



PROGRAMME OF CULTURAL EVENTS



JANUARY 2022



Thursday 13 January 2022, 7 pm

Free on-line event

Booking required on Eventbrite:

www.eventbrite.ie/e/bajazet-in-focus-tickets-239266431337



In Focus: "Bajazet" by Antonio Vivaldi

Online presentation of the opera by
Prof. Eric Haywood



The Italian Institute of Culture is delighted of the ongoing collaboration with Irish National Opera to spread knowledge and precious insights about Italian operas. The production of "Bajazet" by Antonio Vivaldi, dated 1735, will open the season this year. On Thursday 13th January at 7 pm, Eric Haywood, Professor Emeritus of Italian at University College Dublin and renowned scholar of Italian Renaissance, will delve deeper into the background and the context of the opera, offering a fascinating journey into Italian musical culture of international stature.



Tuesday 18 January 2022, 6.30 pm

Free on-line event on Zoom

Booking essential on www.iicdublino.esteri.it



Online guided tour "Leonardo da Vinci in Milan" with Artaway in English



Leonardo da Vinci landed in Milan between the Spring and the Summer of 1482, probably following a diplomatic mission fostered by Lorenzo il Magnifico, and he stayed there until 1499. To these days, there are numerous traces of Leonardo's legacy in the cultural heritage of the city. The Italian Institute of Culture proposes an ONLINE guided tour in English titled "Leonardo da Vinci in Milan", in collaboration with Artaway. Access is free with prior booking on Zoom. Limited availability.



Wednesday 19 January 2022, 6.30 pm

Free on-line event on Zoom,

Booking essential on

www.iicdublino.esteri.it



Book Club encounter "Alfonsina e la strada" with the writer Simona Baldelli In English and Italian



In the context of a series of meetings related to the IIC Book Club, we are glad to host writer Simona Baldelli, whose novel "Alfonsina e la strada", that recently received the award "Memo Geremia" 2021, tells the story of Alfonsina Strada, the first ever female cyclist to compete in the famous Giro d'Italia in 1924, exclusively against men. The meeting will be introduced by Enrica Maria Ferrara (Trinity College Dublin) and will take place in both English and Italian.



Wednesday 26 January 2022,
 From 10am to 2.45pm
 Free events reserved to students in the
 context of the Trinity Access Programme



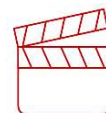
European Languages and Cultures Festival 2022

One-day cultural programme with information for secondary school students, in collaboration with the EUNIC network

The whole week from the 24 to the 28 January 2022 will be dedicated to the discovery of activities and cultural proposal of the European Cultural Institutes operating within the EUNIC network in Dublin. This initiative, supported by Trinity Access Program, is addressed to over 80 students attending Transition Year in Irish secondary schools, and it has been successfully run for the past years by the Italian Institute of Culture, Goethe Institut, Alliance Française, Instituto Cervantes and the European Commission, with the goal of promoting knowledge of European languages and cultures. On the 26th, during the day with the Italian Institute, students will sample Italian culture through food, language, visual arts and music.



Thursday 27 January 2022 at 4.50 pm
 Free live screening preview at Light House
 Cinema - Room 2 - Market St S, Smithfield
 Free booking link available soon on our website



Film "Freaks Out" (2021)

Holocaust Memorial Day 2022
 dedicated to the remembrance of who
 suffered in the Holocaust in WW II.
 In Italian with English subtitles

In the context of the Holocaust Memorial Day 2022 the Italian Institute of Culture presents the preview of "Freaks Out", a 2021 Italian historical-fantasy drama film directed by Gabriele Mainetti, which was entered in the main competition at the 78th Venice International Film Festival. The film will be introduced by Dr. Mara Josi, Postdoctoral Fellow at UCD. Matilde, Cencio, Fulvio and Mario form a "family" in the circus where they work as 'freaks' in 1943 Nazi-occupied Rome. Israel, the owner and putative father, disappears in an attempt to find an escape route overseas for them all. The four friends are in disarray... but they still have special powers.... Watch the trailer: www.youtube.com/watch?v=D8La5G1DzCM

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