

hospitality • culture • innovation



the value of culture

the tradition of hospitality



On the cover:
Castle's main entrance

① Bishop's Fortress (aka Castle)

② Revellino

③ Castle's courtyard



For over twenty years the University Residential Center of Bertinoro (Ce.U.B.) has been setting very high standards in international conference and event planning.

Initially created to host the summer schools organized by the University of Bologna, during the years of its activity Ce.U.B. has developed an

exceptional team specialized in the organization and management of national and international training courses, workshops, private events and meetings.

The mission of the Centre is bridging the value of culture and academia with the tradition of hospitality by offering the maximum level of attention to the well-being of its guests.

The facility allows for diverse settings inside its unique ancient buildings which include the renewed St. Sylvester Church, the Theater, the military outpost of the Revellino, the former Seminary of Corpus Domini and the iconic Bishop's Fortress.

The prestigious spaces of the University Residential Center are made even more special by a professional staff and technological facilities that allow the organization of flawless educational or information-sharing events and conferences. Inside its millennial walls, Ce.U.B. holds a mysterious beauty that can be easily approached and experienced. Ce.U.B. is the demonstration that culture and hospitality are necessary to ensure a successful outcome to every project.

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the University Residential Centre



Bertinoro's renowned hospitality finds its highest expression in the University Residential Centre, a complex of great beauty where the uniqueness of the ancient architecture is combined with the most advanced equipment in the field of high education and conference organization.



① Castle (main stairway)

② Former Seminary

③ Castle (South face)

④ Castle's main gate

⑤ Pinocchio, by Francesco Bombardi

Ce.U.B. provides everything its guests need to fulfill the most complex teaching and logistical necessities thanks to:

- a compact structure located in a very quite space, just a few steps away from downtown Bertinoro;
- a sophisticated and inspiring environment, flexible and functional, where equal attention is dedicated to both traditional and informal meeting spaces;
- advanced technological equipment available in every conference room and computer lab;
- 13 conference and meeting rooms (for a total of more than 700 seats) that allow for diverse configurations ranging from a 10-seat meeting room to a 170-seat theater;
- 86 comfortable guest rooms for a total of over 130 beds;
- a fully-equipped cafeteria that can seat 200 guests;
- an experienced staff, both in terms of reception and technical assistance, specifically trained to offer support or manage completely the organization of conferences and training courses;
- easy access thanks to the immediate proximity to national main roads (via Aemilia SS9, E-45 Ravenna-Orte, A14 Freeway Bologna-Taranto), the train stations of Forlì and Cesena, and the international airports of Bologna and Rimini.

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Teaching facilities



Ce.U.B. was designed as a place dedicated to high education and conference activities, therefore its heart dwells in the teaching facilities.

The renovation of the fortress was intended to provide all

guests with a welcoming efficient space, both in- and outdoors, where an amphitheater and several terraces are available for all fresco lessons alongside the ancient defensive walls.

The topics explored during the research activities can be deepened and discussed informally during the many social moments that can be enjoyed in the common areas and in the green spaces around the castle.

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① Council Room

② Blue Room

③ Fresco Room

(15th, 16th, and 17th Centuries frescoes)





Teaching facilities



Ce.U.B.'s priority is to warmly welcome its guests and make them feel at total ease, thus allowing them to gain the maximum benefits from their stay in Bertinoro.

All meeting spaces at Ce.U.B are characterized by the simple elegance of the furniture.

In addition to hosting regular-style lectures Ce.U.B.'s conference rooms make it possible to organize seminars, workshops, lab activities, and special events.

The elegant scenery offered by the Rocca (castle) is the ideal setting for unique social moments that can be enjoyed during the courses: from gala dinners to music concerts or food and wine tastings exploring the excellence of the local culinary traditions.

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- ① The amphitheater
- ② Violante Malatesta Library
- ③ Garrison Room
- ④ Jacopo da Bertinoro Room
- ⑤ Theatre's Foyer
- ⑥ Meeting Room of the Interfaith Museum





Meeting space capacities

REVELLINO

JACOPO FROM BERTINORO ROOM.....	110 seats
GARRISON ROOM.....	40 seats
CAPTAIN ROOM.....	25 seats
COLUMN ROOM.....	8 seats

BISHOP'S FORTRESS

FRESCO ROOM.....	80 seats
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CALIGARI ROOM.....	70 seats
FRANGIPANE ROOM.....	25 seats
COUNCIL ROOM.....	20 seats
RED ROOM.....	30 seats
MUSEUM ROOM.....	50 seats
VIOLANTE MALATESTA LIBRARY.....	15 seats
BLUE ROOM.....	10 seats

COMPUTER LAB.....	40 seats
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CHURCH OF SAN SILVESTRO

SAN SILVESTRO ROOM.....	110 seats
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THE THEATRE

ERMETE NOVELLI ROOM.....	150 seats
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San Silvestro church



Ce.U.B. is a treasure chest that guests can open and explore in its most precious parts.

San Silvestro, with the elegant triumph of its late Baroque decorations, is the most exclusive area of the University Residential Centre of Bertinoro.



① San Silvestro Church, 18th Century

② San Silvestro Room

③ Baroque decorations

The vast nave of the old church celebrates the perfect union between the sacred prestige of its historic home and the efficiency of the Centre.

The state-of-the-art equipment allows the access and full enjoyment of an ancient space, where sophisticated beauty meets with technology.

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Ermete Novelli theatre



The theatre is the largest conference room of the University Residential Centre. Able to accommodate up to 150 participants simultaneously it is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities.

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In addition to cabling and wi-fi, the theatre offers audio-visual equipment and the possibility of activating videoconferences with the room of the nearby Church of San Silvestro as well as its large entrance hall.



❶ Ermete Novelli Theatre's main entrance

❷ Ermete Novelli Theatre

❸ Theatre's stage



Technical and organizational services



The harmony and balance between millennial architecture and high-tech amenities is very appreciated by Ce.U.B.'s guests.

The Center is equipped with multimedia gear and a computer lab that provide the necessary technological

support for the training activities.

The constant upgrade of the technological equipment ensures our guests the enjoyment of Ce.U.B.'s relaxed atmosphere while always being connected in every area of the Center.

In all the classrooms it is possible to arrange audio-video recording and live-streaming for the adjacent rooms. Upon request the Centre also offers e-learning technology, allowing anyone to follow the courses online.

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① ② ③ Digital video and audio equipment

④ ⑤ Computer Lab

⑥ Piano in the theatre





Reception



At the University Residential Center reception means courtesy, efficiency and constant attention to the well-being of every guest arriving in Bertinoro to attend a conference or a higher education course.

The simple design of the rooms instantly puts guests at ease in the former Seminary and inside the ancient

fortress. The authentic spirit of hospitality meets the important needs of our guests. Ce.U.B.'s staff is constantly trained to provide in a timely and professional fashion the relevant information about the services of the Centre as well as details on the town and the local cultural and culinary delights.

The genuine food tradition of our land is highly appreciated by all visitors and it can be enjoyed in the large spaces of the Center's canteen or on its scenic terraces.

The flavors of one of Italy's top culinary hubs can be tasted upon request in the ancient and suggestive spaces of the castle while admiring a landscape that stretches from the Adriatic sea to the Apennine forests.

h o s p i t a l i t y



- ① Suite (former Seminary)
- ② Restaurant hall (former Seminary)
- ③ Suite (Castle)
- ④ Corridor (former Seminary)
- ⑤ Standard double bedroom (former Seminary)
- ⑥ Scenic terrace (Castle)

Accommodation

Bishop's fortress (21 rooms)

16 single guest rooms - 5 double guest rooms

Former Seminary (65 rooms)

32 single guest rooms - 33 double guest rooms;

All rooms are equipped with private bathroom, wi-fi, phone, TV, and hairdryer.





the University Guesthouse



Situated in downtown Forlì a few steps from the main cathedral, the University Guesthouse provides an excellent solution for traveling professors, researchers, and students. Its strategic location allows its guests to easily reach the University campus and its offices.



- ① Guesthouse entrance
- ② Courtyard
- ③ ④ Common rooms
- ⑤ Standard double bedroom

The Guesthouse provides 20 comfortable rooms all equipped with private bathroom, phone, TV, and internet connection. In addition, all guests have access to a large living room and a kitchen.

Included in the accommodation is a small continental breakfast.

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Interfaith Museum



The Interfaith Museum of Bertinoro is a welcoming place where Jews, Christians, Muslims, and atheists can teach and listen to the reasons of each other's hope. It is the space where learning that dialogue is the authentic human experience which has originated and revolutionized Judaism, Christianity, and Islam.



- ① Main gate
- ② Detail of the mosaic Moses in the burning bush
- ③ Room of Evil
- ④ Christianity
- ⑤ Judaism
- ⑥ Islam

The Museum's purpose is to make people aware that the values originated by the monotheistic religions represent a common heritage for a peaceful and respectful coexistence among believers and non-believers. Values such as freedom, equality, respect for and acknowledgment of diversity are the basic elements for integrating and building a harmonious multicultural society. The Museum wishes to promote the awareness of every visitor because the authentic spirit of religions – being them expression of the human dimension of Reason – contributes to the construction of bridges where currently conflicts exist between men and cultures.

The itinerary unfolds in the XII Century's dungeons and inside the sixteenth-century water tank of the Castle, developing in 15 sections. The desert Tabernacle, the Sancta Sanctorum, the Second Temple of Jerusalem, the works by Rembrandt, Francesco Messina, Giacomo, Manzù, Floriano Bodini and Francesco Bombardi give testimony to the unshakable will of men to share a common destiny in righteousness.

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How to reach the Centre

Bertinoro is located between the cities of Forlì and Cesena, next to the town of Forlimpopoli, and close to the regional and national main roads: via Emilia SS9, A14 freeway, E45 road, and the railway line Bologna-Ancona.

By car: exit freeway A14 in Forlì and follow the directions for Forlimpopoli-Cesena. After driving by the town of Forlimpopoli follow the directions for Bertinoro. Parking is free at the University Residential Center.

By train: on the railway line Bologna-Ancona get off either at the station of Forlì or Cesena. Bertinoro is about 13km from both cities.

By bus: From Forlì train station get on the bus line 92 until downtown Forlimpopoli. From Forlimpopoli get on the bus line 121 and reach Bertinoro. The bus stop is right next to the University Residential Center.

By plane: Guglielmo Marconi in Bologna is the closest international airport from Bertinoro.



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