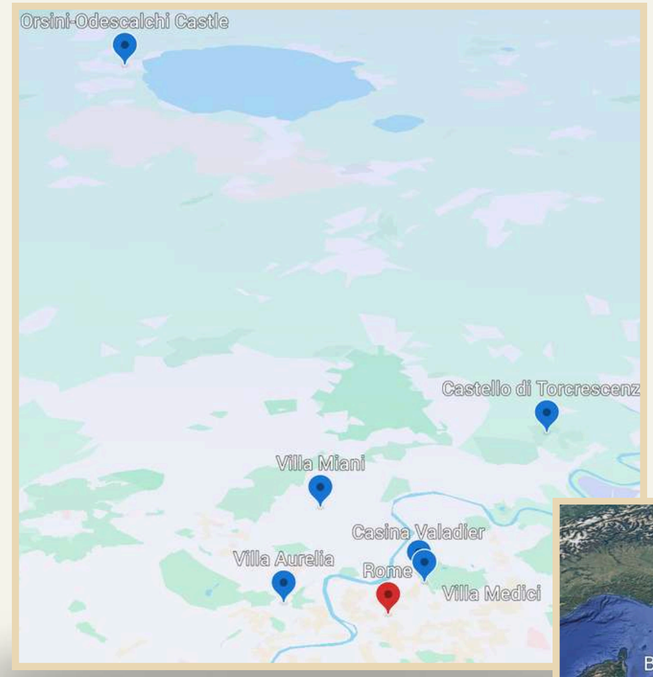
YOUR WEDDING GUIDE TO:

ROME & LAKE BRACCIANO VENUES

What makes Rome & Lake Bracciano so unique?

Rome and Lake Bracciano are unique in their own right and even more special together. They offer two distinct yet deeply connected Italian experiences: one rooted in history and grandeur, the other in nature and quiet elegance. It's the rare combination of an eternal city plus an untouched lake, where centuries of human history meet timeless natural beauty.



SELECTED CURATED ROME & LAKE BRACCIANO VENUES FOR YOU

CASINA VALADIER

METROPOLITAN ROME

Perched above the heart of Rome on the edge of Villa Borghese, Casina Valadier is a refined historic landmark that blends neoclassical elegance with breathtaking panoramic views of the Eternal City.

Originally commissioned in the early 19th century by Prince Giuseppe Valadier—one of Rome's most celebrated architects—the casina was designed as a noble pavilion for leisure and entertainment rather than a defensive castle, embodying the grandeur and sophistication of its era.

Architecturally, Casina Valadier is a masterpiece of Neoclassical design, defined by its symmetrical layout, graceful columns, and harmonious proportions. Its interiors are adorned with frescoed ceilings, ornate stuccoes, and expansive windows that frame sweeping vistas of Rome's rooftops, domes, and sunsets. Outside, elegant terraces and manicured gardens create a seamless transition between architecture and landscape, offering a serene retreat just moments from the city's vibrant center.

With its timeless beauty, elevated setting, and sense of exclusivity, Casina Valadier offers an extraordinary backdrop for weddings, where history, romance, and panoramic views combine to create an unforgettable celebration in Rome.

THE HOTEL AND ITS GROUNDS:

Perched atop the Pincian Hill, Casina Valadier is a neoclassical villa surrounded by manicured gardens and sweeping views over Rome's historic skyline. This iconic Roman landmark combines elegant architecture with an executive floor, a glimmering Mirrors Room, Roman Room, and panoramic terraces overlooking Piazza del Popolo and the city beyond. Framed by lush greenery and timeless Roman vistas, Casina Valadier offers a refined setting in the heart of the city. Overnight accommodations are not available, as the villa is dedicated exclusively to events.

INDOOR & OUTDOOR SPACES:

The inside displays refined salons feature classical details and soft natural light, while outdoor terraces provide breathtaking views ideal for aperitifs and gatherings. The villa balances elegant interior rooms with expansive terraces that open directly onto Rome's skyline, creating a fluid indoor-outdoor experience. From polished interior halls to open-air panoramic terraces, Casina Valadier offers versatile spaces that adapt beautifully to different moments of an event.

CEREMONY + RECEPTION AREAS:

Celebrations are typically held on the terraces accommodating up to 200 guests. Couples can exchange vows outdoors overlooking the city, then transition seamlessly into a refined indoor reception or terrace dinner. The selected room size may vary, accommodating 120 to 200 guests. The venue also allows for romantic garden ceremonies, plus stylish receptions up to 250 guests, combining iconic views with classic Roman elegance for an unforgettable celebration.

AIRPORTS

- ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT (FCO) – APPROX. 35 KM / 45–60 MINUTES

ACCOMMODATION

- THE PROPERTY FUNCTIONS EXCLUSIVELY AS AN EVENT VENUE. GUESTS TYPICALLY STAY IN NEARBY LUXURY HOTELS, BOUTIQUE PROPERTIES, OR PRIVATE RESIDENCES THROUGHOUT CENTRAL ROME AND THE VILLA BORGHESE AREA.

WET WEATHER

- THE VENUE OFFERS MULTIPLE ELEGANT INDOOR RECEPTION ROOMS, INCLUDING HISTORIC SALONS AND DINING HALLS, ALLOWING CEREMONIES OR RECEPTIONS TO MOVE INDOORS SEAMLESSLY IN THE EVENT OF INCLEMENT WEATHER.

IDEAL SEASON: APR-JUN, SEPT - OCT

CATERING

- CASINA VALADIER WORKS WITH APPROVED CATERING PARTNERS EXPERIENCED IN HIGH-END EVENTS. FULL WEDDING MENUS, COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS, AND FORMAL SEATED DINNERS CAN BE CUSTOMIZED TO EACH EVENT.

SUPPLIER POLICY

- COUPLES ARE TYPICALLY REQUIRED TO WORK WITH THE VENUE'S PREFERRED VENDORS FOR CATERING AND TECHNICAL SERVICES.
ADDITIONAL SUPPLIERS (FLORALS, ENTERTAINMENT, STYLING) MAY BE BROUGHT IN WITH PRIOR APPROVAL.

BOOKING POLICY

- A DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO CONFIRM THE EVENT DATE, WITH THE REMAINING BALANCE DUE PRIOR TO THE WEDDING. MINIMUM SPEND REQUIREMENTS AND GUEST MINIMUMS MAY APPLY, DEPENDING ON SEASON, DAY OF THE WEEK, AND SELECTED SPACES.

TYPICAL WAITING TIME: 6 - 12 MOS

WHERE TO STAY

GIVEN THE CENTRAL LOCATION, GUESTS HAVE ACCESS TO AN EXTENSIVE SELECTION OF ACCOMMODATIONS NEARBY, INCLUDING:

- LUXURY HOTELS NEAR VILLA BORGHESE
- BOUTIQUE HOTELS IN SPANISH STEPS AND PINCIAN HILL
- PRIVATE APARTMENTS THROUGHOUT CENTRAL ROME

ACCESSIBILITY

- THE VENUE INCLUDES ACCESSIBLE ENTRANCES AND ELEVATORS, THOUGH SOME HISTORIC AREAS MAY HAVE LIMITATIONS.
ADVANCE COORDINATION WITH THE VENUE IS RECOMMENDED FOR SPECIFIC ACCESSIBILITY NEEDS.

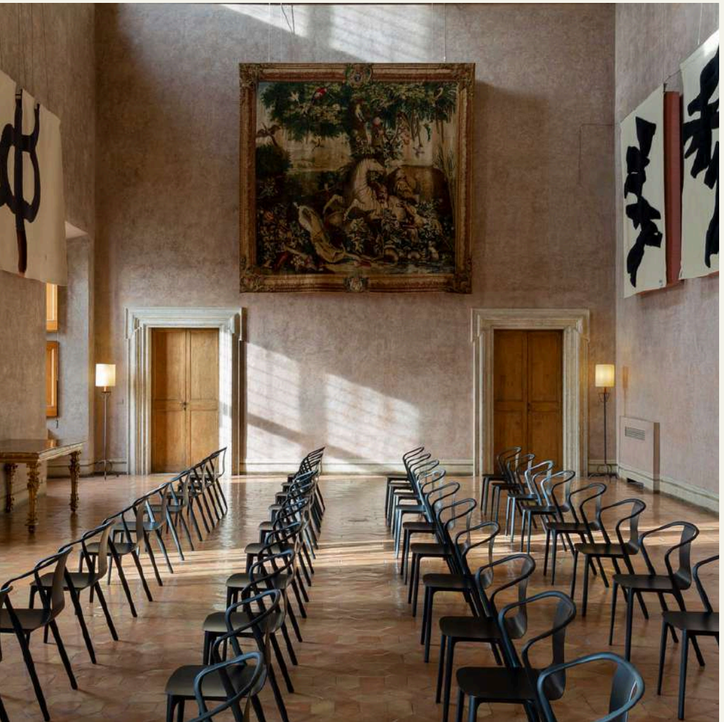
MAX WEDDING GUESTS

CASINA VALADIER CAN ACCOMMODATE:

- INTIMATE WEDDINGS OF 50–100 GUESTS
- LARGE-SCALE CELEBRATIONS TO APPROXIMATELY 250–300 GUESTS, DEPENDING ON THE SELECTED INDOOR AND OUTDOOR SPACES

CHURCH

- THERE IS NO CHURCH ON SITE, BUT NUMEROUS HISTORIC CHURCHES ARE LOCATED NEARBY IN CENTRAL ROME, OFFERING EXCELLENT OPTIONS FOR CATHOLIC CEREMONIES.



VILLA MEDICI

METROPOLITAN ROME

Overlooking the city from the heights of the Pincian Hill, Villa Medici is one of Rome's most distinguished Renaissance estates, where art, history, and refined architecture converge. Originally built in the mid-16th century for Cardinal Ricci da Montepulciano, the villa was later acquired by the powerful Medici family, who transformed it into a symbol of prestige in Rome.

Since 1803, it has served as the home of the French Academy in Rome, continuing its legacy as a center of art, culture, and intellectual exchange.
Architecturally, Villa Medici is a striking example of Renaissance design, characterized by its balanced proportions, rusticated façade, and classical harmony inspired by ancient Roman models. The villa is richly adorned with sculptural reliefs, antique fragments, and elegant loggias, while its interiors reflect a quiet grandeur rooted in centuries of artistic tradition. Surrounding the residence, the formal Italian gardens unfold in terraces, offering manicured hedges, fountains, and shaded pathways with sweeping views over Rome, including the iconic skyline of domes and bell towers.

With its historic prestige, serene gardens, and elevated views above the Eternal City, Villa Medici offers a truly exceptional setting for a wedding, where timeless elegance and artistic heritage create an atmosphere of rare sophistication and romance.

THE VILLA AND ITS GROUNDS:

Villa Medici is a magnificent Renaissance villa perched atop the Pincian Hill, home to the French Academy in Rome and surrounded by formal gardens with sweeping views over the city. It serves as a cultural institution, host to many refined exhibitions, and one of the most exclusive wedding locations in Rome. While it does not offer overnight accommodations for guests, nearby villas and hotel accommodations make for a seamless celebration day to a convenient overnight stay.

INDOOR & OUTDOOR SPACES:

The villa features elegant historic interiors adorned with frescoes, grand staircases, and refined salons, complemented by expansive gardens, terraces, hand-crafted sculptures, and loggias. These outdoor spaces provide a serene contrast to the formal interiors and open onto panoramic views of Rome.

CEREMONY + RECEPTION AREAS:

Ceremonies and receptions can take place in the villa's maze-like gardens or classical courtyards for up to 400 guests, offering a romantic and artistic setting steeped in history. Dinner receptions and cocktail hours may also continue in select interior spaces, hosting intimate gatherings to larger ones for over 200 guests, creating a sophisticated celebration that blends Renaissance beauty with timeless Roman charm.

AIRPORTS

- ROME CIAMPINO AIRPORT (CIA) – APPROX. 17 KM / 30–40 MINUTES
- ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT (FCO) – APPROX. 32 KM / 45–60 MINUTES

ACCOMMODATION

- VILLA MEDICI DOES NOT OFFER OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS FOR WEDDING GUESTS.
AS THE HOME OF THE FRENCH ACADEMY IN ROME, THE PROPERTY FUNCTIONS PRIMARILY AS A CULTURAL INSTITUTION AND EVENT VENUE. GUESTS TYPICALLY STAY IN NEARBY LUXURY HOTELS AND BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS AROUND THE SPANISH STEPS, PINCIAN HILL, AND CENTRAL ROME.

WET WEATHER

- IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS CAN BE MOVED TO REFINED INTERIOR SALONS AND HISTORIC HALLS WITHIN THE VILLA. THESE ELEGANT INDOOR SPACES ALLOW EVENTS TO CONTINUE COMFORTABLY WHILE PRESERVING THE VENUE'S FORMAL AND ARTISTIC ATMOSPHERE.

IDEAL SEASON: APR–JUN, SEP

CATERING

- VILLA MEDICI WORKS WITH APPROVED CATERING PARTNERS EXPERIENCED IN HIGH-END CULTURAL AND PRIVATE EVENTS. MENUS ARE FULLY CUSTOMIZABLE AND SUITED FOR COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS, FORMAL SEATED DINNERS, AND GALA-STYLE CELEBRATIONS.

SUPPLIER POLICY

- COUPLES ARE GENERALLY REQUIRED TO WORK WITH THE VENUE'S PREFERRED VENDORS, PARTICULARLY FOR CATERING AND TECHNICAL SERVICES.
ADDITIONAL SUPPLIERS MAY BE CONSIDERED WITH ADVANCE APPROVAL TO ENSURE COMPATIBILITY WITH THE VILLA'S HISTORIC AND INSTITUTIONAL GUIDELINES.

BOOKING POLICY

- A DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO SECURE THE EVENT DATE, WITH THE REMAINING BALANCE DUE PRIOR TO THE WEDDING.
MINIMUM SPEND REQUIREMENTS AND GUEST MINIMUMS MAY APPLY, DEPENDING ON SEASON, SELECTED SPACES, AND EVENT FORMAT.

TYPICAL WAITING TIME: 12 - 18 MOS

WHERE TO STAY

DUE TO ITS CENTRAL LOCATION, VILLA MEDICI IS SURROUNDED BY A WIDE RANGE OF ACCOMMODATIONS, INCLUDING:

- LUXURY HOTELS NEAR THE SPANISH STEPS
- BOUTIQUE HOTELS IN THE PINCIAN HILL AREA
- PRIVATE APARTMENTS THROUGHOUT CENTRAL ROME

ACCESSIBILITY

- THE VILLA OFFERS PARTIAL ACCESSIBILITY, THOUGH SOME HISTORIC AREAS, GARDENS, AND TERRACES MAY HAVE LIMITATIONS.
ADVANCE COORDINATION WITH THE VENUE IS RECOMMENDED FOR GUESTS WITH SPECIFIC MOBILITY NEEDS.

MAX WEDDING GUESTS

VILLA MEDICI CAN ACCOMMODATE:

- INTIMATE TO LARGE CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS
- LARGER CELEBRATIONS OF UP TO APPROXIMATELY 300–400 GUESTS, DEPENDING ON THE SELECTED GARDENS, COURTYARDS, AND INTERIOR SPACES

CHURCH

- THERE IS NO CHURCH ON SITE, BUT MANY HISTORIC CHURCHES ARE LOCATED NEARBY IN CENTRAL ROME, OFFERING EXCELLENT OPTIONS FOR RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES.

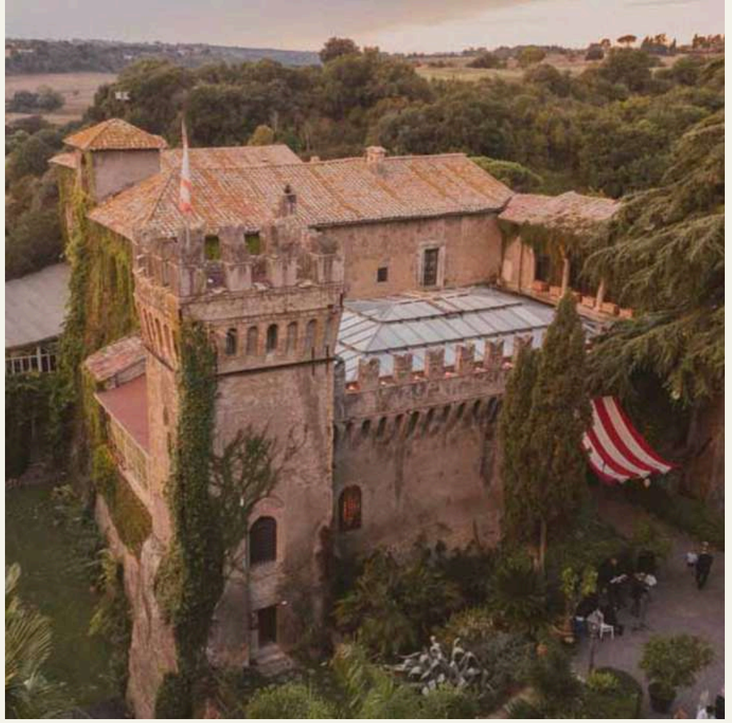
Castello di Torcrescenza

METROPOLITAN ROME

Set within a lush private park along the Via Flaminia, Castello di Torcrescenza is one of Rome's most enchanting and lesser-known historic estates, where medieval romance meets aristocratic refinement. Originally constructed in the early 20th century, the castle was designed as an elegant revival residence inspired by Italy's medieval fortresses, later becoming a favored retreat for Roman nobility and international high society. Over the years, it has hosted diplomats, artists, and notable figures, adding to its air of exclusivity and intrigue.

Architecturally, Castello di Torcrescenza is a striking example of neo-medieval and neo-Gothic design, distinguished by its crenellated towers, stone façades, arched windows, and dramatic battlements. Inside, richly decorated halls feature frescoed ceilings, carved wood details, and grand fireplaces that evoke the atmosphere of a romantic European castle.

With its fairy-tale architecture, intimate yet grand spaces, and private setting just moments from the city, Castello di Torcrescenza is an exceptional wedding venue perfect for couples seeking a timeless, cinematic celebration steeped in romance and history.



THE CASTLE AND ITS GROUNDS:

Castello di Tor Crescenza is a striking medieval fortress on the outskirts of Rome. Thanks to its privileged location, the castle serves as an all-around perfect choice for hosting meetings, gala dinners, business meetings, breakfasts, private receptions, exhibitions, and many other types of events. While the castle does not offer overnight accommodations, guests may choose from nearby villas and hotels to stay at after the celebration.

INDOOR & OUTDOOR SPACES:

Inside, the castle features grand halls with high ceilings, stone walls, and historic details that reflect its noble past, while outdoors, vast courtyards and gardens provide a dramatic and open setting. The contrast between the imposing interiors and open-air spaces allows for versatile event design.

CEREMONY + RECEPTION AREAS:

Ceremonies are often held in the castle's atmospheric courtyard or gardens, creating a powerful and romantic setting. The venue offers 5 banquet halls to choose from, which can accommodate up to 600 guests indoors and outdoors. In the plenary halls, up to 300 may be accommodated. Receptions can follow in the majestic interior halls or outdoors under the stars, offering a memorable celebration steeped in history and elegance.

AIRPORTS

- ROME CIAMPINO AIRPORT (CIA) – APPROX. 20 KM / 35–45 MINUTES
- ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT (FCO) – APPROX. 40 KM / 50–65 MINUTES

ACCOMMODATION

- CASTELLO DI TOR CRESCENZA DOES NOT OFFER OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS FOR WEDDING GUESTS. GUESTS TYPICALLY STAY IN NEARBY VILLAS, LUXURY HOTELS, OR BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS IN NORTHERN ROME AND SURROUNDING RESIDENTIAL AREAS, WITH EASY ACCESS TO THE VENUE FOR THE EVENT DAY.

WET WEATHER

- THE CASTLE OFFERS EXTENSIVE INDOOR BANQUET HALLS AND HISTORIC INTERIOR SPACES, ALLOWING CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS TO MOVE INDOORS IN CASE OF RAIN OR INCLEMENT WEATHER WITHOUT COMPROMISING THE GRANDEUR OF THE EVENT.

IDEAL SEASON: APR–JUN, SEP

CATERING

- THE VENUE WORKS WITH APPROVED CATERING PARTNERS EXPERIENCED IN LARGE-SCALE AND HIGH-END EVENTS. MENUS CAN BE FULLY CUSTOMIZED FOR COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS, FORMAL SEATED DINNERS, AND GALA-STYLE CELEBRATIONS.

SUPPLIER POLICY

- COUPLES ARE GENERALLY REQUIRED TO WORK WITH THE VENUE'S PREFERRED SUPPLIERS, PARTICULARLY FOR CATERING, LIGHTING, AND TECHNICAL SERVICES. ADDITIONAL VENDORS MAY BE APPROVED IN ADVANCE, SUBJECT TO VENUE GUIDELINES.

BOOKING POLICY

- A DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO SECURE THE EVENT DATE, WITH THE BALANCE DUE PRIOR TO THE WEDDING. MINIMUM SPEND REQUIREMENTS AND GUEST MINIMUMS MAY APPLY, DEPENDING ON SEASON, DAY OF THE WEEK, AND SELECTED EVENT SPACES.

TYPICAL WAITING TIME: 12 -1 8 MOS

WHERE TO STAY

WHILE THE CASTLE ITSELF DOES NOT PROVIDE LODGING, GUESTS HAVE ACCESS TO:

- NEARBY LUXURY HOTELS IN NORTHERN ROME
- PRIVATE VILLAS AND RESIDENCES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA
- CENTRAL ROME ACCOMMODATIONS WITH TRANSPORTATION ARRANGED TO THE VENUE

ACCESSIBILITY

- DUE TO THE HISTORIC NATURE OF THE PROPERTY, ACCESSIBILITY IS LIMITED IN SOME AREAS. ADVANCE COORDINATION IS RECOMMENDED TO ACCOMMODATE GUESTS WITH MOBILITY NEEDS.

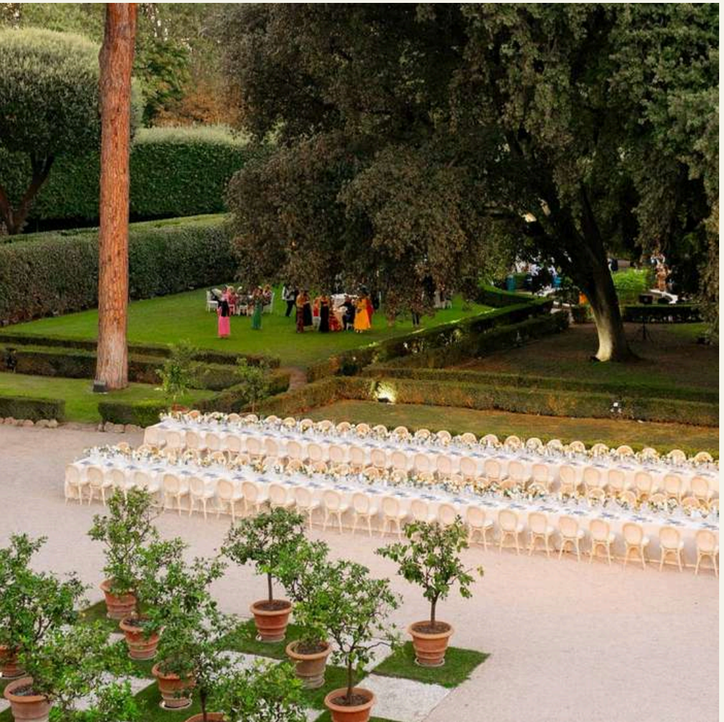
MAX WEDDING GUESTS

CASTELLO DI TOR CRESCENZA CAN ACCOMMODATE:

- LARGE-SCALE WEDDINGS AND EVENTS
- UP TO APPROXIMATELY 600 GUESTS, DEPENDING ON WHETHER INDOOR HALLS, OUTDOOR COURTYARDS, OR COMBINED SPACES ARE USED

CHURCH

- THERE IS NO CHURCH ON SITE, BUT SEVERAL CHURCHES ARE LOCATED NEARBY, OFFERING OPTIONS FOR RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES BEFORE HOSTING THE RECEPTION AT THE CASTLE.



VILLA AURELIA

METROPOLITAN ROME

Nestled on the Janiculum Hill with sweeping views over Rome, Villa Aurelia is a magnificent historic estate that embodies the elegance and cultural depth of the Eternal City. Built in the 17th century for Cardinal Girolamo Farnese, the villa later became an important residence for prominent European figures and, since the mid-20th century, has served as a distinguished venue for international cultural and academic exchange. Its layered history reflects centuries of diplomacy, art, and refined Roman life.

Architecturally, Villa Aurelia is a refined example of Baroque villa design, marked by its stately symmetry, grand façades, and noble interiors. Inside, high ceilings, ornate details, and gracious salons create an atmosphere of understated opulence, while large windows open onto views of the surrounding gardens and cityscape. The villa is set within expansive landscaped grounds, featuring elegant terraces and panoramic viewpoints that capture Rome’s iconic skyline and unforgettable sunsets.

With its historic prestige, tranquil gardens, and elevated vistas above the city, Villa Aurelia offers an exceptional setting for a wedding, where privacy, beauty, and timeless Roman charm come together to create a truly unforgettable celebration.

THE VILLA AND ITS GROUNDS:

Villa Aurelia is a grand 17th-century villa set atop Rome's Gianicolo Hill, surrounded by expansive private gardens with sweeping views over the Eternal City. As a historic venue, the beauty of the Villa gardens, the breathtaking view of Rome, and the variety of spaces available make Villa Aurelia an ideal location for high-level external events such as weddings, receptions, dinners, and board meetings. While the villa does not offer overnight accommodations, guests may choose from nearby villas and hotels to stay at after the celebration.

INDOOR & OUTDOOR SPACES:

The villa features grand rooms, such as Sala Aurelia, The Salone and The Music Room, gems of timeless elegance. Gilded stuccoes, a crystal chandelier, and historic parquet flooring create an atmosphere of refined beauty. The large windows offer a breathtaking view of Rome, making this space truly unique and unforgettable. Outdoors, the Italian-style garden enchants with its flowerbeds bordered by boxwood hedges. The central fountain serves as a focal point, while benches invite guests to enjoy the view toward the villa, in perfect harmony between nature and architecture.

CEREMONY + RECEPTION AREAS:

Ceremonies can be held in the gardens or in one of several elegant rooms to choose from. Between the rooms of masterpieces of design, each adorned with a finely crafted stucco rosette and illuminated by soft lighting and bright white walls, for 120 -220 guests to admire. Outside, a romantic backdrop of greenery and city views may accommodate up to 300 guests. Receptions flow seamlessly between outdoor spaces and the villa's elegant interiors, allowing for a sophisticated celebration.

AIRPORTS

- ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT (FCO) – APPROX. 24 KM / 30–40 MINUTES
- ROME CIAMPINO AIRPORT (CIA) – APPROX. 34 KM / 1 HR

ACCOMMODATION

- VILLA AURELIA DOES NOT OFFER OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS FOR WEDDING GUESTS.
AS THE VILLA IS PRIMARILY USED FOR HIGH-LEVEL EVENTS AND CONFERENCES. GUESTS TYPICALLY STAY IN NEARBY LUXURY HOTELS AND BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS AROUND PINCIANO HILL AND CENTRAL ROME.

WET WEATHER

- IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS CAN BE MOVED TO REFINED INTERIOR SALONS AND HISTORIC HALLS WITHIN THE VILLA. THESE ELEGANT INDOOR SPACES ALLOW EVENTS TO CONTINUE COMFORTABLY WHILE PRESERVING THE VENUE'S FORMAL AND ARTISTIC ATMOSPHERE.

IDEAL SEASON: APR–JUN, SEP

CATERING

- VILLA MEDICI AURELIA WITH APPROVED CATERING PARTNERS EXPERIENCED IN HIGH-END CULTURAL AND PRIVATE EVENTS. MENUS ARE FULLY CUSTOMIZABLE AND SUITED FOR COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS, FORMAL SEATED DINNERS, AND GALA-STYLE CELEBRATIONS.

SUPPLIER POLICY

- COUPLES ARE GENERALLY REQUIRED TO WORK WITH THE VENUE'S PREFERRED VENDORS, PARTICULARLY FOR CATERING AND TECHNICAL SERVICES.
ADDITIONAL SUPPLIERS MAY BE CONSIDERED WITH ADVANCE APPROVAL TO ENSURE COMPATIBILITY WITH THE VILLA'S HISTORIC AND INSTITUTIONAL GUIDELINES.

BOOKING POLICY

- A DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO SECURE THE EVENT DATE, WITH THE REMAINING BALANCE DUE PRIOR TO THE WEDDING. MINIMUM SPEND REQUIREMENTS AND GUEST MINIMUMS MAY APPLY, DEPENDING ON SEASON, SELECTED SPACES, AND EVENT FORMAT.

TYPICAL WAITING TIME: 12 - 18 MOS

WHERE TO STAY

DUE TO ITS CENTRAL LOCATION, VILLA AURELIA IS SURROUNDED BY A WIDE RANGE OF ACCOMMODATIONS, INCLUDING:

- LUXURY HOTELS NEAR THE SPANISH STEPS
- BOUTIQUE HOTELS IN THE PINCIAN HILL AREA
- PRIVATE APARTMENTS THROUGHOUT CENTRAL ROME

ACCESSIBILITY

- THE VILLA OFFERS PARTIAL ACCESSIBILITY, THOUGH SOME HISTORIC AREAS, GARDENS, AND TERRACES MAY HAVE LIMITATIONS.
ADVANCE COORDINATION WITH THE VENUE IS RECOMMENDED FOR GUESTS WITH SPECIFIC MOBILITY NEEDS.

MAX WEDDING GUESTS

VILLA AURELIA CAN ACCOMMODATE:

- INTIMATE TO MEDIUM CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS
- LARGER CELEBRATIONS OF UP TO APPROXIMATELY 120–220 GUESTS, DEPENDING ON THE SELECTED GARDENS, COURTYARDS, AND INTERIOR SPACES

CHURCH

- THERE IS NO CHURCH ON SITE, BUT MANY HISTORIC CHURCHES ARE LOCATED NEARBY IN CENTRAL ROME, OFFERING EXCELLENT OPTIONS FOR RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES.

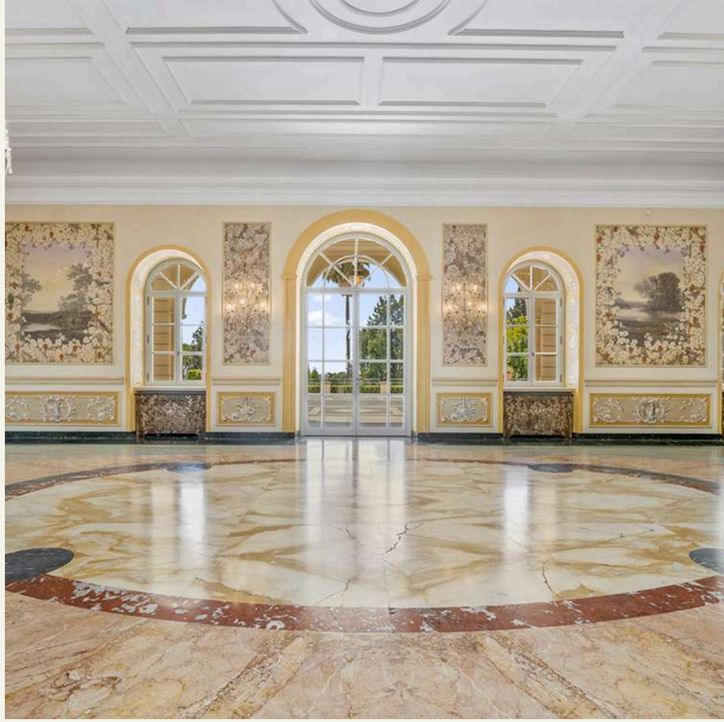
VILLA MIANI

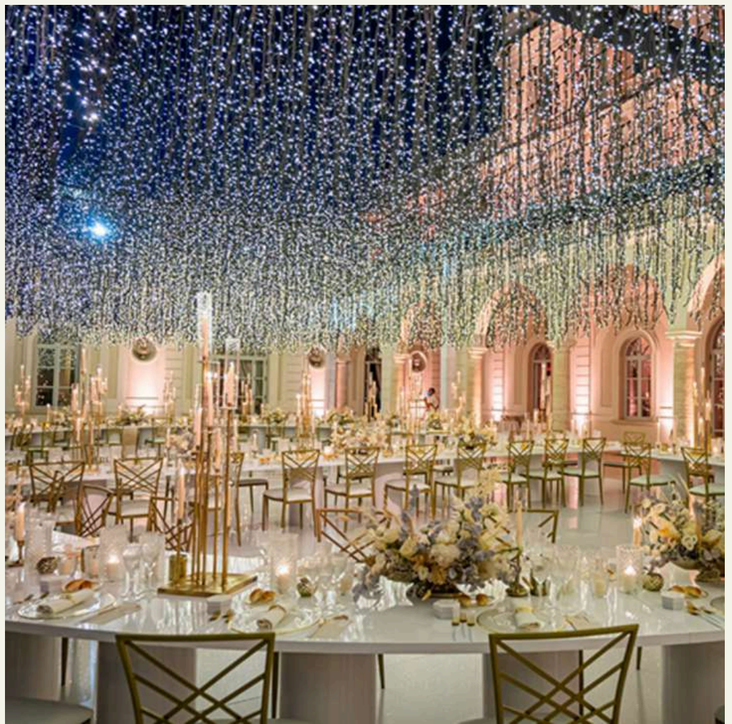
METROPOLITAN ROME

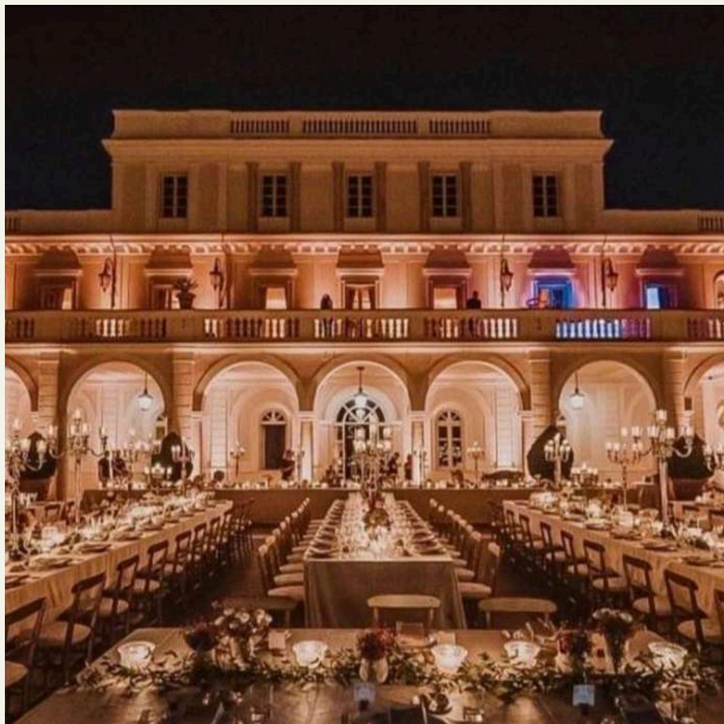
Set high on Monte Mario with commanding views over the Vatican and the historic center of Rome, Villa Miani is one of the city's most elegant and panoramic estates. Built in the early 20th century as a private residence for the Miani family, the villa was conceived as a refined retreat overlooking the Eternal City, later evolving into a prestigious venue for cultural events, diplomatic gatherings, and high-profile celebrations.

Architecturally, Villa Miani reflects a refined neoclassical style, defined by clean lines, balanced proportions, and a sense of understated grandeur. Its interiors feature lofty ceilings, marble details, and expansive reception rooms designed to capture natural light and frame Rome's skyline. Outside, the villa is surrounded by beautifully landscaped gardens and broad terraces, where manicured lawns and elegant pathways lead to breathtaking panoramic views that stretch from St. Peter's Basilica to the city's iconic domes and rooftops.

With its elevated setting, timeless elegance, and unparalleled views, Villa Miani is an exceptional wedding venue offering a sophisticated and unforgettable backdrop for celebrating love in the heart of Rome.







THE VILLA AND ITS GROUNDS:

Villa Miani is a luxurious villa perched on the heights of Monte Mario, described at a height where the sky meets Rome, offering panoramic views over Rome and the surrounding countryside. Its elegant gardens and terraces create a private oasis, though the villa does not provide overnight accommodations, guests may enjoy day amenities and take rest at a nearby villa or hotel at night.

INDOOR & OUTDOOR SPACES:

The villa boasts opulent, spacious interiors consisting of over 3,000 square meters of rooms generously furnished with frescoes, precious marbles, and stylish salons. The outdoors showcases a huge park with trees and Italian gardens highlighting its neoclassical facades, complete with terraces and courtyards. These spaces combine to create a seamless blend of indoor luxury and open-air elegance

CEREMONY + RECEPTION AREAS:

Ceremonies can be held on the panoramic terraces or in the lush courtyard gardens, providing stunning backdrops for vows. The venue allows for intimate celebrations as small as 40 guests, while the overall villa may accommodate up to 400 -600 guests. Receptions can take place in the grand indoor halls or one of the other 6 beautiful ground halls, al fresco on the terraces, or in one of the 5 intricately decorated spaces on the first floor. Each space is synonymous with elegance, ensuring the most memorable occasion.

AIRPORTS

- ROME CIAMPINO AIRPORT (CIA) – APPROX. 17 KM / 30–40 MINUTES
- ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT (FCO) – APPROX. 32 KM / 45–60 MINUTES

ACCOMMODATION

- VILLA MIANI DOES NOT OFFER OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS FOR WEDDING GUESTS. AS THE HOME OF THE FRENCH ACADEMY IN ROME, THE PROPERTY FUNCTIONS PRIMARILY AS A CULTURAL INSTITUTION AND EVENT VENUE. GUESTS TYPICALLY STAY IN NEARBY LUXURY HOTELS AND BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS AROUND THE SPANISH STEPS, PINCIANO HILL, AND CENTRAL ROME.

WET WEATHER

- IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS CAN BE MOVED TO REFINED INTERIOR SALONS AND HISTORIC HALLS WITHIN THE VILLA. THESE ELEGANT INDOOR SPACES ALLOW EVENTS TO CONTINUE COMFORTABLY WHILE PRESERVING THE VENUE'S FORMAL AND ARTISTIC ATMOSPHERE.

IDEAL SEASON: APR–JUN, SEP

CATERING

- VILLA MIANI WORKS WITH APPROVED CATERING PARTNERS EXPERIENCED IN HIGH-END CULTURAL AND PRIVATE EVENTS. MENUS ARE FULLY CUSTOMIZABLE AND SUITED FOR COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS, FORMAL SEATED DINNERS, AND GALA-STYLE CELEBRATIONS.

SUPPLIER POLICY

- COUPLES ARE GENERALLY REQUIRED TO WORK WITH THE VENUE'S PREFERRED VENDORS, PARTICULARLY FOR CATERING AND TECHNICAL SERVICES. ADDITIONAL SUPPLIERS MAY BE CONSIDERED WITH ADVANCE APPROVAL TO ENSURE COMPATIBILITY WITH THE VILLA'S HISTORIC AND INSTITUTIONAL GUIDELINES.

BOOKING POLICY

- A DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO SECURE THE EVENT DATE, WITH THE REMAINING BALANCE DUE PRIOR TO THE WEDDING. MINIMUM SPEND REQUIREMENTS AND GUEST MINIMUMS MAY APPLY, DEPENDING ON SEASON, SELECTED SPACES, AND EVENT FORMAT.

TYPICAL WAITING TIME: 12 - 18 MOS

WHERE TO STAY

DUE TO ITS CENTRAL LOCATION, VILLA MIANI IS SURROUNDED BY A WIDE RANGE OF ACCOMMODATIONS, INCLUDING:

- LUXURY HOTELS NEAR THE SPANISH STEPS
- BOUTIQUE HOTELS IN THE PINCIAN HILL AREA
- PRIVATE APARTMENTS THROUGHOUT CENTRAL ROME

ACCESSIBILITY

- THE VILLA OFFERS ACCESSIBILITY, THOUGH SOME HISTORIC AREAS, GARDENS, AND TERRACES MAY HAVE LIMITATIONS. ADVANCE COORDINATION WITH THE VENUE IS RECOMMENDED FOR GUESTS WITH SPECIFIC MOBILITY NEEDS.

MAX WEDDING GUESTS

VILLA MIANI CAN ACCOMMODATE:

- MEDIUM TO LARGE CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS
- LARGER CELEBRATIONS OF UP TO APPROXIMATELY 200–400 GUESTS, DEPENDING ON THE SELECTED GARDENS, COURTYARDS, AND INTERIOR SPACES

CHURCH

- THERE IS NO CHURCH ON SITE, BUT MANY HISTORIC CHURCHES ARE LOCATED NEARBY IN CENTRAL ROME, OFFERING EXCELLENT OPTIONS FOR RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES.

CASTELLO ODESCALCHI

LAKE BRACCIANO

Rising majestically on the shores of Lake Bracciano just outside Rome, Castello Odescalchi is one of Italy's most impressive and well-preserved Renaissance castles, steeped in centuries of noble history.

Originally constructed in the 15th century by the Orsini family, the fortress later passed to the influential Odescalchi family, who transformed it from a military stronghold into an aristocratic residence. Over time, it became a symbol of power, prestige, and refined courtly life, hosting popes, princes, and prominent European figures.

Architecturally, Castello Odescalchi is a commanding example of Renaissance military and residential design, featuring massive stone walls, imposing corner towers, and a dramatic central courtyard that reflects both strength and elegance. Inside, richly frescoed halls, grand staircases, and historic apartments reveal layers of artistic and architectural refinement, while the castle's terraces and loggias open onto sweeping views of Lake Bracciano and the surrounding countryside.

With its majestic silhouette, historic interiors, and breathtaking lakeside setting, Castello Odescalchi offers an extraordinary wedding venue perfect for couples seeking a regal, romantic celebration in one of the most iconic castles near Rome.

THE CASTLE AND ITS GROUNDS:

Castello Odescalchi is a historic 15th-century castle that imposes, as a harmonious fortified structure and an excellent example of military architecture, surrounded by expansive grounds and scenic views of the lake and surrounding hills. The castle serves exclusively as an event venue for small, intimate gatherings to large gatherings of over 1,000 guests between indoor and outdoor settings. Though the castle does not provide overnight accommodations, guests may enjoy day amenities and take rest at a nearby villa or hotel at night.

INDOOR & OUTDOOR SPACES:

The castle features grand halls with stone walls, frescoed ceilings, and elegant period details, while its courtyards, terraces, and gardens offer open-air spaces. Thanks to these features, the halls, the inside courts, the secret garden, and the consecrated church, Castello Odescalchi became the ideal setting for fashionable events, top-class weddings, and conventions.

CEREMONY + RECEPTION AREAS:

Couples can exchange vows in several of the castle's locations. The castle's church serves as the most elegant and traditional backdrop to Catholic ceremonies, located right under the huge fortress, connected to Odescalchi Castle by a secret tunnel. Blessings or symbolic ceremonies can also be organized in the castle's secret garden, in one of its halls, and in beautiful arched cloisters and courts hosting intimate gatherings to larger gatherings of 400 guests. The overall castle may accommodate up to over 1000 guests between indoor and outdoor settings.

AIRPORTS

- ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT (FCO) – APPROX. 54 KM / 60–75 MINUTES

ACCOMMODATION

- CASTELLO ODESCALCHI DI BRACCIANO DOES NOT OFFER OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS FOR WEDDING GUESTS. THE PROPERTY FUNCTIONS PRIMARILY AS A CULTURAL INSTITUTION AND EVENT VENUE. GUESTS TYPICALLY STAY IN NEARBY LUXURY HOTELS AND BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS AROUND THE SPANISH STEPS, PINCIANO HILL, AND CENTRAL ROME.

WET WEATHER

- IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, CEREMONIES AND RECEPTIONS CAN BE MOVED TO REFINED INTERIOR SALONS AND HISTORIC HALLS WITHIN THE CASTLE. THESE ELEGANT INDOOR SPACES ALLOW EVENTS TO CONTINUE COMFORTABLY WHILE PRESERVING THE VENUE'S FORMAL AND ARTISTIC ATMOSPHERE.

IDEAL SEASON: MAY - SEPT

CATERING

- CASTELLO ODESCALCHI DI BRACCIANO WORKS WITH APPROVED CATERING PARTNERS EXPERIENCED IN HIGH-END CULTURAL AND PRIVATE EVENTS. MENUS ARE FULLY CUSTOMIZABLE AND SUITED FOR COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS, FORMAL SEATED DINNERS, AND GALA-STYLE CELEBRATIONS.

SUPPLIER POLICY

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