

F-Light 2016/2017

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Christmas trees lighting

December 8

5pm, Palazzo Vecchio / 6pm, Piazza Duomo

The mayor of Florence inaugurates F-Light by lighting up the Christmas trees in Palazzo Vecchio and Piazza Duomo.

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Lightness

December 8 - January 8

5.30pm-12am, Ponte Vecchio

Ponte Vecchio offers its surface to host an incredible video mapping project dedicated to the meaning and representation of light concept in arts through canvas, metals, jewels and glass windows by artists such as Taddeo Gaddi, Raffaello, Caravaggio, Van Gogh, Giacomo Balla, Emile Nolde, Andy Warhol and Dan Flavin. This is a collection of images to astonishingly and lightly get familiar with art history and list your favorite masterpieces.

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Focus

December 8 - January 8

5.30pm-10.30pm, Piazzale Michelangelo / Biblioteca Nazionale

During the flood days in 1966, the electrical system was out of service, and big street-lights were switched on in Piazzale Michelangelo to allow the rescue of the Biblioteca Nazionale goods. 50 years later in memory of what happened in the autumn of 1966, a big spotlight illuminate the façade of the Biblioteca Nazionale, which is a symbolic place of Florence's cultural heritage, from Piazzale Michelangelo".

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Lighting dwelling

December 8 - January 8

5.30pm-12am, Piazza Santo Spirito

A video mapping project beam the façade of the basilica. It includes videos focused on the concept of river - especially the Arno river 50 years after the flood - taken by those participants to the open call promoted by IED.

Monday December 12, 7pm live calligraphic performance by Luca Barcellona and Andrea Mi dj-set.

Promoted by IED - European Institute of Design, Fashion and Visual Arts.

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White stone

December 8 - January 8

5.30pm-11pm, Piazza Santa Croce

The stones and marbles of the Santa Croce basilica façade are lighted up by the "Tunable White", a lighting system that allows managing the chromatic output playing with the shades of white, warm-cold-on-off.

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The Eternal child

December 8 - January 8

8pm-12am, Loggia del Porcellino

The flooring of the popular loggia del Porcellino includes lighting installations. Childhood, the *puer aeternus* in arts and news are the focus of this multimedia project developed by Giancarlo Cauteruccio, Stefano Fomasi and Sergio Risaliti.

Saturday December 17, 9pm-10.30pm: Multimedia installation dedicated to the Eternal child performed by Giancarlo Cauteruccio and his amateurs actors.

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Everything passes. Florence, from the flood days to city of the future

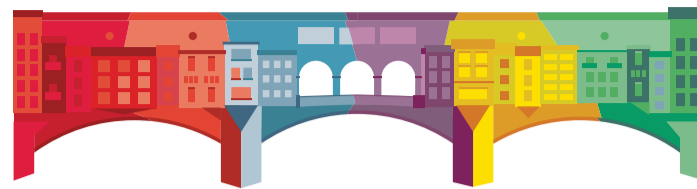
December 8 - January 8

5.30pm-12am, Lungarno Acciaiuoli

Images of the documentary film that Beppe Fantacci shot during the flood days in 1966 and the cartoon "Replicate, Firenze più facile" dedicated to smart cities are projected on the Lungarno Acciaiuoli façades.

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F-Light - Florence Light Festival is promoted by the municipality of Florence and organized by Mus.e with Sergio Risaliti's artistic management.

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Monuments lighting

December 8 - January 8

from 5.30pm, Loggia dei Lanzi, Fontana del Nettuno, Torre San Niccolò, Torre della Zecca

Some of most important monuments of the city are lighted up with warm and bright lights and the atmosphere is even more magical!

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Sala d'Arme

December 9 - 21

Palazzo Vecchio

December 9 - 14, 11am-7pm: **Portray light.**

Studio Marangoni Foundation's selection of photos taken by artists is projected on the recesses of Sala d'Arme. The focus is still light: dawn and sunset, shadow and light, ghosts and artificial lighting, sparkles and light falls and images reflecting the substantial relation between photos and light.

December 15, 5.30pm: **Art on a different spotlight**, conference by *Opificio delle Pietre Dure*. Ultraviolet, oblique, infrared are some of the light identities that allow seeing what it is naturally invisible. Therefore, it is not a case that light with its different shades is precious for studying and diagnostic of cultural heritages, and is often functional for those precise restoration interventions.

December 16 - 21, 11am-7pm: **Art photographers.**

Artistic photographs experts show their pictures on the recesses of Sala d'Arme. Three popular Florentine photographers Carlo Cantini, Serge Domingie and Lorenzo Menonna project their works dedicated to art's past and contemporary masterpieces.

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Never ending column

December 21 - January 8

Sunday/Thursday 6pm-10.30pm

Friday/Saturday 5.30pm-12am, Forte Belvedere

In Forte Belvedere «Ramses II» beams across the night. It is the most powerful movable lighting device of the world, a tree of life, a never-ending lighting column, a lighting elevator that connects the earth and the sky as the Jacob's ladder. Or it is simply a Christmas tree hundreds-meter high.

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Metamorphosis

December 8 - January 8

from 5.30pm, Porta Romana

Porta Romana is magical: some special lights transform the Oltrarno area in a scenography in continuous evolution.

Promoted by ISIA - Istituto Superiore per le Industrie Artistiche and in collaboration with Oltrarno Promuove 2.0".

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Christmas@LaRinascente

November 26 - January 8

10am-1am, Piazza della Repubblica

La Rinascente is covered up with a led and strobe lights falls.

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Loggia del Pesce lighting

December 12
6pm, Piazza dei Ciampi

Inauguration of the new permanent light system project.



INFO CAR

December 8 - January 8

For the whole festival Enegan's electric mini cars distribute gadgets all around the city and provide information on the F-light festival program.



FlightContest

December 8 - January 8

It is a competition between the windows of the stores in Florence on the occasion of F-Light festival: Facebook #flightvetrine #enegan

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Under the flashlight. Journeys, visits and workshops.

December 8 - January 8
Museo Stefano Bardini, Museo Novecento, Museo di Palazzo Vecchio

MUSEO STEFANO BARDINI

Journeys under the flashlight, December 17 / 30, 5pm.
For families and 8/12-year-old kids - duration 1h15'.
Selfie Art Challenge, December 16, 7.30-10pm.
For 15/25-year-old people.

MUSEO NOVECENTO

Light Drawings, December 18, 3pm / 3.30pm / 4pm / 4.30pm / 5pm / 5.30pm.
For families and kids of all ages - duration 30'.

MUSEO DI PALAZZO VECCHIO

Christmas tree, December 8 - January 8
Journeys under the flashlight, December 18 / 23, 7pm. for families and 8/12-year-old kids - duration 1h15', 9pm for all ages - duration 1h15'
Light and shadows, December 18, 10am / 11am / 12am. January 6, 3pm, 4pm, 5pm. For families and 3/7-year-old kids - duration 50'.

IN TOWN

Light traces, December 17, 5.30-7pm. Duration 1h.

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