.it
10 CORSO COMO - corso Como 10, T: 02 29013581 - www.10corsocomocafe.it
ADER - via della Moscova 52, T: 02 29062425 www.ader.it
ALAIN MIKLI SHOP - corso Como 9, T: 02 29060349
ALFONSO GARLANDO - via Madonnina 1, T: 02 874665. Online Shop www.alfonsogarlando.it
ALL'ISOLA - corso Como 10, T: 02 6571624
ANGELA CAPUTI GIUGGIÙ - via Madonnina 11, T: 02 86461080 - www.angelacaputi.com
BEBEL'S - via San Marco 38, T: 02 6571658
CALLIGARIS - via Tivoli corner of Foro Bonaparte, T: 02 91988333 www.milano.calligaris.it
CARGO&HI-TECH - piazza XXV aprile, T: 02 6241101 - www.cargomilano.it
CARMINIO - via del Carmine, 3 T: 02 72022992 - www.carminiocucina.com

Tasting suggestions

Between visiting one shop and another, you might be surprised to suddenly discover that it's time for lunch. Try the typical Parma-based charcuterie specialties at **Parma & Co**, where you can also enjoy a Sunday brunch or the famed sandwiches sold by **Panino Giusto**. The afternoon is likely to pass by in a flash until you suddenly realize that it's aperitivo time: you are definitely likely to be seduced by the purely Art Dèco-style atmosphere of **El Tombon de San Marc** or the trendier atmosphere of **Fashion Café** in via San Marco; other options are heady wine tasting sessions in the informal ambience of either **N'Ombra de Vin** or **Moscatelli**. Conversely, the more fashion-oriented will find just what they're looking for in nearby corso Como, featuring Milan's renowned **10 Corso Como**, a café, restaurant, concept store, bookshop and exhibition space. Choosing the right restaurant for dinner might pose quite some discussion. Here are some venues where you can savour authentic Italian cuisine: **Maxelâ**, for meat lovers, **La Briciola**, **Il Consolare**, and **Giallo** for real "VIP-watching", the Mediterranean flavours of **Mimmo-Osteria del Corso**, the Tuscan ones of **Osteria Brunello** and, last

but not least, the characteristic restaurants of old Milan including **Rigolo**, **All'Isola**, **La Libera**, **Bebel's** and **La Vecchia Lira**. Not to be missed, the **Carminio** where the menu changes daily. Finally, make sure to visit **Ristorante 13 Giugno**, a triumph of Sicilian cuisine, and the adjacent **Fattoria di Brera**, a unique pret-à-manger renowned for its stylish ambience and its delightfully fresh fare.



GIÒSA MILANO, colourful crocodile leather

FALIERO SARTI - via Solferino 11, T: 02 8053223
FASHION CAFÉ - via San Marco 1, T: 02 6572021 - www.fashioncafe.it
FATTORIA DI BRERA - piazza Mirabello, 1 (parking in via San Marco), T: 02 36741476. www.ristorante13giugno.it
FIXDESIGN FLAGSHIP STORE - via Fiori Chiari corner of via Brera - (Fixdesign srl T: 0362 1792203) www.fixdesign.it
GUCCI - via Brera 21, corner of via Fiori Chiari, T: 02 7202921. www.gucci.com
GIÒSA MILANO - via Ciovasso 6, T: 02 86997441 - www.giosamilano.com
GUIDO GOBINO - corso Garibaldi 39, T: 02 89096601 - www.guidogobino.it
KUSMI TEA - via Fiori Chiari, 24 T: 02 29000580 - www.kusmithea.com
ILIPRANDI - via Solferino (Galleria San Marco), T: 02 29000580
IL CONSOLARE - via Ciovasso 4, T: 02 8053581 www.ristoranteconsolare.com
KIDULT - via Pontaccio 3, T: 02 72080271 www.kidult.net
LA BRICIOLA - via Solferino 25, T: 02 6551012 www.labriciola.com
LA LIBERA - via Palermo 21, T: 02 8053603 www.ristorantelaliberamilano.com
LA VECCHIA LIRA - Largo La Foppa 5, T: 02 6599136 - www.osteriavecchialira.it
MERCATINO DELL'ANTIQUARIATO

E BROCCANTAGE - via Brera, via Fiori Chiari, via Madonnina, via Formentini, T: 02 794593
MARC JACOBS - P.zza del Carmine 6, T: 02 72004080 - www.marcjacobs.it
MAXELA - via della Moscova 50, T: 02 29062926 - www.maxela.it
MIMMO - Osteria del Corso - corso Garibaldi 75, T: 02 6597441 - www.osteriadelcorso.com
MONTEZEMOLO - corso Garibaldi 50, T: 02 29000184 - www.montezemolo.net
N'OMBRA DE VIN - via San Marco 2, T: 02 6599650 - www.nombradevin.it
OSTERIA BRUNELLO - corso Garibaldi 117, T: 02 6592973 - www.osteria-brunello.it
PANINO GIUSTO - corso Garibaldi 123, T: 02 6554728 - www.paninogiusto.it
PARMA & CO - corso Garibaldi, T: 02 89096720 www.parmaeco.it
PRINCI - via Ponte Vetere 10, T: 02 72016067 / largo La Foppa 2, T: 02 6599013, www.princi.it
RIGADRITTO - via Brera 6, T: 02 80582936 www.rigadritto.com
RIGOLO - via Solferino 11, T: 02 804589
RISTORANTE 13 GIUGNO - piazza Mirabello, 1 (parking in via San Marco), T: 02 29003300. www.ristorante13giugno.it
SPAZIO MANFREDI - via Brera 2, T: 02 876324 www.manfredi-madeinitaly.eu



Cocotte Milan, a Corner of Relaxation

The day at Cocotte gets off to a great start with a first-rate cup of Italian coffee, the fragrance of warm croissants, cakes, freshly squeezed orange juice and innumerable other delicacies. Featuring a tranquil, **convivial atmosphere**, imbued with the aromas of tantalizing starters, main courses and side dishes rich in colour, this venue is also the ideal spot for lunch or a romantic dinner. Everything is prepared and served in **charming "cocotte"**, from which the restaurant takes its name. Recipes that though simple are never banal, including chicken spiced with curry and cinnamon-flavoured raspberries, its classic vegetarian lasagnetta with a white sauce, meat tartare flavoured with egg yolks and Amalfi lemons and, last but not least, its fabulous desserts to end your meal on a high note. Open Mon-Sun, 7am-9pm.

www.cocottemilano.it. Via B. Cellini, 1. T: 02 55189509. Map H4

For more detailed listings, please see www.wheretraveler.com

Haute Cuisine

ACANTO-PRINCIPE DI SAVOIA—A fabulously elegant ambiance awaits you at the famous Hotel Principe di Savoia. The tables are set just the right distance apart, the service is impeccable and the atmosphere exudes charm. The restaurant offers superior quality food prepared by renowned chefs with dishes that stylishly update the classics of Milanese cuisine, with risotto taking centre stage. The chef's creativity is also expressed in the pasta, meat and fish dishes. Open daily 7pm-11pm. Brunch on Sun 12.30am-3pm (65 euros); Business lunch from Mon to Fri (50 euros). €€€€. www.hotelprincipedisavoia.com/ristorante-acanto. Piazza della Repubblica, 17. T: 02 62302026. M3 Repubblica. **Map G2 Open daily**

BULGARI-IL RISTORANTE—An oasis of tranquillity, carrying the Bulgari trademark, in the heart of Milan. The famous chef, Andrea Ferrero, offers elegant presentations and small, though satisfying, portions. €€€€. Open daily. www.bulgarihotels.com. Via privata Fratelli Gabba, 7/b. T: 02 805805233. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Open daily**

LE NOIR-THE GRAY—In perfect keeping with the hotel's style and design the "Le Noir" Restaurant, situated on the first floor of the Gray Hotel, has a totally black look, in a post-modern oasis where one can enjoy Mediterranean dishes skillfully revisited by the Chef: a cuisine based on fresh and light products, like hand made pasta, fresh fish and vegetables. The restaurant also offers every day a business lunch menu. A vegetarian menu is also available on request for those who love healthy and light recipes. €€€. www.hotelthegrays.com. Via San Raffaele, 6. T: 02 7208951. M1, M3 Duomo **Map F4 Closed from 1 to 18 August**

MARCHESINO (IL)-TEATRO ALLA SCALA—Gualtiero Marchesi, the "Maestro" of Italian cuisine, is the mind behind these fabulous restaurant and bistrot which, among other things, are set in a superb location: the Teatro alla Scala. Music and good food, a combination which gives life to the best dishes of Italian haute cuisine, featuring original creations and updates of the classics of Milanese cuisine, from risotto to breaded veal cutlets. After-theatre dinner service. Closed on Sat at lunch and on Sun. www.ilmarchesino.it. €€€€. Via Filodrammatici, 2 corner of Piazza della Scala. T: 02 72094338. M1-M3 Duomo, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 10 to 31 August**

SAVINI—As much a city Landmark as La Scala, this well-established restaurant is considered to be the city's finest. Stylish decor and period furnishings create a sophisticated ambiance which, combined with impeccable service, make this a perfect dining experience. The chef

Guidelines

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MAP LOCATIONS

Note that references in **BOLD** at the end of each listing (**A1, B5** etc) refer to the coordinates on the street maps on pages 46-47.

INFORMATION

Reservations for most restaurants are strongly advised. Consult your concierge. In Italy, service is included in the price meaning that although tipping is not compulsory, it is obviously appreciated as a sign of satisfaction. Some menus include the word "coperto", a small surcharge corresponding to the cost of the service and bread. Although no dress code exists in Italy, semi-formal clothing is usually considered de rigueur at restaurants. All restaurants and bars are non-smoking unless a separate smokers' area is specifically offered. Several unusual venues, offering unique gourmet delicacies, are listed under **Tasting Experience**.

PRICES

Prices are per person.
€ = 30 € or less / €€ = 31-50€ / €€€ = 51-100€ / €€€€ = 101-150€ / €€€€€ = 150€ and above.

Giovanni Bon offers an array of wonderfully creative food, demonstrating his truly authentic talent. Two tasting menus, "Savini 2011" (5 dishes for 95 euros), or "Sorpresa" (6 creations by the chef for 110 euros). Closed on Sat at lunch and on Sun. €€€€. www.savini milano.it. Via U. Foscolo, 5 (Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II). T: 02 72003433. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Closed from 4 to 25 August**

VERANDA (LA)-FOUR SEASONS—The wonderful cuisine prepared by Sergio Mei, one of Italy's foremost chefs, can be experienced at this ultra-luxurious restaurant located inside one of Italy's most glamorous hotels overlooking the gardens. His unique Mediterranean style of cooking, with particular emphasis on the

cuisine of Sardinia, the chef's native birthplace, brings to life an array of unforgettable flavours and ingredients. Open daily 7am-11pm. €€€€. www.fourseasons.com/milan. Via Gesù, 6/8. T: 02 77081435. M3 Montenapoleone, M1 San Babila. **Map G4 Open daily**

VUN-PARK HYATT—A fabulous restaurant, overlooking the Galleria Vittorio Emanuele, with food by the supremely talented chef, Andrea Aprea. Signature dishes include, seafood salad, porcini mushroom salad with slivers of Parmesan cheese, eggs poché, catalogna chicory soup, fresh spaghetti alla chitarra with Vesuvio tomatoes and basil, mullet stuffed with potatoes, capers, olives, orange sauce and sea urchins, costoletta alla Milanese and, for dessert, Montebianco "à la mode du chef". Closed on Sat at lunch and on Sun. €€€€. http://milano.park.hyatt.it. Via T. Grossi, 1. T: 02 88211234. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Closed from 4 to 31 August**

Traditional Italian Cuisine

ALLA CUCINA DELLE LANGHE—This stylish restaurant, with its wooden decor, large mirrors and discretely placed tables, is a favourite with VIPs on account of its ultra-glam, Corso Como location. The house speciality, from the Piedmontese cuisine, are "bagna cauda", "risotto al Barolo", "Tajarin", a type of pasta resembling spaghetti. Dinner by candlelight. Closed on Sun. €€€. www.trattoriaallelanghe.com. Corso Como, 6. M2 Garibaldi FS. T: +39.02.6554279. **Map F2 Open daily**

CANTINA PIEMONTESE—A top-level "trattoria" with a welcoming atmosphere situated in a beautiful corner of Milan just a short distance from the Duomo. Originally a winery with a prestigious tradition, this charming bistrot furnished in 1930s style offers diners a choice of classic regional cuisine from all over Italy. Certified by the Italian association for celiac disease. Closed on Sun. €€. www.cantina-piemontese.it. Via Laghetto, 2. T: 02 784618. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map G5 Closed from 3 to 31 August**

DON LISANDER—For more than sixty years, a fashionable restaurant situated right in

the heart of Milan, just a short distance from the Teatro alla Scala. An elegant atmosphere and impeccable service. The menu features traditional Lombardy and regional Italian cuisine. The speciality of the house is risotto. For dessert, also try the chestnut semifreddo with persimmon sauce. €€€. www.ristorantedonlisander.it. Via A. Manzoni, 12/A. T: 02 76020130. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Closed from 14 to 18 August**

IL CONSOLARE—Set within one of the most picturesque streets in the heart of Brera, for more than 40 years Il Consolare restaurant has been offering unique, high quality specialities. A destination must for gourmands it offers a refined menu where no detail has been left to chance featuring all the flavours of time-honoured tradition with fish, meat and mushroom-based dishes. Its ambience sums up easy, refined elegance where impeccable service and the warm welcome given by its owners and staff are designed to offer you a delightful food experience. €€€. Closed on Mon and open on Sun. Via Ciovasso, 4. T: 02 8053581. M1 Cairoli. **Map F4 Closed from 5 to 27 August**

IL GIORNO BISTROT-HERMITAGE—This is a contemporary space featuring decor and settings inspired by "Il Giorno", a traditional Milanese newspaper of longstanding repute. A sort of "literary restaurant" which, though reserved, also offers a "laid-back" atmosphere. Its regional Lombardy cuisine, created by chef Alessandro Tamborrino, is based on a careful selection of products, with no fuss or frills. An interesting detail: alongside the traditional menu, the restaurant offers its customers also a totally gluten-free menu that enhances all the flavours of high-quality regional cooking. €€. www.monrifhotels.it/HotelHermitage.it. Open daily. Via Messina, 10. T: 02 31817402. **Map D1 Closed from 2 to 26 August**

MALMAISON (LA)—Its name is reminiscent of Napoleone Bonaparte's favourite dwelling. This exclusive Milanese restaurant still retains all the charm and romantic aura of this



MAMA BURGER

"The best burger in town": this is the perfect place to enjoy a real hamburger, either during your lunch break or at dinner (but also for a nighttime snack), in perfect American style. A brainchild of Guido Cancellieri, the venue boasts minimalist décor and a cosmopolitan atmosphere – the perfect backdrop to delectable, genuine, underground cuisine made only from the freshest ingredients. Its open-space kitchen and glass-fronted windows overlooking piazza della Repubblica convey a trendy, welcoming atmosphere. To stay or to go, open daily from 11 am to 2 am.

www.mamaburger.it
Via Agnello, 18 – T: 02 84579407
Via V. Pisani, 14 – T: 02 67075379
More info: www.wheremilan.com



IL CONSOLARE See page 33.

glorious past offering diners an elegant, unforgettable experience. The venue serves an array of highly sought-after dishes (mainly fish) which can be savoured by candlelight in an ambience of pure sophistication. Open Mon-Sun 8pm-12pm (make sure to book ahead even for lunch). €€€€. www.lamalmaison.it. Via Comune Antico, 27. T: 02 67101302. **Off Map** **Open daily**

OLTREMARE-BOSCOLO EXEDRA— Located inside the Boscolo Exedra Hotel in Milan, just a few steps from the Duomo, the Oltremare restaurant expresses an innovative concept of contemporary luxury. Decorated with eclectic artworks, its décor, though supremely elegant, is also somewhat unconventional,

as is its cuisine. Its sophisticated culinary philosophy is expressed through artisan dishes, cooked with only the freshest organic ingredients that highlight their taste, re-evoking its regional past in order to allow diners to experience new and unusual flavours. Always open. €€€. www.boscolohotels.com. Corso Matteotti, 4-6. T: 02 77679640. M1 San Babila. **Map G4** **Open daily**

PACIFIC MILANO RESTAURANT-HILTON—It takes a particular interest in vegetarian and vegan cuisine with international and Italian meals, featuring a selection of vegetarian dishes. €€. Pacific Milano Restaurant c/o Hotel Hilton Milan. Via L. Galvani, 12. T: 02 69833008. M2 Centrale FS. **Map G1** **Open daily**

RISTORANTE 13 GIUGNO— Together with the eponymous restaurant in Brera in piazza Mirabello 1 and the renowned café “Fattoria di Brera” specializing in Sicilian food, this location comprises a unique threesome on the Milanese gastronomic scene, featuring a combination of the most authentic Sicilian-Mediterranean seafood. Featuring a star-studded roster of chefs including owner Saverio Dolcimascolo and a typically 1930s Italian ambience, it is the perfect venue for VIP watching. Check out the article “Welcome to Brera” in “The Guide/Shopping”.

WHERE TIP Live piano and voice performances every night at 9.30pm. Open daily. €€€. www.ristorante13giugno.it. Via C. Goldoni, 44 (parking in piazzale Dateo). T: 02 719654. **Map H4** **Open daily**

TAVERNA DEL SACRIPANTE— Simone Suardi is one of Milan’s youngest and most talented

chefs. A protégé of the famous Pietro Leeman, chef patron of the famous Joia restaurant, he boasts creativity, technical ability and intelligence. At his restaurant, with its Parisian-bistrot type atmosphere, clients can savour a mixture of creative, traditional dishes. In addition to risotto, fish’n chips and fried pizza are his “must-try” specialities. Always closed at lunch and on Mon. €€. www.sacripante.com. Viale Coni Zugna, 52. T: 02 83390065. M2 Sant’Agostino. **Map D6** **Closed from 1 to 7 August**

International & Ethnic Cuisine

ALACENA-MELIÀ—The best of Mediterranean cuisine and Spanish gastronomic tradition at this restaurant located inside the Hotel Meliá. €€€. www.melia-milano.com. Via Masaccio, 19. T: 02 44406740. M1 Lotto. **Map B2** **Open daily**

DENZEL—One of the few truly Kosher restaurants in Milan, serving an international fish and meat menu of delicate contrast. Traditions of the Middle East, America, Asia and South America are combined in delectable, tasty dishes, served against the backdrop of a warm, friendly, welcoming ambience. It uses only the finest ingredients and rigorously follows the rules of Kashrut. Closed on Friday evening and on Sat. €€. www.denzel.it. Via G. Washington, 9. T: 02 48519326. M1 Wagner. **Map C4** **Closed from 9 to 25 August**

GIARDINO DI GIADA (IL)— Experience and impeccable service are the strong points of this large, luminous restaurant. An oriental ambience with design undertones, the side window houses the modern, Jade Café

“noodle bar”, featuring cocktails. In addition to traditional, mouth watering Asian fare it also offers real Cantonese cuisine, fish and seafood. Only the finest ingredients and the freshest products, prepared in the stir-fry version, on a hot griddle, steamed or with tofu. The best Chinese restaurant in Milan. Closed on Mon. €€. www.giardinodigiada.it. Via Palazzo Reale, 5. T: 02 8053891. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F5** **Closed from 3 to 25 August**

HANA RESTAURANT—An ideal location to savour the refined tastes of Japan. Silhouettes of cherry trees on the walls, wood flooring and comfortable armchairs in ecru-coloured leather blend harmoniously with the mouth watering tastes of Japanese cuisine, inspired by the country’s time-honoured tradition enhanced by hints of fusion cuisine from the ‘60’s onwards. www.hanarestaurant.it. Closed on Sun and

Mon at lunch. €€. Via P. Giovio, 1 corner of corso Vercelli, 37. T: 02 48197213. M1 Pagano. **Map C4** **Closed from 8 to 31 August**

HONG KONG—Chinese cuisine. An elegant, evocative atmosphere boasting good food and impeccable service. Try the chef’s specialities like Kong Pao chicken, i.e. chicken pieces with nuts, chilli pepper and a special sweet soya-based sauce; the fish dishes; Pekinese, Cantonese and smoked duck and rice puffs for dessert. Closed on Mon at lunch. €€. Via G. Schiaparelli, 5. T: 02 6701992. M3 Sondrio. **Off Map** **Open daily**

RE SALOMONE—Located in the heart of Milan, this restaurant offers typically Jewish fare together with an excellent selection of Israeli wines. Its stylish, low-key interior is the ideal place for an evening featuring top-level

Middle-Eastern cuisine. “Must-try” dishes include falafel, tasty kubbe and an assortment of expertly cooked, fresh fish. Closed on Fri and Sat lunch. €€. www.resalomone.eu. Via Sardegna, 45. T: 02 4694643. M1 Wagner. **Map B5** **Closed from 2 to 24 August**

Tasting Experience

PECK—A paradise for food lovers. At this high-class delicatessen, for years an authentic temple of Milanese taste, you will find the best of Italian excellence, from cured meats to sauces, from wines to liqueurs, from cheeses to olive oil. Spread out over three floors, Peck is also a great place for an unforgettable stopover, thanks to its large sampling areas. The search for quality is Peck’s primary aim, achieved through a careful selection of products from all over the world.

Italian Gelato

Italian “gelato” is an institution. Despite the homonymy, this mouth watering treat has very little in common with other types of “ice cream” known throughout the world. It is richer in **natural sugars** and contains fewer saturated fats. In fact, the cooling process used to make Italian “gelato” is not only quicker but also contains less air. This not only makes it thicker and more creamy but also enhances its taste, giving it a more **genuine flavour**. Though eaten year-round, in Italy, the height of the ice-cream season runs from May to September. You can either eat it while strolling along the street in the “cone” or “cup” version or while sitting comfortably at a table. Although most restaurants offer “gelato” as a **dessert** at the end of a meal, the best place to really indulge yourselves is at a classic “gelateria”. Below you can find a list of several Milanese favourites.



LA BOTTEGA DEL GELATO—Via Pergolesi, 3. Map H2. M1-M2 Piazza Argentina. T: 02 29400076. Open all year round (except on Wednesdays) Summer: 9am-midnight / Winter: 9am-10pm www.labottegadelgelato.it

LA GELATERIA DELLA MUSICA—Via G. E. Pestalozzi, 4. Map C7. T: 02 38235911. Open Tues-Sun 12.30am-11pm (Fri and Sat until midnight) www.lagelateriadellamusica.it

IL MASSIMO DEL GELATO—Via L. Castelvetro, 18. Map D1. T: 02 3494943. Open Tues-Sun 12am-midnight

RINOMATA GELATERIA ARTIGIANA—Ripa di Porta Ticinese, 1 corner of Viale Gorizia. Map E6. T: 02 58113877. Open daily 10am-midnight

BIANCOLATTE—Via Turati, 30. Map F3. T: 02 62086177. Mon 7.30am-8pm; Tues-Fri 7.30am-midnight; Sat and Sun 8am-midnight Delivery service www.biancolatte.it

CIOCCOLATI ITALIANI—www.cioccolatitaliani.it • Via de Amicis, 25. Map E5. T: 02 89406651. • Via San Raffaele, 6. Map F4. T: 02 89093820. Open daily 10am-10pm

GROM—www.grom.it. • Via A. da Giussano, 1. T: 02 43511942. Open Mon-Sat 12am-11pm; Sun 11am-11pm M1 Conciliazione • Via S. Margherita, 16. T: 02 80581041. Open Sun-Thurs 12am-11pm; Fri-Sat 12am-12midnight M1-M3 Duomo • Corso di Porta Ticinese, 51. T: 02 58107110. Open daily 12am-1am • Corso Buenos Aires, 13. T: 02 20520104. Open Sun-Thurs 11am-12midnight; Fri-Sat 11am-1am M1 Lima • Corso XXII Marzo, 5. T: 02 55199175. Open Sun-Thurs 11am-12midnight; Fri-Sat 11am-1am • Piazza Argentina - T: 02 67490569. Open Sun-Thurs 11am-12midnight; Fri-Sat 11am-1am • Piazza Gae Aulenti - T: 02 63793431. Open Sun 11am-9pm; Mon-Fri 12am-9pm; Sat 11am-11pm

La Malmaison, timeless charm

This exclusive Milanese restaurant still retains all the charm and romantic aura of a glorious past offering diners an elegant, unforgettable experience. The venue serves an array of highly sought-after dishes (mainly fish) which can be savoured by candlelight in an ambience of pure sophistication. This is the perfect venue for a special occasion to be shared with your “significant other” - possibly in one of the restaurant’s 4 exclusive private dining areas - but also the ideal place for a business lunch that is bound to impress your partners.

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ACANTO—Five star restaurant at the Hotel Principe di Savoia offers an elegant ambience boasting superior quality food by Chef Fabrizio Cadei. Open daily 7pm-11pm. Piazza della Repubblica, 17. T: 02 62302026. www.hotelprincipedisavoia.com **Map G3** Open daily

BERTI (DA)—Large frescoed veranda overlooking a marvellous century-old garden. Typical Milanese cuisine. Open 12am-2pm/8pm-10.30pm. Closed on Saturday at lunch and on Sunday. Via Algarotti, 20. T: 02 6694627. www.daberti.it **Map G1** Closed from 11 to 25 August

BICE—Iconic Milanese restaurant renowned for its exquisite cuisine. A culinary haunt of the fashion crowd and a must-visit stopover for stars. Open daily except on Sunday at dinner. Via Borgopesso, 12. T: 02 76002572/795528. www.bicemilano.it **Map G4** Open daily except on Saturdays and Sundays

BRICIOLA (LA)—A refined, elegant ambience, outstanding Mediterranean cuisine and a wine cellar boasting several of the finest vintages. Open 12.30am-3pm/7.30pm-11pm. Closed on Sunday and on Monday at lunch. Via Solferino, 25. T: 02 6551012. www.labriciolamilano.it **Map F3** Closed in August

CAVALLINI—Elegant, though informal with a charming garden. A mix of traditional and avant garde cuisine. Open 12am-3pm/7pm-midnight. Closed on Saturday at lunch. Via M. Macchi, 2. T: 02 6693174/6693771. www.ristorantecavallini.it **Map G2** Open daily

CELLINI (AL)—Elegant ambience. Fresh, fish-based dishes. Open daily (except on Saturday at lunch) 12am-3pm/7.30pm-11.30pm. Via B. Cellini, 19. T: 02 76024484. www.alcellini.it **Map H4** Open daily

CORIANDOLO (IL)—A good venue for a post-theatre/cinema dinner or a light business lunch in the heart of Milan. Upscale Italian menu. Open daily 9.30am-3pm/7pm-1.30am. Via Dell'Orso, 1. T: 02 8693273. www.ilcoriandolo.com **Map F4** Open daily

DON LISANDER—Fashionable restaurant in the heart of Milan. An elegant atmosphere and impeccable service. Traditional Lombardy and regional Italian cuisine. Via A. Manzoni, 12/A. T: 02 76020130. www.ristorantedonlisaner.it **Map F4** Closed from 14 to 18 August

EAT'S BISTRÒ—Very high quality food in the new luxury concept Excelsior Milano. Excelsior Milano in Galleria del Corso 4. Open daily 12am-3pm/7.30pm-12pm. T: 02 76015176. www.excelsiormilano.com **Map G4** Open daily

GENTE DI MARE—A perfect meld of French charm and classic Mediterranean influences. Open 12am-2.20pm/7pm-11.30pm. Closed on Sunday. Bastioni di Porta Volta, 5. T: 02 29005823. www.ristorantegentedimare.it **Map E2** Closed from 11 to 25 August

GIACOMO (DA)—Set against a romantic backdrop, it offers a prevalently fish-based menu and a wide selection of fine wines. Open daily 12.30am-2.30pm/7.30pm-11.30pm. Via P. Sottocorno, 6. T: 02 76023313. www.giacomoristorante.com **Map H4** Open daily

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GIACOMO ARENGARIO—A tribute to Art Déco set within a unique location: the Museo del Novecento. For a stunning panoramic view over the Duomo. Open daily 12am-12pm. Via G. Marconi, 1. T: 02 72093814. www.giacomoarengario.com **Map F5** Open daily

GIACOMOBISTROT—Ideal for a pre- or post-cinema/theatre meal in an ambience where the decorative mood brings to mind the decor of times gone by. Open daily 12am-12pm. Via P. Sottocorno, 6. T: 02 76022653. www.giacomobistrot.com **Map H4** Open daily

GRIGLIAMANIA—Tasty though simple meat-based menu. Piazza Sire Raúl, 4. Open daily, 12am-2.30pm/7pm-11.30pm. T: 02 2846261. **Off Map** Closed from 19 to 31 August

MAMMA ROSA—Outstanding delicacies of Italian regional cuisine and a cellar which is a real museum dedicated to wine. Closed on Sunday. Piazza Cincinnato, 4. T: 02 84571125. www.osteriamammarosa.it **Map H2** Open daily

MONTECRISTO—A historic reference point for clientele that loves fresh fish. Corso Sempione 28, corner of via Prina, 17. Open Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Sun 12.10am-2.30pm/7.10pm-11.30pm. Closed on Tues and on Sat at lunch. T: 02 312760/3495049. www.ristorantemontecristo.com **Map D2** Closed from 4 to 27 August

PAPER MOON—Elegant venue for a pre- or post-cinema/theatre meal. Via Bagutta, 1. Open Mon-Sat 12.30am-5pm/7.30pm-12pm. Closed on Sun. T: 02 76022297. www.papermoonmilano.com **Map G4** Closed from 10 to 18 August

RISACCA 6 (LA)—One of the city's best seafood places, set within one of Milan's oldest districts. Open 12.30am-2.30pm/7.30pm-11pm. Closed on Sunday and on Monday at lunch. Via Marcona, 6 (corner of via Cellini). T: 02 55181658/5468041. www.larisacca6.it **Map H5** Closed from 3 to 25 August

RISTORANTE GIANNINO—A favourite haunt of the Milanese jet-set with a rich menu in keeping with the venue's age-old tradition. Open daily,

12am-3pm/7pm-11.30pm. Via V. Pisani, 6. T: 02 66986998. www.giannino.it **Map G2** Closed from 4 to 26 August

RISTORANTE SOLFERINO—Since 1909, traditional Milanese cuisine in the heart of Brera. Via Castelfidardo, 2. Open daily. T: 02 29005748. www.ilsolferino.com **Map F2** Closed from 11 to 25 August

SADLER—Creativity and culinary innovation are expressed in the various menus signed by Claudio Sadler, an internationally renowned two-Michelin starred chef. Open 7.30pm-11pm. Closed on Sunday. Via A. Sforza, 77. T: 02 58104451. www.sadler.it **Off Map** Closed from 14 to 22 August

VERANDA (LA)—Tradition, innovation, creativity, signed by master chef Sergio Mei at the extra-luxurious restaurant. Four Seasons Hotel Milano. Via Gesù 6/8. Open daily 8am-11pm. T: 02 77081478. www.fourseasons.com/milan **Map G4** Open daily

VUN—Extremely intimate atmosphere for a truly unique gastronomic experience with chef Andrea Aprea. The restaurant has recently been awarded its first Michelin star. Via S. Pellico, 3. Open Mon-Fri 12.30am-2.30pm/7.30pm-10.30pm. Sat 7.30pm-10.30pm. T: 02 88211350. www.ristorante-vun.it **Map F4** Closed from 3 to 31 August



Acanto



Mamma Rosa



Bice

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Five star flavours

by Stefania Vida

The top restaurants of five star hotels in Milan

At **Acanto** (Hotel Principe di Savoia), the cuisine of Executive Head Chef Fabrizio Cadei takes centre stage with menus that stylishly update the classics of Italian cuisine featuring a light, innovative touch which is also expressed in the presentation of his dishes. www.hotelpincipedisavoia.com

Delectable and eccentric, the **Oltremare** restaurant (Hotel Boscolo Exedra) expresses an innovative concept of contemporary luxury melding subtle decor with the tastes and flavours that exude from the evocative open-plan kitchen and exclusive VIP dining room which only seats 16 guests. milano.boscologhotels.com



Al V Piano

A combination of style, elegance and sophistication, the **Armani/Ristorante** perfectly mirrors the style that distinguishes all the creations of this world-renowned designer. milan.armanihotels.com

Blending the old with the new, **Il Baretto al Baglioni** (Carlton Hotel Baglioni) has always been a landmark feature of Italian history. Today, in keeping with the fast evolving trends of this modern-day metropolis, it is indubitably the perfect venue for business meetings, but not only. www.baglionihotels.com

Surrounded by a magnificent garden, the luxurious, minimalist ambience of **Ristorante Bulgari** (Bulgari Hotel Milano) serves as the ideal backdrop for a highly sought-after tasting experience based on the creative cuisine of Head Chef Andrea Ferrero. www.bulgarihotels.com

L'Opéra (Hotel De la Ville) offers a modern take on traditional cuisine that delights diners with a number of innovative, unexpected touches. The kitchen stays open until late at night, thus making it an ideal spot for post-theatre dining. www.sinahotels.com

Tradition, innovation and creativity are the underlying hallmark features of the culinary specialities prepared by Executive Chef Sergio Mei at **La Veranda** (Four Seasons Hotel Milano). A highly appealing location which can be enjoyed at all times during the day thanks to its numerous themed initiatives. Chef Sergio Mei and his team of 28 staff offer diners Mediterranean cuisine with a twist, prepared with the best selection of fresh, seasonal ingredient. www.fourseasons.com/milan

If nostalgia is your thing, then you should definitely try **Il Caruso** (Grand Hotel et de Milan), a cosy, open-space location enhanced by a winter garden. At the new Caruso Fuori space, guests can dine at tables set up inside a charming veranda area. www.grandhoteletdemilan.it

Another of the hotel's culinary reference destinations is **Don Carlos**, boasting exquisite food skilfully prepared by renowned Chef Angelo Gangemi. www.ristorantedoncarlos.it

In perfect keeping with the style and design of the hotel, the all black decor of **Le Noir** (The Gray) is a post-modern oasis featuring classic Mediterranean fare updated with a contemporary twist. www.hotelthegray.it

The restaurant at Milan's Park Hyatt hotel is called **Vun** and carries the signature of starred chef Andrea Apea - a sophisticated gastronomic experience that will surprise diners on account of its seasonal classics upgraded with an inventive twist. milano.park.hyatt.com

Milano Hotel Scala's **Primadonna** restaurant is an innovative, elegant venue offering confident renditions of traditional Milanese and Lombardy cuisine with an underlying philosophy of sourcing wholly organic ingredients, carefully selected for their freshness and quality. www.hotelmilanoscala.it

One of the most renowned restaurants in the city, the **Casanova** (The Westin Palace) offers a skilful blend of traditional Lombard, Piedmont and Ligurian dishes embracing all the simplicity and lightness of authentic Italian food. www.casanova-restaurant-milan.com

The **Manzoni Restaurant**, set within the eponymous hotel, offers diners an intimate, elegant ambience and fine food complemented by an excellent selection of fine wines. www.hotelmanzoni.com



Le Noir

The **Roses** restaurant (Starhotel Rosa Grand) never disappoints and is the perfect spot for a delicious dinner, a quick lunch or a mouth watering snack; right next to it, overlooking Piazza Fontana, is **Tar.Tar**, a "showroom" of taste featuring an array of different dishes that can be savoured throughout the day - from breakfast to an after-dinner snack. rosagrand.starhotels.com

To make your visit to Milan's Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II even more enjoyable, we suggest visiting **La Sinfonia** (Seven Stars Galleria), a luxury location dedicated to excellence. This discreet restaurant offers a selection of various traditional dishes and can also be reserved for special events or celebratory dinners. www.sevenstarsgalleria.com

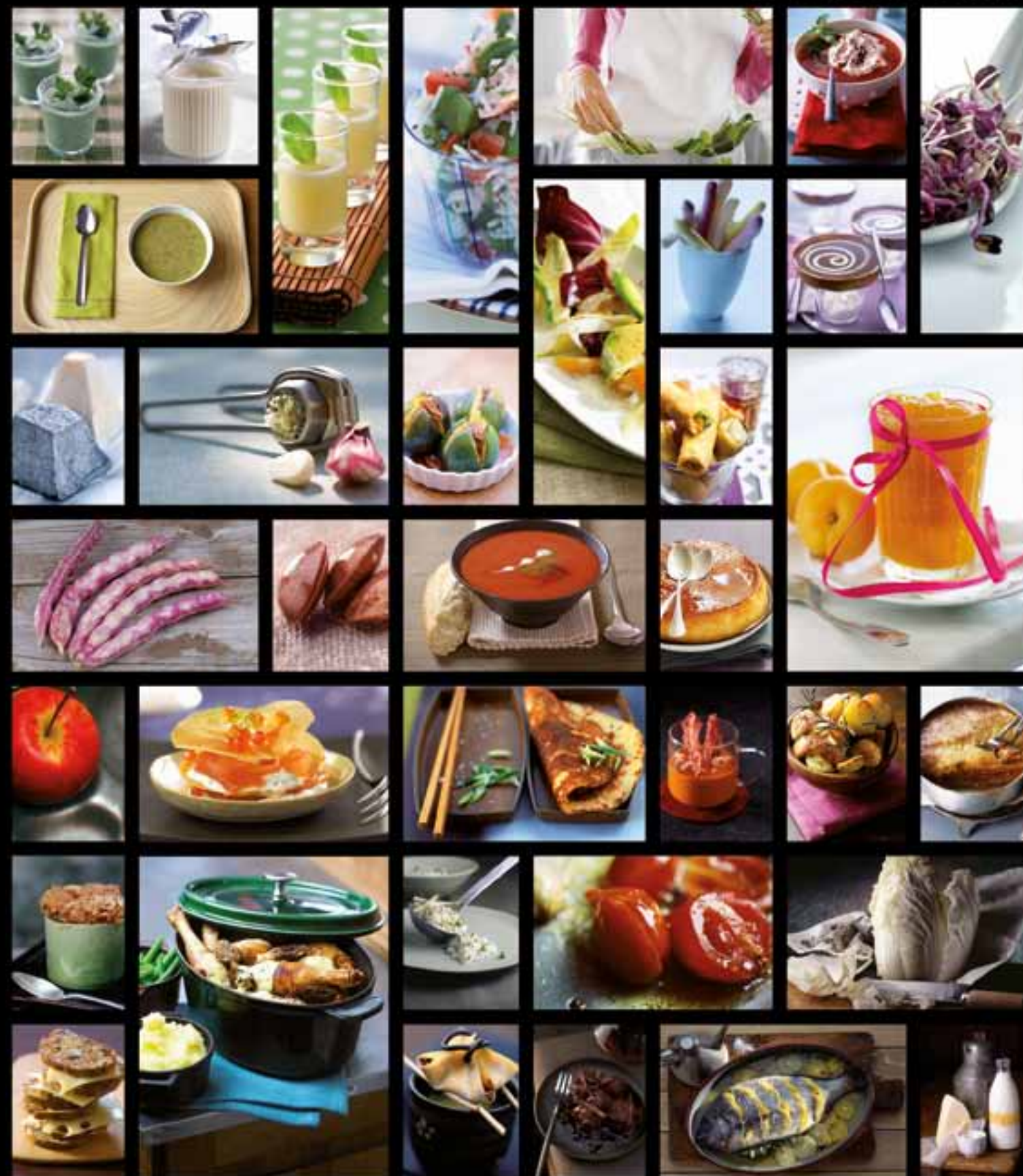
The cuisine of **Straf Hotel & Bar** offers a combination of traditional, international and fusion fare. Presentation, cooking and superb service all make it the ideal spot for a business lunch. www.straf.it

The **Rubacuori Restaurant** at Milan's Hotel Château Monfort combines taste with the sophisticated décor of its rooms, where diners will be treated to delicious inventive dishes featuring classics cooked with an ingenious, innovative twist. www.hotelchateauonfort.com

The Restaurant "**al V piano**" (Grand Visconti Palace) offers spectacular views of the city, accompanied by chef Matteo Torretta's multifaceted culinary creations. www.extrohotels.com

The **AlaCena** restaurant at Milan's Hotel Meliá offers a fusion of authentic Mediterranean, Spanish and Italian fare featuring an unparalleled selection of meat and fish dishes. www.melia-milano.com

Located in the heart of the city, the **Petit Pierre** (Pierre Milano Hotel) offers a sublime array of only the finest Italian and Mediterranean cuisine. Nestling in the Milan's quaint Brera district, the **Style Lounge Bar & Restaurant** (Hotel Milano Style) offers an attractive space where old red brickwork, dating back to the 1840s, melds with modern gold leaf coated interiors for an uber-sophisticated dining experience. www.stylehotel.eu





Christianity and Its Origins

1,700 years after Constantine declared the famous Edict which made Christianity the Empire's official religion in 313 B.C., Milan's Civic Archaeological Museum is hosting an exhibition that traces the historic, political and religious context in which Christianity was born: **"Da Gerusalemme a Milano. Imperatori, filosofi e dei alle origini del Cristianesimo"**. An insightful exhibition hosted in the crypt of the Church of San Maurizio, now part of the city's Civic Archaeological Museum. Until 20 June 2014. www.comune.milano.it/museoarcheologico. Corso Magenta, 15. T: 02 88445208. Map D4

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Corso Magenta, 15. T: 02 88445208. **Map D4**

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Aperitivo

10 CORSO COMO CAFÉ—Lounge bar (with adjoining restaurant) located inside a vast complex dedicated to shopping and entertainment (art, fashion and design) founded in 1990 by the publisher and gallerist Carla Sozzani. Open Mon 6pm-1am; Tues-Fri 12pm-1am; Sat 11pm-2am; Sun 11pm-1am. www.10corsocomo.com. Corso Como, 10. T: 02 29013581. M2 Garibaldi FS. **Map F2 Closed from 11 to 19 August**

BAR STRAF—The street bar of the Straf design hotel in the heart of Milan. The bar echoes the basic materials used inside the hotel, such as concrete walls and floors, although here the interior designer Vincenzo De Cotiis has created a sort of spatial overwriting by using a hyper-decorative style. Open daily from 9am to midnight (Sat-Sun 11-midnight); aperitivo 6pm-10pm. Live music on Tues from 6pm, dj set on Thurs-Fri. www.straf.it. Via San Raffaele, 3. T: 02 80508715. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Open daily**

CAMPARINO IN GALLERIA—One century after it was first opened, Camparino - historically known as the "bar of the Campari brand" - has returned to its original spot in the Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II. In the early 20th century it was a meeting place for musicians, artists and men of learning, and the place that gave birth to the tradition of the Milanese aperitivo. The new modern interpretation of the famous original sign has been designed by the master Ugo Nespolo. A place where visitors can experience a true Campari "full immersion". Open Tues-Sun 7am-8.30pm. www.camparino.it. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II corner of Piazza Duomo. T: 02 86464435. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4 Closed from 1 to 29 August**

CONTI CAFÉ—This small cosy café-restaurant and lounge bar is located in the courtyard of a prestigious location in via Montenapoleone. Here you can taste and purchase not only confetti (sugared almonds), cakes, chocolates and tea and coffee blends but also raw fish, caviar and Mediterranean-style pasta dishes. Open Mon-Sat 8am-11pm; Sun 10am-11pm. Aperitivo 6.30pm-11pm. Dj set with aperitivo on Wed. Via Montenapoleone, 19. T: 02 76394934. M1 San Babila, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 11 to 18 August**

COVA—Founded in 1817, by none other than one of Napoleon's soldiers. Thanks to its strategic position, in the heart of the Quadrilatero della moda, this venue is a true Milanese classic. Established as a pasticceria, it also offers a house aperitivo: an infusion of herbs and flowers based on a secret recipe. Open 7.45am to 8.30pm. Also lunch noon-2pm and aperitivo from 6pm. www.pasticceriacova.it. Via Montenapoleone, 8. T: 02 76005599. M3 Montenapoleone. **Map G4 Closed from 3 to 31 August**

CUBO—An elegant cube-shaped glass greenhouse, overlooking a charming English-style garden, located in the heart of the trendy Brera district. This stylish complex houses the Bookshop & Caffetteria degli Atellani, the ideal spot for a drink, a business lunch, a dinner, or a special event. The Caffetteria offers a vast selection of fine Italian wines serving as the perfect accompaniment to light delectable menus. Open Monday-Friday 12am-6pm. www.atellani.it. Via della Moscova, 28. Bookshop T: 02 36535957; Caffetteria T: 02 36535959. M2 Moscova, M3 Turati. **Map F3 Open daily**

EL TOMBON DE SAN MARC—This historic Milanese establishment was opened in 1963, in the picturesque Brera district. A restaurant

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MAP LOCATIONS

Note that references in **BOLD** at the end of each listing (**A1, B5** etc) refer to the coordinates on the street maps on pages 46-47.

INFORMATION

Several venues offering food are included in this section. These are considered as meeting places rather than gourmet addresses and thus explain our decision to list them here rather than under Dining. Most major theatre productions are listed here, together with a list of other entertainment. Since programme times are subject to change (often on a daily basis) it is impossible to list all of them here. We therefore suggest that you double-check details regarding specific programme times. Major events can be found in the "Where Now" section. Open-air markets are an excellent opportunity not only to make purchases but also to acquaint visitors with the folklore of the city or indulge in VIP watching. For this reason, we have listed them here rather than under "Shopping". All details are correct at the time of going to press but times can, and do, change. Always ask your concierge to double-check all details.

 You can visit this site with a city tour organized by Zani Viaggi. Foro Bonaparte, 76. M1Cairoli-M2 Lanza. T: 02 867131. www.zaniviaggi.it/livemilano

and American bar, it serves typical Milanese fare until 11pm. Aperitivo served from 6pm. Via San Marco, 20. T: 02 6599507. M2 Moscova, M3 Turati. **Map F3 Open daily**

FASHION CAFÉ—An architectural project based on a "home experience", but also a hot favourite with industrial magnates, models and young upmarket Milanese trend-setters. Open Mon-Fri from 7am to 2am; Sat 8.30am-2am; Sun 10am-2am. Aperitivo from 6pm to 9.30pm. After dinner dj set on Thurs-Sun. www.fashioncafe.it. Via San Marco, 1. T: 02 6572021. M2 Lanza, M2 Moscova. **Map F3 Open daily**

JAMAICA—One hundred years after its establishment, Jamaica combines tradition with contemporary art. Formerly a favorite haunt of artists and poets such as Giuseppe Ungaretti, Salvatore Quasimodo, Alessandro Francesco Tommaso Manzoni, Fernando Fontana, beat generation poet Allen Ginsberg and photographer Ugo Mulas, Jamaica today hosts photographic exhibitions and cultural events accompanied by an "aperitivo" in an atmosphere that continues to retain the intellectual appeal of years gone by. Evening entertainment continues at the Jamaica restaurant, which is only open for dinner. Open daily 9.30am-2am; Restaurant on Wed-Thurs-Sat. www.jamaicabar.it. Via Brera, 32. T: 02 876723. M2 Lanza. **Map F3 Closed from 10 to 19 August**

PASTICCERIA BIFFI—A pasticceria established in 1847, its name is linked to the invention of "panettone", the famous Milanese Christmas cake, exported throughout the world. A taste of old Milan: quality and impeccable service. In the late afternoon, it serves traditional aperitivo accompanied by a buffet. Open every day from

6.30am to 8.30pm. www.biffipasticceria.it. Corso Magenta, 87. T: 02 48006702. M1 Conciliazione. **Map D4 Closed on 15 August**

TRIENNALE DESIGNCAFÉ—Set against the backdrop of one of the most important museums in the city, it offers a traditionally American-style brunch. Elegant though informal, it is also suitable for children. A trendy bar and an exclusive restaurant resulting from the expertise of the chef Carlo Cracco and the architect Michele De Lucchi. Open Tues-Wed and Sat-Sun 10am-8.30pm; Thurs-Fri 10am-11pm (aperitivo 7pm-10pm). Brunch on Sun from 11.45am to 4pm. Kitchen open until 6pm. Viale Alemagna, 6. T: 02 875441. M1-M2 Cadorna. **Map D3 Open daily**

Concert Venues & Theatres

GIUSEPPE VERDI MUSIC CONSERVATORY—Founded in 1808, this Conservatory is another of Milan's most illustrious venues for classical concerts and also offers a wide range of courses and cultural activities (masterclasses, seminars, performances, etc.). Many famous Italian musicians studied here - although oddly enough, the young Giuseppe Verdi was rejected. There are two concert halls: the smaller Sala Puccini for chamber music and the bigger Sala Verdi for symphonic and choral music. www.consmilano.it. Via Conservatorio, 12. T: 02 762110. M1 San Babila. **Map G4**

MAGAZZINI GENERALI—A former, early 20th century warehouse located on two levels. Its main floor, extending over a 1000 sq.m. area, features a bar, a dance floor and a stage. It hosts gigs, DJ sets directly from London rave parties

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and concerts dedicated mainly to avant-garde sounds from the electro-pop world. Open on Wed (free entrance), Fri and Sat (admission around €20). www.magazzinigenerali.it. Via Pietrasanta, 14. T: 02 5393948. **Off Map**

SCIMMIE—An historic concert venue in the Naviglio Pavese district. Though formerly only catering to jazz, it now also offers a variety of concerts featuring different types of musical genres performed by emerging Italian talents or famous international stars. Drinks are available at the bar and club restaurant. It also has an outdoor space in summer. www.scimmie.it. Via A. Sforza, 49. T: 02 89402874. **Map E7**

TAM/TEATRO DEGLI ARCIBOLDI—Inaugurated in 2002, for three years it acted as Milan's main opera venue while the historic Teatro alla Scala was being restored and restructured. Boasting a seating capacity of 2,400, it currently hosts a variety of concerts ranging from classical music to rock and pop but also festivals, performances and TV shows. www.teatroarciboldi.it. Viale dell'Innovazione, 1. T: 02 641142200. **Off Map**

TEATRO ALLA SCALA—For over two centuries, a hallowed temple of Milanese music and opera. Designed by Giuseppe Piermarini and inaugurated in 1778, it was recently totally refurbished under the supervision of the renowned architect, Mario Botta. Today the theatre is recognized as one of the leading opera and ballet theatres in the world and offers seasonal events including choral and orchestral works. Out-of-season events are also often organized by private institutions and foundations. www.teatroallascala.org. Piazza della Scala (Ticket Office Via Filodrammatici, 2). T: 02 88791. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F4**

Gambling & Casinos

WINCITY—Set within the heart of Milan, the new Wincity concept offers not only some hundred different games, including the latest generation slot machines, video lotteries and an automatic roulette system, but also tasting events with live music. This entertainment venue houses a restaurant serving typical Italian cuisine and a lounge bar. An innovative touch is the presence of a Personal Player to assist customers and outline play procedures and methods. Smokers' area available. Open daily 8am-2am. Torre Martini, piazza A. Diaz, 7. T: 02 99297302. M1-M3 Duomo. www.sisalwincity.it **Map F5**

CASINO ADMIRAL MENDRISIO—Just 50 km from Milan, near Lugano's beautiful lake and renowned FoxTown Factory Stores, an exclusive location where guests can enjoy a pleasant, relaxing break. The venue boasts a wide range of attractions with more than 31 gaming tables and 250 last generation slot machines. It also offers an elegant restaurant, known and appreciated by its clientele for its fine, high-quality fare. Open daily Sun-Thurs 11am-5am, Fri-Sat 11am-7am. Via A. Maspoli 18/a. T: +41 916405020. www.casinomendrisio.ch - www.casinosanremo.it **Off Map**

CASINO DE LA VALLÉE—The small town of Saint Vincent, home to the famous casino since 1947, is set within the magnificent mountainous region of the Valle d'Aosta, a well-known tourist destination for weekends and holiday breaks. In addition to all the main games, it also offers a rich events calendar. Open Sun-Fri 10.30am-3am; Sat 10.30am-4am. Via I. Mus, 1 - Saint-Vincent (Aosta). T: 0166 5221. www.casinodelavallee.it **Off Map**

CASINO DI LUGANO—The third largest Swiss financial market and an important tourist hub, Lugano is home to the famous casino nestling on the banks of Lake Lugano, which, this year, will be celebrating its 100th anniversary. Defined as a "play boutique" on account of its stylish, alluring atmosphere, it operates an all-games casino for an unlimited number of tables and slot machines. Restaurant with panoramic terrace, offering a special business lunch menu during the day. Open Sun-Thurs 12am-4am, Fri-Sat 12am-5am. Via Stauffacher, 1 - Lugano (Switzerland). About 70km from Milan. T: +41 919737111. www.casinolugano.ch **Off Map**

CASINO MUNICIPALE DI CAMPIONE D'ITALIA—Though existing outside of its fatherland, this tiny piece of Italian soil, located in Switzerland, is home to Europe's largest Casino and can be reached in just under an hour from the centre of Milan. Its beautiful new headquarters, designed by architect Mario Botta, are set within an elegant, international ambience. The casino offers roulette, chemin de fer, baccarat, black jack, poker and slot machines. It also has two in-house restaurants. Open Sun 10.30pm-5am; Mon-Thurs 11.30pm-5am; Fri 11.30pm-6am; Sat 10.30pm-6am. Piazzale Milano, 2 - Campione d'Italia (CO). T: +41 916401111 (free phone). About 70 km from Milan. www.casinocampione.it **Off Map**

CASINO DI VENEZIA—This magical lagoon city hosts one of the oldest gaming houses in the world. Inaugurated in 1638, since its inception, the Casinò di Venezia has always drawn an international crowd. Check out the unmatched luxury, sumptuous ambience, live entertainment and non-stop gaming experience against the spectacular backdrop of one of Italy's most beautiful cities. Open daily 11am-3am. Ca' Vendramin Calergi - Cannaregio 2040. T: 041 5297111. www.casinovenezia.it **Off Map**

The San Siro Stadium



Named after the famous Milanese footballer Giuseppe Meazza, the **Giuseppe Meazza Stadium** (San Siro) is the largest stadium in Italy and the third in Europe. All seats are covered in this three-tiered structure which has a capacity of 79,341 and is the home stadium of two of the three most successful Italian Football League clubs: **A.C. Milan** and **F.C. Internazionale (Inter)**. It also has a **gift shop** (T: 02 4046430) and a museum (T: 02 4042432) displaying all kinds of historic items from both Milan's and Inter's past: old jerseys, photos, boots, tickets and a fabulous trophy case. However, even better than the **museum** is the guided stadium tour which gives you a chance to sit in VIP seats and visit each of the home teams' locker rooms. In summer it also hosts important concerts. www.sansiro.net. Piazzale A. Moratti. M1 Lotto.

Aperitivo & Nightlife

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Corso Como



Navigli District

Each month PR Manager Gaetano Lopez will give readers of *Where Milan* suggestions to discover the city by night. Ending with a tip: to help you make the most of what's new on the nightlife scene and to book that special evening... ask your Concierge!

Milan is the home of the Aperitivo and it is most definitely a ritual which no Milanese is prepared to forego. Favourite beverages consumed during this beloved tradition include the city's renowned Martini, Prosecco or Campari, accompanied by an all-you-can-eat buffet. A myriad of venues, ranging from the smallest bars to larger, uber-chic locations situated in the heart of the city, organize this event. There are 3 types of venues: **design bars** (Just Cavalli, Armani, Dolce&Gabbana Gold, Il Gattopardo Café), **traditional bars** (the places that have written Milan's history including Bar Zucca and Caffè Biffi in Galleria Vittorio Emanuele, Cova in via Montenapoleone and Bar Magenta for a younger crowd); and, the latest trend, all **luxury hotel bars**.

There are three main areas dedicated to nighttime entertainment featuring a concentration of venues:

- **Navigli District:** an area characterized by places offering live music, patronized by artists, models, musicians and university students. Must-try options are its boat bars and the area's old *osterie* where you can sample an array of wines, cold cuts and typical cheeses.
- **Brea District:** an historic area boasting a warren of characteristic venues offering live music and, believe it or not, fortune-tellers who are happy to predict your future for a small fee...
- **Garibaldi District & Corso Como:** this is Milan's most fashionable area by night, where, not only will you find a bevy of pizzerie, restaurants, pubs and discotheques, but also possibly chance upon showbiz celebs and sports heroes.

The most exclusive Clubs. First and foremost, **Armani Privé** in the Montenapoleone area, where you can club 'til dawn amidst VIPs, business magnates and Milanese jet-setters. And, then again, **Just Cavalli Restaurant & Club**, set against the backdrop of Parco Sempione, recently elected "The Best Club in The World" in Monte Carlo, featuring ultra-exclusive parties and international stars hailing from all parts of the globe. Also worth a visit is the highly unusual **Gattopardo Club**, a deconsecrated church often used for film shoots. Another of my favourites is the recently opened, ultra-trendy **Club Byblos** which is already becoming a cult venue. And, finally landmark club, **Hollywood** (Corso Como), which stays open until the wee hours of the morning.



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The Last Supper

One of the most famous attractions in the world, “L’Ultima Cena” or “Cenacolo” by Leonardo da Vinci is a large 15th century mural painting representing the scene of the last supper of Jesus narrated in the Gospel. It can be found in the church of Santa Maria delle Grazie. Booking required: ask your concierge. 🗄️
www.cenacolovinciano.net

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Museums

GALLERIE D’ITALIA-PIAZZA SCALA—The Gallerie d’Italia-Piazza Scala are housed in three historic buildings overlooking Milan’s elegant via Manzoni, piazza della Scala and via Morone. Two buildings host masterpieces of 19th century Italian art from the collections of Fondazione Cariplo and Intesa Sanpaolo: the opulent Neo-classical rooms of Palazzo Anguissola and the 19th century Palazzo Brentani. A new section was recently opened in the Palazzo housing Milan’s historic Banca Commerciale in Piazza della Scala and features 20th century masterpieces from the Intesa Sanpaolo collections. Open: Tues-Sun 9.30am-7.30pm. Thurs 9.30am-10.30pm. Closed on Monday. Free admission. www.gallerieditalia.com. Piazza della Scala, 6. T: 800.167619. M1-M3 Duomo, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Open daily in August**

MUSEO DEL NOVECENTO-PALAZZO DELL’ARENGARIO—One of the youngest museums in the city, lying adjacent to the Duomo, hosts more than 400 20th century masterpieces of Italian and international art – ranging from Fontana to Picasso – at the recently refurbished Palazzo dell’Arengario. A building where works of art interact with the city, engaging with the past while looking towards the future. 🗄️ **WHERE TIP** don’t miss a sight of Piazza Duomo from the “Sala Fontana”. Mon 2.30pm-7.30pm; Tues-Wed-Fri and Sun 9.30am-7.30pm; Thurs-Sat 9.30am-10.30pm. Full ticket €5 (free admission on Friday after 3.30pm). www.museodelnovecento.org. Piazza Duomo. T: +39.02.88444061. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F5 Open daily in August** 🗄️

MUSEO NAZIONALE DELLA SCIENZA E DELLA TECNOLOGIA LEONARDO DA VINCI—Found in a 16th century monastery, this is one of the most

important museums of science and technology in the world. Its collections, featuring cars, aircraft, ships, scooters, trains, reconstructions of ancient workshops for metalworking, clock-making right through to electronics, textiles and astronomy, explore the relationship between men and machines starting from the ingenious inventions of the world famous Leonardo da Vinci who lived in Milan between 1482 and 1500. 🗄️ **WHERE TIP** Don’t miss a visit to the new MUST SHOP. Open Tues-Fri 9.30am-5.00pm; Sat, Sun and Holidays 9.30am-6.30pm. Full ticket €10 + Guided tour inside the Enrico Toti submarine €8. www.museoscienza.org. Via San Vittore, 21. T: +39.02.48555558. M2 Sant’Ambrogio. **Map D5 Open daily in August**

MUSEO TEATRALE ALLA SCALA—Founded in 1913, it recently underwent an important makeover and is dedicated to the history of the famous Milan Opera House with a vast collection of musical instruments and documents dedicated to famous musicians, including Verdi and Toscanini. Visitors can look into the theatre, provided there are no rehearsals, or admire the “machine” that gives stage directions. Open Mon-Sun (except holidays) 9am-12.30am/1.30pm-5.30pm. Full ticket €6. Museo Teatrale alla Scala + Museo Poldi Pezzoli €9 (Monday only). www.teatroallascala.org. Largo A. Ghiringhelli, 1 corner of Piazza della Scala. T: +39.02.88792473. T: +39.02.7423. M1-M3 Duomo, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F4 Open daily in August** 🗄️

PALAZZO REALE—Formerly the residence of all those who governed Milan, from Napoleon to the Royal House of Savoy, the Royal Palace is currently one of the most important cultural centres in the city, hosting exhibitions of international renown. Opening hours vary according to the exhibition on show. www.comune.milano.it/palazzoreale. Piazza Duomo, 12. T: +39.02. 88465230. M1-M3 Duomo. **Map F5 Open daily in August**

PINACOTECA DI BRERA—The Brera Art Gallery is one of the most important museums in Milan. Its permanent collections offer a wealth of exceptionally

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MAP LOCATIONS

Note that references in **BOLD** at the end of each listing (**A1**, **B5** etc) refer to the coordinates on the street maps on pages 46-47.

INFORMATION

Places like the Duomo or the Last Supper are symbols of Milan, hence our decision to list them under a separate category.

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good Italian and foreign masterpieces including Mantegna’s “Dead Christ”, Raphael’s “Marriage of the Virgin”, Caravaggio’s “Supper at Emmaus” and “The Kiss” by Hayez. Open Tues-Sun 8.30am-7.15pm. Full ticket price €11. www.brera.beniculturali.it. Via Brera, 28. T: +39.02.722631. M2 Lanza, M3 Montenapoleone. **Map F3 Open daily in August** 🗄️

TRIENNALE DI MILANO-TRIENNALE DESIGN MUSEUM

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Trains

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Sacro Monte, Varese

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