

## AN INVITATION TO THE

# **GGI ITALIAN BUSINESS SUMMIT** 14-16 NOVEMBER 2014 ROME, ITALY

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Dear GGI Member

GGI member firm S4B - Solutions for Business is proud to invite you to the second Italian Business Summit in Rome and the Vatican State. The language of the event will be English.

For the past 85 years the relationship between the Catholic society and the rest of the world has been directed by the existence of a "civil" state: the Vatican State.

Although the smallest internationally recognized independent state in the world by both area and population, this land-locked enclave within the city of Rome is of paramount importance with deep historical roots. It plays an active role in the world we live in, participating as a permanent observer in organizations such as the United Nations, the European Union, OSCE, OAS, UNHCR, WHO and the World Trade Organization. It has its own language (Latin--even on the ATM machines), as well as its own banking system, printing press, radio station and television. The currency is Euro, owing to a special agreement with the European Union.

Get to know this little but influential state: its secrets and opportunities.

We will explore current hot topics, including the economic and juridical relationships between the Vatican State and the rest of the World. Various expert speakers will provide interesting insider business and tax tips.

Those who arrive early on Friday, 14 November, will have the unique opportunity to visit the Archivum Secretum Vaticanum (Papal Archives). This documentary heritage spans twelve centuries, from the 8th to the 20th. There are over 600 archives stored on over 85 linear kilometres of shelving, some of which are in the Bunker, a twostory underground vault below the Cortile della Pigna in the Vatican Museums. Access to the Archivum Secretum Vaticanum is available only to qualified persons with a university degree or equivalent. Admission is limited; do book early as places will be allocated on a first-come first-served basis.

The Italian Business Summit will officially begin with two GGI Practice Group meetings on Friday afternoon: International Taxation and International Dispute Resolution, followed by dinner in a typical Roman Trattoria. The Saturday session will be held at the Palazzo Baldassini (www.sturzo.it) in the heart of Rome, and the Summit will end with a delicious dinner at the elegant Hosteria dell'Orso (www.hdo.it).

For further details, please see the preliminary program attached.

We hope you will be able to join us in Italy.

Yours faithfully

Lucio Fumagalli, Patrizia Giannini & Ugo Girardi **S4B - Solutions for Business** 



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## PRELIMINARY AGENDA

### FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER 2014

Individual arrival at the Hotel

Giustiniano NH Hotel Via Virgilio 1 E/F/G, 00193 Rome, Italy T: +39 06 444 84718 | F: +39 06 444 84397

1400-1600 hrs

**Guided Tour** 

(Only for pre-registered participants)

Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby at 1400 hrs

Archivum Secretum Vaticanum (Papal Archives) www.archiviosegretovaticano.va Dress Code: Business

#### 1700-1900 hrs

**Practice Group Meetings** 

BCG Studio Via Lucrezio Caro 38, 00193 Rome, Italy T: +39 06 323 07 27 | F: +39 06 3220510 Dress Code: Business

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#### 1930-2230 hrs Dinner

Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby at 1930 hrs

L'Ambasciata di Capri Via Ennio Quirino Visconti, 52, 00193 Rome, Italy www.ambasciatadicapri.com Dress Code: Casual

### **SATURDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2014**

0930-1630 hrs

**Italian Business Summit** 

Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby at **0900 hrs** for shuttle \*Please note that you will need to bring ID.

Istituto Luigi Sturzo, Palazzo Baldassini Meeting room: Perin del Vaga Via delle Coppelle 35, 00186 Rome, Italy T: +39 06 684 0421

www.sturzo.it

Dress Code: Smart Casual

1100-1130 hrs

Coffee Break

1300-1400 hrs

Light Lunch

1700-1830 hrs

**Guided Tour** 

(Only for pre-registered participants)

Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby at 1700 hrs

Caravaggio in S. Luigi de' Francesi

1930 hrs

Dinner

Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby at 1930 hrs

Hosteria dell'Orso Via dei Soldati 25 C, 00186 Rome, Italy T: +39 06.68301192 www.hdo.it Dress Code: Smart Casual; DJ set – bring your dancing shoes!

#### **SUNDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2014**

0730-0930 hrs

**Guided Tour** 

(Only for pre-registered participants)

Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby at 0730 hrs

"A Casa del Papa" – An optional 2-hour intensive walk through the heart of the Vatican.

Dress Code: Casual

0930-1200 hrs

Individual departure from hotel



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## REGISTRATION

Please fill out and return this form no later than 20 OCTOBER 2014 directly by email to S4B at info@gianninistudiolegale.it. You will need to fill out a separate form for each delegate.

## PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY IN CAPITAL LETTERS

I herewith confirm my participation to the GGI Italian Business Summit 2014, kindly hosted by GGI member firm S4B.

Title:	Mr 🗆 Ms 🗅 Dr 🗅 Prof 🗅
Family Name / Surname	
First name	
Firm	
Address	
Email Address	
Date and Time of Arrival (Your flight details: Airline, Arrival Time, Flight Number, Airport you are travelling from)	
Date and Time of Departure (Your flight details: Airline, Departure Time, Flight Number, Airport you are travelling to)	
Additional Requests (e.g. Special Dietary Requirements)	



Participation Fee			
Conference package for 1 Delegate (conference participation for 1 delegate, including meals, materials, sightseeing, optional tours)	Rate: EUR 360.00		
*PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE HOTEL ACCOMMODATION, WHICH SHOULD BE BOOKED SEPARATELY AND DIRECTLY WITH THE HOTEL. SEE BELOW.			
Different Practice Group Meetings, Friday 14 November 2014, 1700-1900 hrs (Please choose ONE of the options below)			
International Taxation			
International Dispute Resolution			
Sightseeing Options			
Archivium Secretum Vaticanum Limited number of spaces	Friday, 14 November 2014 1400-1600 hrs		
Guide to Caravaggio in S. Luigi dei Francesi	Saturday, 15 November 2014 1700-1830 hrs		
A Casa del Papa Walking Tour	Sunday, 16 November 2014 0730-0930 hrs		

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Please book your hotel room **DIRECTLY** with the Giustiniano NH Hotel by clicking on the link below and completing the form online **NO LATER THAN** 20 October 2014.

S4B has organized a substantial discount from the hotel. Reservations after the deadline will be subject to room availability and might be charged at a higher rate.

### **CLICK HERE TO BOOK**

\*If the link above does not work, simply copy this url into your browser: http://www.nh-hotels.com/events/en/eventdetail/21500/italian business summit 2014 14 november 2014 nh giustiniano rome.html