

SECOND EXPLORATORY NOTICE FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR THE USE OF EXHIBITION SPACES AND FOR EVENTS IN THE PROPERTY LOCATED IN MILAN AT VIA SOLFERINO 17-19 WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF “FUORISALONE” EVENTS OF THE MILAN SALONE DEL MOBILE [FURNITURE FAIR] FROM 20 TO 26 APRIL 2026

Fondazione dell’Ordine degli Architetti, Paesaggisti, Pianificatori e Conservatori della Provincia di Milano [Foundation of the Order of Architects, Planners, Landscapers and Conservationists of the Province of Milan] (hereinafter “Foundation”) is a not-for-profit organisation under private law established by Ordine degli Architetti, Paesaggisti, Pianificatori e Conservatori della Provincia di Milano [Order of Architects, Planners, Landscapers and Conservationists of the Province of Milan] (hereinafter “Order”), within the framework of architecture and carries on cultural, training and professional development activities to promote awareness of the role of architects in society. In order to carry on its activities, the Foundation has on loan for use from the Order a portion of the property located in Milan at Via Solferino 17-19.

The Foundation, subject to the consent and in coordination with the Order, grants temporary availability of the Via Solferino property, for a total area of internal and external spaces of approximately about 200 sq.m., to one or more operators for exhibitions, promotional and/or cultural events connected with the Milan “Salone del Mobile” and “Fuorisalone” shows from 20 to 26 April 2026, as well as the provision of sponsoring services and organisational support for the scheduled activities and events.

Considering that, following the publication on 16 June 2025 of an initial exploratory notice for expressions of interest with a deadline of 30 September 2025, no suitable proposal has yet been identified for the “Fuorisalone” initiative, the Foundation has decided to publish a new exploratory notice.

The purpose of this notice is, preliminarily and not binding, to verify the willingness of operators especially in the planning, design and furnishing sector to carry on initiatives, events and activities in the rooms located in the property of Via Solferino 17-19, to then proceed to negotiate contractual terms in detail.

The Foundation shall evaluate the proposals it receives, consistently with its statutory objectives and with the above-mentioned purposes, on the basis of the contents of the proposed activities and events and of the respective degree of thematic consistency with the activities of the Foundation and with the event of the Furniture Fair as well as the financial conditions offered. The Foundation shall also evaluate the willingness of operators to be included in the exhibit and proposed events of themes and projects of a cultural nature and their consistency with the Foundation's institutional purposes and activities.

The Foundation reserves the right to invite to subsequent selection phases the operators that, based on the presented proposals, it believes to be most suitable.

Interested operators may present their proposal, specifying the sender and the wording “*Expression of interest in using exhibition spaces at the headquarters of the Foundation of the Order of Architects, Planners, Landscapers and Conservationists of the Province of Milan*”, to be received, **no later than 18:00 hours on 22 November 2025** at the certified email address **fondazione@oamilano.it** or, in a closed envelope, at the address **Fondazione dell’Ordine degli Architetti P.P.C. della Provincia di Milano. Via Solferino 17-19, 20121, Milano.**

Each proposal must be signed by a representative of the candidate, equipped with the necessary powers, and be accompanied by:

- a concise description of the operator and their activities;

- a description of the event and/or actions they intend to undertake in the spaces provided by the Foundation;

- state whether they are willing to cooperate on themes and projects of a cultural nature along with an outline of the respective content for the purposes of evaluating consistency with the Foundation's institutional purposes and activities;

- an outline of the financial conditions for using the rooms and the support services and sponsoring by the Foundation for the event and the proposed actions;

- any technical or specific requests of a logistics-organisational nature.

This notice is not a public offering pursuant to art. 1336 of the Italian Civil Code and is finalised solely at receiving expressions of interest that are binding neither for the proposers nor for the Foundation. The Foundation reserves the right to evaluate and compare the received proposals at its sole discretion, and to request more details and supplements, to suspend and/or cancel the procedure, to exclude all the proposals or to select one or more proposals considered to be of interest, excluding all compensation, reimbursement or claims on the proposers' side. In the event of failing to identify one or more proposals of interest, the Foundation also reserves the right to reopen the terms of this notice or to arrange for a new notice to collect expressions of interest. With this exploratory notice, the Foundation issues no declaration or guarantee, whether implicit or otherwise, concerning the performance of the selection procedure or the accuracy or completeness of any, written or oral, information provided to candidates within this framework.

The Foundation guarantees full confidentiality with respect to the data and information contained in the proposals, in compliance with the current legislation on the protection of personal data. The data controller is dott.ssa Beatrice Costa, in the capacity of Director of the Foundation.

In the event of identifying one or more proposals of interest and of subsequently signing a contract, the contract shall be subject to Italian law and the jurisdiction of the Court of Milan and conditional to adherence to the principles of the Foundation's Code of Conduct.

The layout of the spaces is available and can be requested no later than 14 November 2025, by sending an email to the ordinary email address: fondazione@architettura.mi.it specifying the sender and the wording "*Expression of interest in using exhibition spaces at the headquarters of the Foundation of the Order of Architects, Planners, Landscapers and Conservationists of the Province of Milan – Layout request*". Any requests for clarification and information concerning this notice may be sent to the email address fondazione@architettura.mi.it, no later than 14 November 2025.

Milan, 22 October 2025

Reference documentation

- The Foundation's *Statute* is available in the online section of the Foundation / Transparency / Section 1 General Provisions / General Administrative Acts and at the following link: [Foundation statute](#).
- The Foundation's *Code of Conduct* is available in the online section of the Foundation Transparency / Section 1 General Provisions / Internal Regulations and Code of Conduct and at the following link: [Code of Conduct](#).