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INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION VIAGGIO ATTRAVERSO LA CERAMICA 2025 DECEMBER 4, 5, 6

CALL FOR COMPETITION

PARTICIPATION IN THE COMPETITION

Participation in the 'Viaggio attraverso la Ceramica 2025' competition is free and open to individual or collective artists. The exhibition of the selected works will take place in Vietri sul Mare from December 4, 2025, to February 4, 2026.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ARTWORKS

Technique: Artworks may be created using any ceramic technique

Each work must be accompanied by a description that clearly connects it to the theme of the competition.

Number of works: Each artist may submit a maximum of two pieces, of which only one will be selected by the technical committee.

Dimensions: Installations must not exceed 80 x 80 x 50 cm.

Ownership: Artists must declare that the works are their exclusive property, have not participated in other competitions, and have not been published on social media, magazines, or newspapers.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

Interested applicants must:

1. Registration Form Complete the registration form in full, available on the official website of the Municipality of Vietri sul Mare (www.comune.vietri-sul-mare.sa.it/sito/home).

2. Submission of Documentation: Send the following materials via email to viaggioattraversolaceramica25@gmail.com no later than **October 18, 2025:**

- The completed registration form
- At least three professional, high-resolution images of the artworks (JPG format, 300 dpi)
- The artist's CV can be written either in Italian or English
- A description of the artwork related to the competition theme, with a detailed technical sheet

ELIGIBILITY AND SELECTION OF WORKS

The Jury will independently decide on the eligibility of the submitted works based on the photographic images provided with the application form. The list of selected works will be announced by October 25, 2025.



DELIVERY OF ARTWORKS

Selected artworks must be delivered duty-free by **November 15, 2025** to the following address:
Comune di Vietri sul Mare - Corso Umberto 1- 84019 Vietri sul Mare (SA)

SELECTION COMMITTEE

The selection committee will be composed of the Mayor of Vietri sul Mare or a delegated representative, along with industry experts. The committee will be responsible for selecting the artworks and awarding the prizes.

DONATION AND USE OF ARTWORKS

Selected artists may choose to donate their artwork to the Municipality of Vietri sul Mare, which reserves all rights for any future use. The winning piece will become part of the Municipality's private collection.

SHIPPING AND COLLECTION OF ARTWORKS

Shipping and collection costs are the responsibility of the artist. Artworks must be collected within **15** days after the end of the exhibition.

COMPETITION CATALOGUE

The competition will be accompanied by a printed catalogue curated exclusively by the Municipality of Vietri sul Mare. By participating, artists grant reproduction rights of their works for inclusion in the catalogue. All finalist artists will receive a copy of the catalogue.

PRIZES

Achievement Award: Granted by the curator to the artist who has made an outstanding contribution to the world of ceramic art.

International Prize: A single prize of **€ 4.000,00** awarded to the piece selected by the examining committee.

Special Mention: Given to one work from the 12 local artists, in recognition of their creativity and commitment to preserving the local ceramic tradition.

Young Artist Prize: The winner will be awarded a free exhibition space and organizational support for a solo show scheduled for 2026. This opportunity offers an extraordinary platform to gain visibility, reach a broader audience, and attract the attention of industry professionals, fostering the growth of emerging talent.

All prizes are subject to applicable tax withholdings as required by law.

ARTIST CATEGORIES

International Artists: 5 artists from foreign countries.

National Artists: 8 artists active within the Italian territory.

Local Artists: 12 artists whose production studios are located in the Municipality of Vietri sul Mare, including its main town and hamlets.

Young Artists: 10 artists aged between 18 and 32, selected to promote emerging talent.

P.S.: If a category does not meet the required number, candidates from other categories will be considered.

