

PIEMONTE: 2009-2010 CULTURAL CALENDAR

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September 3 - 24

MiTo Settembre **Musica**: international Festival of classical and contemporary music, with ethnic and liturgical echoes. Turin and Milan.

www.mitosettembremusica.it

September 6

European Day of Jewish Culture. Annual celebration of Europe's **Jewish** Cultural Heritage | www.moked.it

October 3 - November 8

80th International White **Truffle** Fair of Alba. Enogastronomic feast dedicated to the prized Tuber Magnatum Pico, or White Truffle of Alba, delight of gourmet experts all over the world. Palatartufi, Alba | www.fieradeltartufo.org

November 6 - 8

Artissima. 16th International Fair of Contemporary **Art** in Turin. Exclusive galleries, cutting-edge artists, a window on emerging art trends worldwide.

Lingotto, Turin | www.artissima.it

November 5 - 7

Club to Club - Torino International Festival of **Electronic Music** and Arts. State of Indepen/Dance is the theme of the 9th edition of Club To Club, showcasing the international avant-garde, national débuts, film screenings, sound installations, performances, and lectures on the subjects of creativity and independence.

Turin/Brussels, various locations | www.clubtoclub.it

November 13 - 21

Turin Film Festival. Famous for its selection of independent, documentary, archival, and foreign film. Center of new **Cinematography and Video** art.

Showcase of classic retrospectives and international "new cinema", Turin.

www.torinofilmfest.org

November - January

Contemporary Arts Torino Piemonte. A rich autumn calendar of events. Visual arts, music, theatre, cinema, the performing arts and design.

Turin - various venues | www.contemporarytorinopiemonte.it





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November - January

Luci d'Artista. **Piazzas** and city streets light up with art and imagination: a true "open-air museum" that grows richer year after year through the contribution of established and emerging international artists. Turin, streets and piazzas.

www.turismotorino.org



June 26 - January 10, 2010

Tiaras and Royal **Jewels**. Masterpieces of the Savoy Court. An exhibition of the most precious jewels of the Sabaudian court, created by the best Italian goldsmiths between the 17th and 20th centuries. Reggia di Venaria Reale, Turin.

www.lavenaria.it

September 11 - December 4

Torinodanza Festival. European appointment for the contemporary research in **Dance** and choreography. Six international shows, five Italian premières, one world première. Turin, various venues | www.torinodanzafestival.it



September 16 - January 10, 2010

Gianni Colombo: A Retrospective. A fascinating journey through the artistic career of one of the most polyedric protagonists of the 1950s-60s international movement of **Kinetic** art. Castle of Rivoli, Rivoli | www.castellodirivoli.org

October 2 - November 15

Observing the stars: 250 Years of **Astronomy** in Turin. A survey exhibit of the historical and cultural heritage of the Observatory of Turin featuring instruments, astronomy tables, ancient texts, and documents from the State Archives.

Palazzo Bricherasio, Palazzo Lascaris, Turin | www.palazzobricherasio.it



2010 EVENTS

Torino European **Youth** Capital: Piedmont as the epicentre of youth policy: music, international mobility, communication, public art and space | www.pyoulife.com

February 20- May 31

Peggy and Solomon Guggenheim: Abstractionist Avantgardes. Kandinsky, Cézanne, Matisse, and Klee. Last of a series of shows organized by the **Guggenheim** Foundation, Venice for the Arca Exhibition Space in Vercelli.

www.guggenheimvercelli.it

March: Alba International Film Festival

International **Film** festival. A public art forum of cross-fertilization and soul search for contemporary man and women. Alba | www.albafilmfestival.com



www.piemontefeel.it | www.torinopiemonte.com | www.piemonteitalia.eu

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March - April

Cioccolatò. The historic “parlour” of Piazza Vittorio will be stage to the 8th edition of CioccolaTò, Turin's world-famous fair dedicated to **Chocolate**, the fruit that the Savoys introduced to Piedmont in the 17th century, and became its staple. Turin.
www.cioccola-to.com

March 22 - 28

World Figure **Skating** Championships. Thousands of fans gather in Turin for the 100th international skating championships. Palavela, Turin.
www.torinolympicpark.org

April - May 2010

Lusciously redesigned by François Confino, the prestigious halls of the Carlo Biscaretti di Ruffia National **Automobile** Museum reopens to the public. Turin
www.museoauto.it

Exposition of the Shroud. Ten years after the last **Exposition**, a new display of the Holy Linen. Turin Cathedral, Piazza San Giovanni | www.sindone.org

OY, OY, OY! 5th edition of the International Festival of **Jewish** Culture. Piedmont – various venues | www.oyoyoy.it

Messer Tulipano. 11th “Mister **Tulip**” Flower Show in the gardens of the Pralormo Castle. Pralormo | www.castellodipralormo.com

Turin **Marathon**. Turin's annual sport event for all marathon lovers.
www.turinmarathon.it

The Vinum International Exposition of famous Piedmontese **Wines**. Alba | www.vinumalba.it

Turin International **Book** Fair. One of the most important and diverse European events dedicated to publishing, reading, and culture; Lingotto Fiere, Turin
www.saloneibro.it

June - July

Vignale Dance. 32nd International Festival of **Dance** and Integrated Arts.
www.vignaledanza.com

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June 23 - July 28

Letteratura. A Festival of **Literature** on mountains, travel, and adventure: meet international authors in a comfortable and informal environment. | Verbania and Verbano Cusio Ossola – various locations | www.letteratura.it

June - September

Mountains in Motion: **Multimedia** journeys across the southern Alps. Stories of peoples, ideas, arts, trades, goods, innovations. Forte di Vinadio | www.fortedivinadio.it

July

Teatro a Corte. International **Theatre** with live performances in the splendid setting of the Savoy royal residences of Piedmont. Various locations. www.teatroacorte.it

Il Regio a Racconigi. In the Royal Greenhouses of the Racconigi Castle a fest of **Opera**, dance, and symphonic music. Racconigi Castle. www.teatroregio.torino.it

July 2 - 7

Euro Science Open Forum. Biennial meeting dedicated to research and scientific **Innovation**. A unique opportunity to meet, present, exchange, and discuss the frontiers of scientific and technological research. Lingotto, Turin | www.esof2010.org

July 14 - 17

Traffic Free Festival. The largest **Free Music** event in the continent, bringing together a wide range of music performances. Gardens of the Royal Palace of Venaria | www.trafficfestival.com

August

49th Music Week of Stresa. A panorama of European **Classical Music** in the splendid setting of Belle Epoque villas and gardens. Verbania and Verbano Cusio Ossola | www.stresafestival.eu

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September 19

Palio di Asti. Historic bareback **Horse-race** through the piazzas with twenty-one competing rioni, the city's old districts, accompanied by people in costumes and medieval re-enactments. Asti | www.palio.asti.it

September 19 - 23

European Conference of Optical Communication. 36th edition of the most important European conference on **Fiberoptic** networking and telecommunications equipment. Lingotto, Turin | www.ecoc2010.org

October - November

International Salone del Gusto. World **Gourmet** fair exploring the finest foods, between archeology, technology, and palate. The temple of Slow Food world-wide. Lingotto Fiere, Turin | www.salonedelgusto.it

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