



ORGANIZE a WEDDING IN ITALY

Organize tailored weddings for couples who have to get married in Italy.

It is a business that requires experience, sensibility, creativity.
Confidentiality it is also very important to built and develop trust!

A real checklist of things to do is needed, in order to handle to properly the whole busines

Here are the relevant points to answer:

- The nationalities of bride and groom
- The date foreseen for the marriage
- The church or municipality selected
- Bureaucracy and documents
- The witnesses
- The budget
- The foreseen number of guests
- The place of the reception if you have any idea
- The wedding invitations
- The wedding dress
- The Flower
- The Photographer
- The Band and music for the reception
- The car for the ceremony (any idea in mind?)
- Wedding list
- The accommodation following the ceremony:
 - Kind of hotel
 - how many rooms
 - rooms breakdown
 - for how long
- The favors
- Hen party if required and where if have ideas in mind

We can take care of all the points listed or just some of them.



WHAT IT IS NECESSARY TO KNOW.

Foreign citizens can contract marriage in Italy.

Getting married in Italy for citizens is a right protected by the Italian constitution.

They can do it in two main ways:

- according to foreign national law, before the diplomatic or consular authority of the country of origin;
- according to Italian law:
 - in the presence of a civil registrar;
 - in the presence of a Catholic priest;
 - in the presence of a minister of a non-Catholic religion admitted to Italy (non-Catholic marriage)

Do foreign citizens also have to participate in marriage publications?

First of all, marriage publications are used to let everyone know that you want to get married. The municipality displays in the Praetorium register* a sheet with the names of the future spouses written and where they will marry, so if someone has any reason to oppose the wedding, he can communicate.

So yes, even the foreign citizen must request marriage publications.

*It means the place and space where all those acts for which the law requires publication are posted as they must be brought to the attention of the public, as a necessary condition for gaining effectiveness and therefore producing the expected effects

Caution:

Not knowing the Italian language there must be an interpreter both during the request for marriage publications as well as during the wedding.

The documents to be presented

Here is the list of necessary documents to be presented to get married in Italy:

- Valid passport or identity document of both groom and bride;
- Clearance;
- Birth certificate issued by the country of origin, duly requested and legalized, if the Nulla Osta does not contain personal data (as related to the birth and to your parents);
- Certificate of free state and stamped residence if the foreign citizen is resident in Italy.

What is the authorization?

To get married in Italy you need the nulla osta to marriage which is a certificate issued by the authorities of your country of origin.



TO KNOW MORE

It is also necessary to give the following information:

- First name,
- surname,
- date and place of birth,
- fatherhood and motherhood,
- citizenship,
- residence was free.

The authorization, if it is not in Italian, must be recognized, legalized and taken to the Legalization Office of the Prefecture where the signature of the ambassador or the Consul will be checked.

If the authorities of your country of origin refuse to release this document, the intervention of the court that carries out the relevant investigations may occur to ascertain that they are not necessarily impediments. If there are no impediments, the judge orders the procedure for matrimonial publications without any obstacles.

Once all the documents have been collected, what happens?

Once all the necessary documents have been collected, groom and bride must go to the central registry of the municipality where the ceremony is meant to be held and deliver all the documents throughout the Wedding Office which takes care of the rate for national publications.

After 8 days from the publication, the Wedding Office issues the certificate of publication, which must be delivered to the Civil Status Officer of the Municipality within 180 days, you can also fix the date of your wedding.