

International Circus Festival of Italy, 26th edition

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Production note n. 13 – Wednesday, September 10th, 2025

Countdown: - 36 days to the Festival

Two distinguished juries for the 26th edition of the *International Circus Festival of Italy*; today we are delighted to present the three components of the Critics Jury: dedicated press and media, local press, and representatives of the City of Latina's cultural and artistic activities.

Opening night: Thursday, October 16th, at 9pm in via Rossetti, Latina.

Tickets already available for sale through our official website: www.festivalcircoitalia.com where you will find a link to our official sales portal at www.webtic.it

SHOW CALENDAR: Thursday, October 16th, 9pm (show A); Friday, October 17th, 9pm (show B); Saturday, October 18th, 4.30pm (show B) and 9pm (show A); Sunday, October 19th, 3.30pm (show A) and 7pm (show B); Monday, October 20th, 8.30pm – Gala Show and Awards Ceremony. Shows A and B, whilst containing different acts, are of the same high professional and artistic level, and simply reflect a necessary division of numerous competing numbers into two separate shows.

As well as an *International Technical Jury* composed of world-level Circus stars, there is a second set of judges, the *Critics Jury*, who award their special prize. This Jury is composed of local journalists and photographers and journalists from the dedicated media associated with Circus arts. **The Critics Jury will also be composed of some of the City of Latina's most talented local personalities, representing the city's lively cultural character.**

The task of the Critics Jury is to watch and judge each number in the competition and award their special prize to the number that distinguishes itself by its originality, innovativeness, and effect on audiences.

The Critics Jury will be operative on Sunday, October 19th for both shows (3.30pm and 7pm). Their special prize will be awarded on Monday, October 20th, following the final show of the Festival, which starts at 8.30pm.

CRITICS JURY 2025

NATIONAL PRESS			REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCAL ARTISTIC AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES OF THE CITY OF LATINA	
1	FRANCESCO PUGLISI	Il Tempo	15. MASSIMO POMPEO Artist, engraver, sculptor, ceramic artist, teacher.	
LOCAL PRESS				
2	DINA TOMEZZOLI	Head of Press Office ICF24		
3	SARAH CENTRA	Periodico Contatto		
4	ANTONELLA MELITO	Radio Immagine, Radio Luna, Radio Latina	16. CLELIA LA GIOIA Artist, designer of the Festival poster.	
5	SIMONE DI GIULIO	Latina News		
6	ALESSIA RICCIARDI	Latina Oggi		
7	MARIA GIUSEPPINA CAMPAGNA	mondoreale.it		
DEDICATED PRESS AND MEDIA			17. STEFANIA CIMINO Violinist, Violist, teacher, Artistic Director of the Pontine Philharmonic Youth Orchestra	
8	ARMANDO ALÒ	Armando Alò on Facebook, Italia		
9	SIMONE CIMINO	CircusNews.it, Italia		
10	DARIO DURANTI	CircusFans.eu, Italia		
11	CHRISTIAN HAMEL	Le Cirque dans l’Universe, Francia		
12	GINO ROSSI	AmiciDelCirco.it, Italia		
13	ADOLFO ROSSOMANDO	Juggling magazine, Italia		
14	CHRISTOPHE ROULLIN	Official photographer ICF25, Francia		

The Festival poster is attached

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CAST	INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL JURY
SPECIAL GUESTS 1. RENATO Y VALENTINO Messico – Clown 2. STIV e RONI BELLO con OTTAVIANO SIMILI Italia – Clown 3. ALESSIO FOCESATO Italia – Pappagalli ARTISTI IN COMPETIZIONE 4. VARDANYAN BROTHERS Armenia – Mano a mano 5. KATERINA KORNEVA Ucraina – Palo aereo 6. SHEYANG COUNTY ACROBATIC TROUPE Cina – Arobatica 7. CHRISTOPHER EÖTVÖS Ungheria – Magia 8. HALEY ROSE VILORIA USA – Cinghie aeree 9. DANNY LUFTMAN Portogallo – Boomerang 10. ARTEM LYUBANEVYCH Ucraina – Equilibrio su sedia 11. DUO POLISHCHUCK Ucraina – Cinghie aeree 12. JUSTIN MONTEIRO VASSALLO Italia – Verticali 13. THREE G's Ucraina – Mano a mano 14. DANIIL LYSENKO Ucraina – Giocoleria 15. NICOLE BEROUSEK Repubblica Ceca – Cani 16. THE WHITE ANGELS Germania, Italia, Polonia, Repubblica Ceca, Romania, Svizzera, Ucraina, Ungheria – Fast Track 17. THE WHITE ANGELS Germania, Italia, Polonia, Repubblica Ceca, Romania, Svizzera, Ucraina, Ungheria – Bascule 18. LOS VALENTINOS Venezuela – Trampolino 19. THE FLYING VALENTINOS Venezuela – Volanti 20. GIULIA GIONA con GESSICA NOTARO Italia – Cavalli 21. ARTUR & ESMIRA Ucraina – Cinghie aeree 22. FAMILIA PALMA DIAZ Ecuador – Giochi icariani 23. SALOME PALMA Ecuador – Trapezio 24. JIANGSU ACROBATIC TROUPE Cina – Verticali 25. DANIELLA ARATA USA – Verticali 26. DONALD E VANESSA NIUMAN Italia – Coltelli 27. HARIBOW Giappone – Corde	...coming soon...