ALINARI HISTORICAL ATELIER

Fratelli Alinari is the only photographic company in the world to have maintained its uninterrupted activity since 1852 until today.

The building located in Florence, Largo Alinari 15, premises of the company since 1863, can be visited on demand with a guided tour in Italian or English language.

The visit offers the possibility to see:

- the collection of the Historical Archives, 120,000 original glass plate negatives produced by the Company since the beginning of its activity and still kept in the same archive rooms used in the past, as well as the 130,000 glass plate negatives from the archives Brogi, Anderson, Chauffourier, Fiorenti, Mannelli that have been added to the Alinari Archives between the 1940’s and 60’s.
- The equipment, the labs and the processes still used today to produce photographic prints from the original vintage glass plate negatives

![Basino for the development and washing of the prints in the darkroom](image1)

![The old drying room for the photographic prints, still in use](image2)

- The conservation rooms of the Fratelli Alinari Museum collections, located in the same building, that include an extremely rich collection of vintage photographic materials (from daguerreotypes to paper negatives, from salt prints to albumen prints and to all the various printing processes used in the different ages of photography) to discover the history of photography through the masterpieces of the most important international masters of the XIX and XX century.

![Conservation room of the Fratelli Alinari Museum Collections](image3)

![Original photographic prints from the Museum Collection](image4)
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Open: Monday to Friday 9am-6pm (the visit is only possible with a guide, with reservation)

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100 €
From 6 to 10 people  
150€
From 11 to 15 people  
200€
From 16 to 20 people  
250€