“We are proud to invite you to a very special night!”

A Night at the Opera
Thursday 16 July 2015 - 6.00 pm – 11.30 pm

PROGRAMME

From 6.00 pm - Welcome Cocktail in the Foyer
You will be welcomed to the new beautiful Opera House of Florence. Inaugurated in 2011, it received in 2014 the National Award for the best architecture built in Italy in the last five years. You can visit the the cavea positioned on the theatre’s roof, an integration and conclusion of an extended system of squares, terraces and lookouts, designed to accommodate more than 2,000 spectators. From 6.45 pm we will move into the main hall: 1,800 seats contained inside an inclined stereo-metric space, intergrated within an inclined ascending floor. The shape of the hall is conceived, as for a musical instrument, with the objective to ensure the best acoustic result.

7.00 pm – An Intoduction to Opera Theatre
Presentation in the Main Hall: technical introduction will be given directly by the acoustic designers of the Theatre, of Müller –BBM.

7.30 pm – Guided Tour of the Theatre
You will be guided in a group visit to rehearsal rooms of orchestra and orchestral sections, specially opened for the event.

8.30 pm – Madama Butterfly
You will have the opportunity to appreciate with your own ears the acoustic of the theater attending the beginning of the Dress Rehearsal of Giacomo Puccini’s masterpiece that will take place in the main hall, thanks to the efforts that allowed to match that spectacular performance with our event.

9.00 pm - Gala Dinner in the Foyer
A taste of excellence: a selection of Italian cuisine dishes in the magic atmosphere of this marvelous building.

150 places are reserved for ICSV22 delegates at a special all inclusive fee of € 90,00
Make your reservation quickly if you don’t want to miss this unique event