



# Florence International Choir Festival

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**FICF 2013**

**2nd Florence  
International  
Choir  
Festival**

*Florence  
24-26 July 2013*

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## PROGRAMME

The Florence International Choir Festival takes place every summer in the most prestigious places of Florence, such as the Salone dei Cinquecento and the magnificent churches of Santa Croce, San Lorenzo and Santa Trinita.

Celebrate with us **F**riendship, **I**nspiration, **C**ulture, **F**un from all over the world!

Enjoy the amazing city of Florence, a jewel in the heart of Tuscany, famous for its magnificent cultural and artistic heritage, warm welcome, accommodation capacity, and outstanding quality of food and wine.

Both professional and amateur are welcome in the Festival articulated in Competition and Performances.

### 24th JULY 2013 - 1st day

4 pm  
*Palazzo Vecchio, Salone dei Cinquecento*  
Opening Ceremony  
9 pm  
*Basilica of San Lorenzo*  
Concert  
9 pm  
*Basilica of Santa Trinita*  
Concert

### 25th JULY 2013 - 2nd day

10 am - 6 pm  
*Auditorium Santo Stefano al Ponte Vecchio*  
Competition  
9 pm  
*Auditorium of Santo Stefano al Ponte Vecchio*  
Concert

### 26th JULY 2013 - 3rd day

4 pm  
*Auditorium of Santo Stefano al Ponte Vecchio*  
Award Ceremony  
7 pm  
*Basilica of Santa Croce*  
Concert  
7 pm  
*Auditorium of Santo Stefano al Ponte Vecchio*  
Concert  
9:30 pm  
Final Meeting with dinner of the Conductors of the Choirs and the Jury



*SALONE DEI CINQUECENTO*  
Opening Ceremony 2012: Amadeus Chamber Choir (Malta)



*PONTE VECCHIO*

## COMPETITION

- Category A**  
Mixed Choirs Adults
- Category B**  
Equal Voices Choirs Adults
- Category C**  
Youth Choirs
- Category D**  
Children Choirs
- Category E**  
Chamber Choirs
- Category F**  
Vocal and instrumental Ensembles
- Category G**  
Sacred Music
- Category II**  
Popular, Folk, Gospel, Barbershop Ensembles
- Category I**  
Jazz and Modern Vocal Ensembles
- Category L**  
Early Music
- Category M**  
Modern and Contemporary Music

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*AUDITORIUM of SANTO STEFANO al PONTE VECCHIO*  
Award Ceremony 2012: The Golden David