



2019

**ITALIAN
WINES**

BERLIN

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

HOTEL DE ROME

Behrenstr. 37, 10117 Berlin

14:00 – 19:00 | TRADE AND PRESS TASTING

16:00 – 19:00 | WINELOVERS TASTING (ENTRANCE € 20)

15:00 | SPECIAL AWARDS MASTERCLASS



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Vini d'Italia meets the spirit of Berlin

Gambero Rosso comes back to Berlin with some of Italy's most awarded wineries in the 2019 guide. The Vini d'Italia Tour will reach Berlin on Wednesday January 23, in the prestigious Hotel de Rome. The walk-around tasting will start at 2pm for professionals and at 4pm to the public. At 3pm will take place the Special Awards masterclass that will display the very rare 11 wines of the year. Moreover at 5:30pm the event will host the award ceremony of the best Italian restaurants in Berlin according to the digital guide Top Italian Restaurants, including fine dining restaurants, trattorie, pizzerias and wine bars.

The German edition of Vini d'Italia 2019 guidebook celebrates 30 years of success. Germany represents the first European market for Italian wines, during the first 6 months of 2018 Italy reached 306 millions of euros: +1% compare to 2017. Sparkling wines lead the way (+38% in terms of volumes). We remember that the Vini d'Italia Tour is only for those wineries that have been rated in the Guide, a guarantee of absolute quality. Gambero Rosso has reached the 32nd edition of the Vini d'Italia guide, today translated into English, German, Chinese and Japanese.

Vini d'Italia 2019 guide is the result of a year of work by an expert team of tasters who have travelled the country (including Switzerland's Canton Ticino) interviewing producers and visiting wineries.

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About Vini d'Italia 2019

The 2019 edition reviews 2,485 wineries and a total of 22,000 wines, awarding the classic scores ranging from 1 to 3 Glasses according to the quality of the label. This year, 447 Tre Bicchieri have emerged: Tuscany leads the way with 85 awards, followed by Piedmont and Veneto. At the same time Southern Italy is surging in terms of quality and awards. Vini d'Italia is not just a collection of scores and ratings, it's a fundamental and essential volume for all those who work in the sector or are interested in quality Italian wines.

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About Top Italian Restaurants

Competitive, identitarian, increasingly proud in bringing its regional recipes to the table, and its simplest and most rustic profile, even in luxury settings. So the recipe for Neapolitan scarpariello finds its place in the major hotels in Hong Kong, the taste of Roman tripe marries Scandinavian wine cellars, Agerola fior di latte rests on increasingly good Neapolitan pizzas in New York. There are 5 million Italians living abroad, 100 thousand locals who refer to our traditions. In the Top Italian Restaurants guide we have selected 500: places managed by professionals, offering above all true Italian flavor. One made of products that speak of the production area, of who we are, and how we live. These are often stories of courage, chefs, pizza makers and sommeliers seeking something more. And success stories. Available for free:

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