

ICAP 2026 Congress – Tour Proposals

Tour 2. Florence: A Journey Through the Heart of the Renaissance



Florence is an open-air museum—and this tour lets you experience it exactly that way: step by step, story by story, through centuries of art, history, and timeless beauty. Perfect for first-time visitors or anyone who wants to soak in the soul of the city without entering museums, just by walking through its most breathtaking spaces.

We begin in Piazza del Duomo, the spiritual and architectural heart of Florence. Surrounded by the stunning green and white marble of the Baptistery, the towering presence of Santa Maria del Fiore, and the jaw-dropping Brunelleschi's Dome, you'll hear the stories of the genius minds who shaped the Renaissance—Giotto, Ghiberti, and Brunelleschi himself.

From here, we stroll through the historic center's charming streets to reach the grand Piazza della Signoria—Florence's political stage for centuries. Standing beneath the replica of Michelangelo's David, in front of the imposing Palazzo Vecchio, you'll be surrounded by statues, fountains, and loggias that have witnessed intrigue, ambition, and artistic triumphs.

Just a few steps away lies the iconic Ponte Vecchio, the city's oldest bridge and the only one to survive World War II intact. Its hanging goldsmith shops and views over the Arno make it one of the most photographed spots in the world—and for good reason.

Before continuing our tour, we'll make a brief pit stop for a glass of wine—a moment to relax and take in the atmosphere, just as locals do, surrounded by the beauty and energy of Florence.

We'll then cross into the Oltrarno, Florence's more intimate, artisan-filled quarter, to admire the grand façade of Palazzo Pitti, once home to dukes and dynasties. Behind it lie the legendary Boboli Gardens.

Just a few hours—rich in beauty, filled with stories, and unforgettable from start to finish.

What's included in the tour:

- ♦ English-speaking tour
 - ♦ guide Florence walking
 - ♦ tour
- Wine glass

Starting time: 6:30 pm

Duration: 2 - 3 hours

Price per person: €

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