



ITALIAN TOUR – Focus EXPO Milan – 8 days / 7 nights – 29th July – 5th August

HIGHLIGHTS: Fully escorted tour of north of Italy, 5 days visit at the beauties of Turin between History and tradition, Abarth Factory and Eataly, Langhe countryside, Milano Expo.

EXPO 2015 - Feeding the planet, Energy for life. This is the theme of the 2015 Milano World Expo. You will have the opportunity to discover the excellences of the agri-food and gastronomic tradition of each country and the best of their new technologies with focus on living respecting the planet. The exposition site covers 110 hectares (272 acres) and is expected to attract 29 million visitors. Find out more at www.expo2015.org

PROGRAM

JULY 2015

- Wednesday 29** Arrive at **Turin** Airport and, after clearing customs & immigration, you will be transferred to your hotel. Afternoon/evening free (D)
- Thursday 30** Morning visit and testing to a “**cioccolateria**” (laboratory of chocolate production).
Nice walk in the “centro” of this very fascinating city once capitol of Italy and lunch, maybe, at one of the famous bistro.
In the afternoon visit at **Eataly**. (B/D)
- Friday 31** Morning guided visit to the famous **Abarth Factory**. Rest of the day free. (B/D)

AUGUST 2015

- Saturday 01** All day excursion in the **Langhe** area.
Visit to a **winery** specialized also in the Barolo wine and testing of two or three different local wines. There is also the possibility of a visit to the Museo del Gusto that offers the possibility to test the typical produce of the place. (B/D)
- Sunday 02** Day free to discover **Palazzo Valentino**, the largest Egyptian Museum outside Cairo or the **Museo dell'Automobile**. (B/D)
- Monday 03** After breakfast transfer to **Milan**. In the afternoon visit to Milano **Expo 2015**. (B/D)
- Tuesday 04** Visit to Expo or a walk around the city. Visit to Via Monte Napoleone (maybe to buy a nice pair of shoes), i Navigli, la Scala, Last Supper etc. (B/D)
- Wednesday 05** After breakfast transfer to Milano Malpensa Airport. End of services
- Land only Cost:** **\$1,880.00 per person (\$430.00 Single Supplement)**

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Turin and the Abarth Factory - There's a whiff of Paris in Turin's elegant tree-lined boulevards and echoes of Vienna in its stately art nouveau cafes.

The City of Turin has been noted for many of its most famous local items. First of all, the Shroud of Turin — the mysterious cloth that some say was covering Jesus Christ in his tomb, and still bears the mark of his face until this day. Another noteworthy accomplishment of the City of Turin is its booming auto industry. Being the home to Fiat Motors, an Italian automaker, Turin is often referred to as the “Detroit of Italy”, so come to discover the production line of the famous Fiat Abarth.



Eataly – Come to discover a high-end Italian food market/mall chain comprising a variety of restaurants, food and beverage stations, bakery, and retail items, an unique area where you can buy, taste and study high Italian quality food and beverages.



La cioccolateria - The continuing love story between Turin and chocolate began as far back as 1560: in celebration of the Ducal Capital’s move from Chambéry to Turin, Emanuele Filiberto of Savoy served a symbolic cup of piping hot chocolate to the city. An authentic passion that has created specialties now known throughout the world has also continued to stimulate the imaginations of the **master chocolatiers** over the centuries. And who could forget **Nutella**, the legendary chocolate spread created by **Pietro Ferrero** (a great Turinese pastry-maker) in 1946? Additionally, since 2003 Turin has organized a much-loved festival, **CiocolaTò**, a grand celebration of chocolate with various events, tastings, exhibits and performances. Turin has now been named “Turin: Italy’s Chocolate Capital”.



Langhe and Winery - Only 20 miles to the south of Turin the lovely vineyard-covered hills of the Langhe region begin. The greatest wines in Italy are produced here. Among wine cellars and famous vineyards of Langhe and Roero, come and taste the most famous Piedmontese wines: Barolo, Barbaresco, Nebbiolo, Roero, Barbera, Dolcetto and Arneis. Specially selected wine producers will enable you to taste flavours and specialties of the Piedmontese tradition.

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THE TOUR PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Double or Twin bedded room with private facilities. Hotel city Turin and Milan (3* superior).
- Breakfast daily and seven dinners (B=Breakfast / D=Dinner)
- One admission tickets to Expo 2015
- All transfers as per itinerary in a private coach
- Tour chaperoned by one ICCI personal
- Porterage hotels-arrival & departure
- One land free of charge in a single room

NOT INCLUDED:

Transportation and portorage of heavy or excess baggage, expenses of a personal nature including laundry, telephone, beverage, etc.

Tour costs:

Due to advance booking time we have only provided an indicative price which will be subject to final confirmation – pre-registration deposit is fully refundable until final costing advised. Minimum 10 passengers travelling.

Reservations:

Will only be accepted upon payment of a deposit, together with a completed and signed pre-registration booking form. Final payment is required 60 days prior to departure (29 May 2015).

Cancellation:

In event of cancellation the following charges will apply:

- a) From date when final costing accepted up to 60 days prior departure \$600 per person.
- b) Less than 60 days prior to departure all Land content charges and any cancellation fees imposed by airlines

Insurance:

As a condition of reservation it is necessary that you will be fully protected against loss of deposit, air fare charges which may occur in the case of cancellation, loss of tour monies, loss of luggage or ill health whilst on tour. At the time of booking such cover must be taken out. Policy will be forwarded after your register.

Amendments:

The right is reserved to substitute hotels of a similar category to those indicated, and to make changes to the itinerary where deemed necessary through unforeseen circumstances.

Travel documents:

All passengers must be in possession of at least 6 months validity of their passport.

Transportation:

The Transportation Companies or Firms shall be exempt from all liability in respect of any detention, delay, loss, damage, sickness or injury, however and by whomever caused and of whatever kind occurring of or to the passenger at any time when the passenger is not on board a carrier or conveyance used or operated by the Transportation Companies or Firms concerned.

Air Travel:

Carriage to and from Europe is restricted to contracted carrier. However, the company reserves the right to use any carrier, whether IATA or not IATA should it be necessary.

May we point out that all the passengers will require being in possession of a current passport with minimum of six (6) months validity from date of return to Australia.

BOOKING FORM

Surname (as per passport): _____

Christian Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Phone : Home _____

Mobile _____

Email: _____

Nationality: _____

Passport No: _____

Expiry Date: _____

Share with: _____ or Single room
(Additional cost)

Departure Airport: Perth / Other _____

Deposit enclosed: \$600.00 per person

Extension Required: Yes / No

If yes we will be in contact to review your additional requirements.

On behalf of all persons named above, I have read and understood and accept the booking and tour conditions as detailed above.

Signature

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