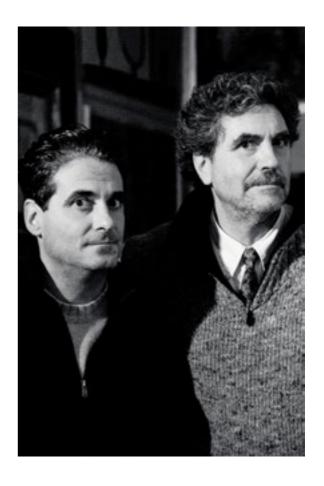
## Fresco Paintings

Roberto (architect) and Rodolfo (maestro d'arte) are born in Florence respectively in 1956 and 1963. Guarnieri's family workshop was established in 1944. The four-hands work is inspired by the "the florentine workshops of the Renaissance". All the fresco paintings are on wood panels.

## One-man-shows:

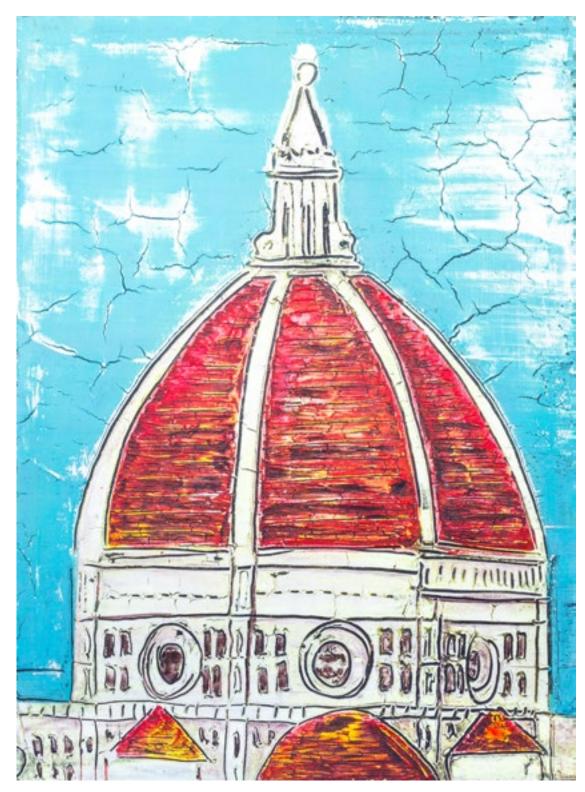
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**Duomo in Azurro 2016** cm 84 x 61 **Dome in Light Blue 2016** inch 33 x 24

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**Arcobaleno 2015** cm 160 x 220 **Rainbow 2015** inch 63 x 86



**Natura 2015** cm 160 x 200



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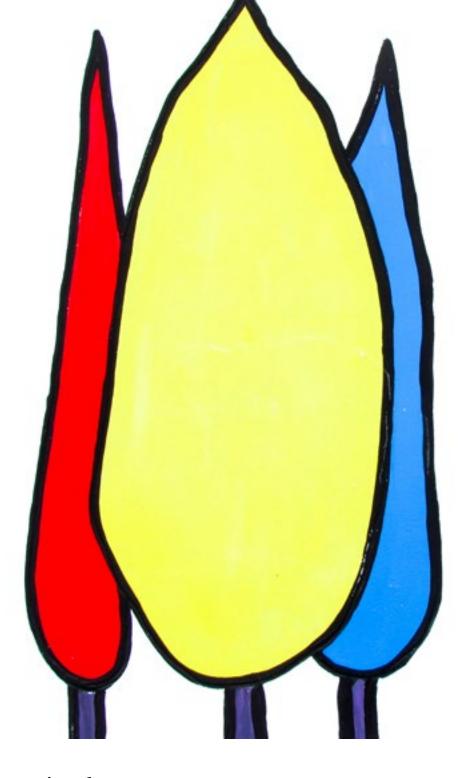
**Colline Toscane 2015** cm 160 x 200 **Tuscany Hills 2015** Inch 63 x 86





**Fiorellini II 2014** cm 125 x 180 **Flowers II 2014** inch 49 x 70

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Paesaggio colorato 2014 cm 110x120 **Colored Landscape 2014** inch 43 x 55

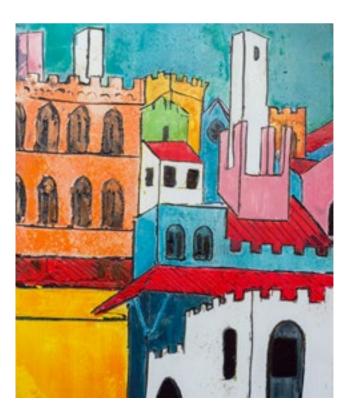




**Campagna e Papaveri 2015** cm 61 x 84 | 24 x 33 inch



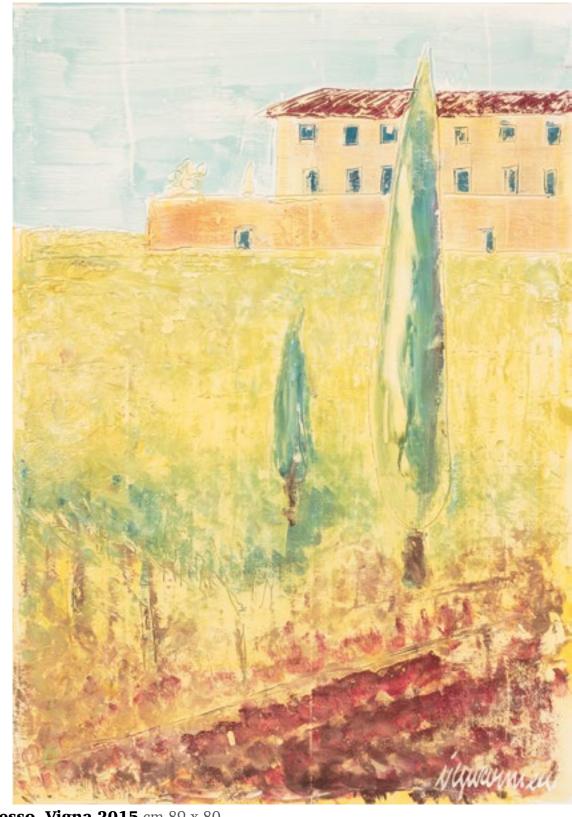
**Bigallo Colorato 2016** cm 32 x 38 12 x15 inch



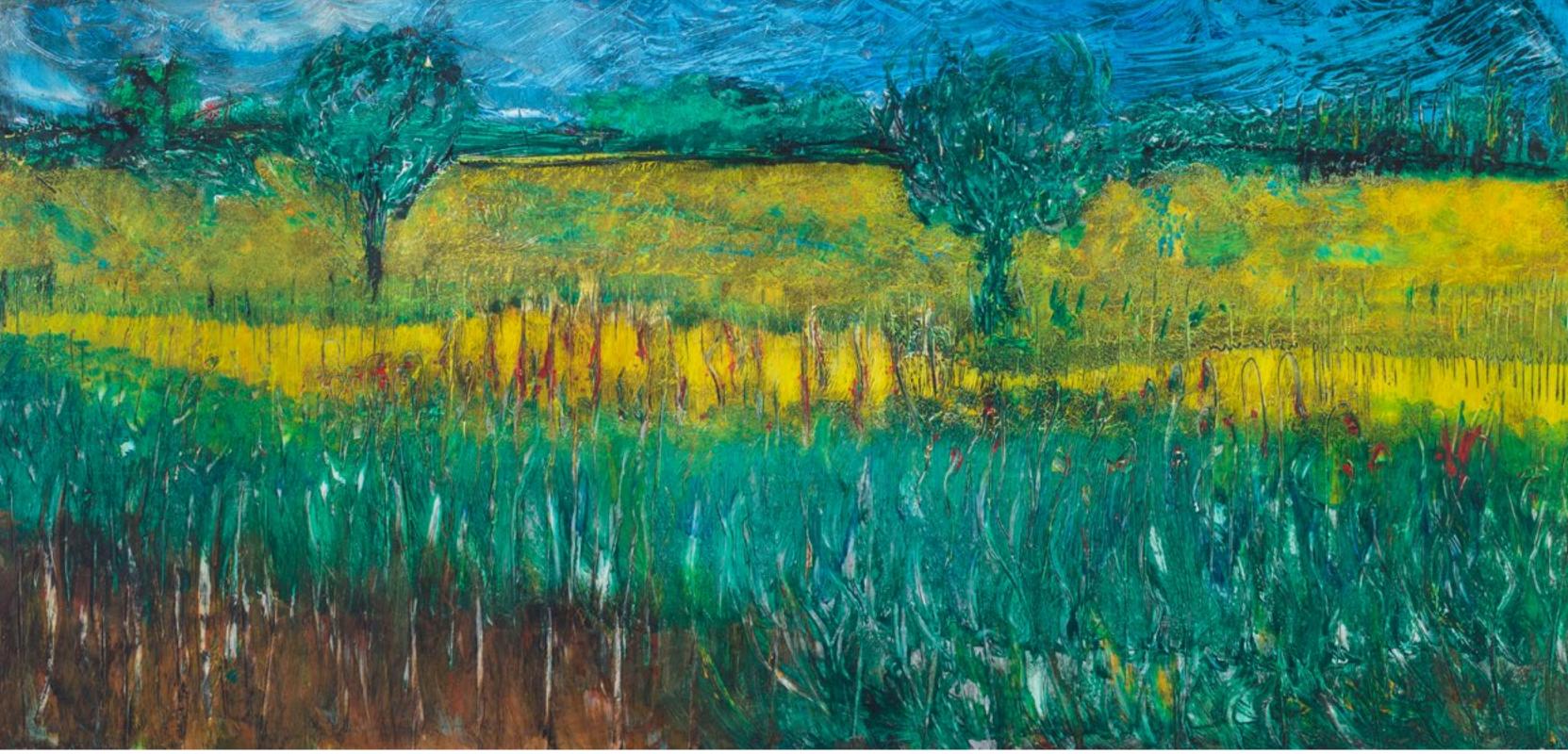
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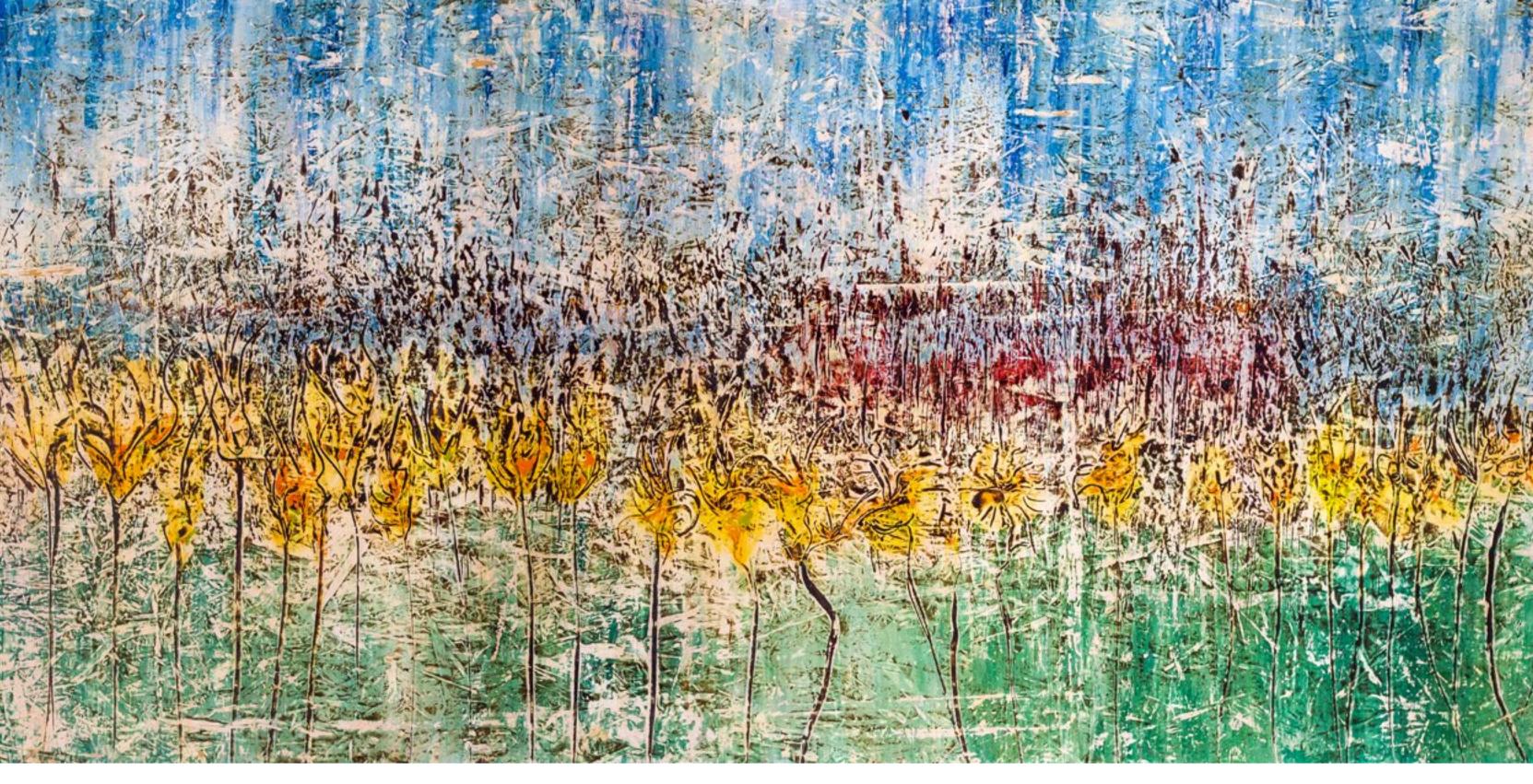


Casa, Cipresso, Vigna 2015 cm 89 x 80 House, Cypress, Vineyard 2015 cm  $23 \times 31$ 



**Campagna 2016** cm 90 x 187 **Countryside 2016** inch 35 x 73

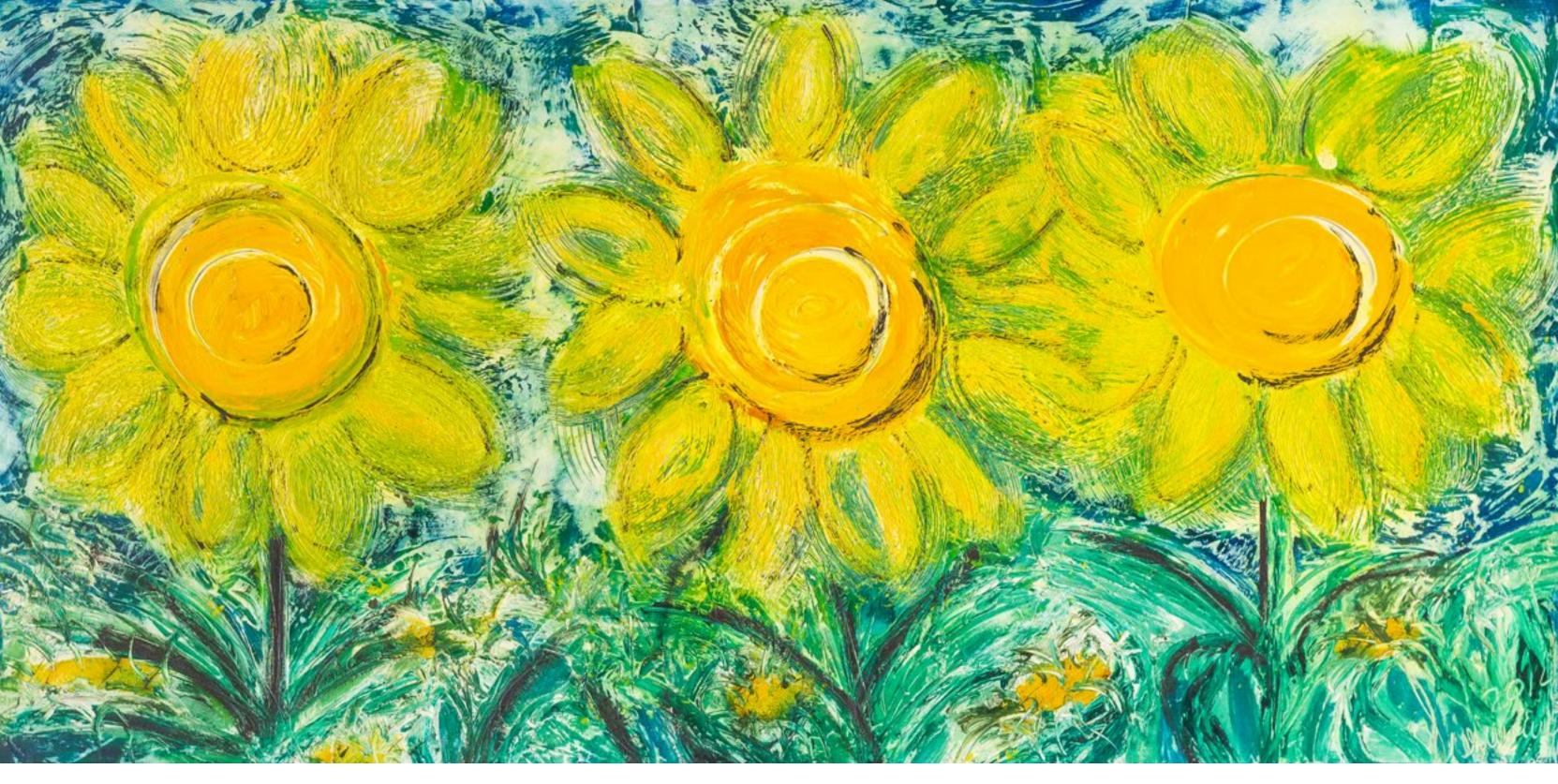
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**Prato fiorito 2014** cm 125 x 250

**Flowery Meadow 2014** inch  $50 \times 100$ 

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**Girasole 2014** cm 125 x 250 **Girasole 2014** cm 125 x 250

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Prato Papaveri e Fiorellini 2015 cm 90 x 180 Poppies and Flowers Meadow inch  $35 \times 73$ 

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**Fiori 2014** cm 125 x 250 **Flowers 2014** inch 49 x 98

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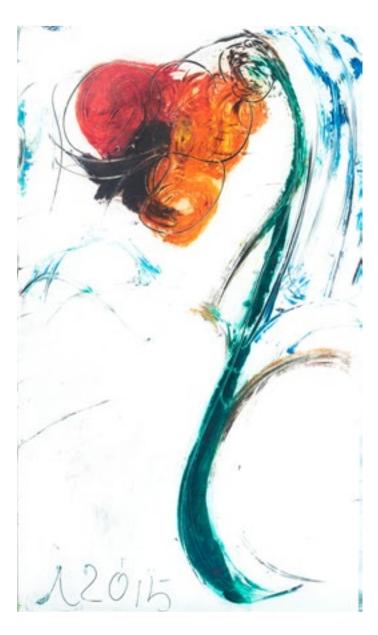
Girasole di Notte 2015 cm 93 x 161Sunfloers at Night 2015 inch  $36 \times 63$ 



**Foresta Gialla 2015** cm 93 x 162 **Yellow Forest 2015** inch 36 x 63



Giorno di Sole 2015 cm 93 x 161**Sunny Day 2015** inch  $36 \times 63$ 



**Papavero 2015** cm 93 x 161 **Poppy 2015** inch 36 x 63



**Prato Rosso 2014** cm 125 x 250 **Red Grass 2014** inch 49 x 98

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**Danza di Apollo con le Muse 2015** cm  $80 \times 170$ 

**Dance of Apollo with the Muses** 2015 cm  $80 \times 170$ 



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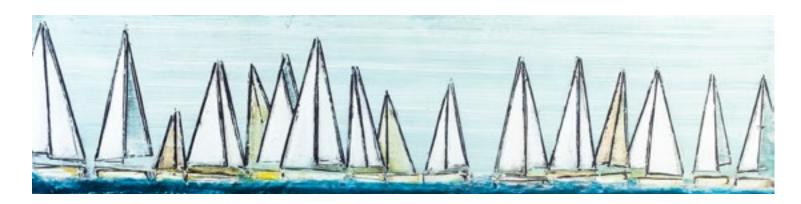
**Calici 2012** cm 187 x 184 **Glasses 2012** inch 73 x 72



**Calice in Giallo 2014** cm 125 x 125 **Glass in Yellow 2014** inch 49 x 49



**Regata in Blu 2015** cm 61 x 27 **Regatta in Blue 2015** inch 24 x 10



Regata Torre del Lago 2015 cm  $215 \times 53$ **Regatta Lake Tower 2015** inch 84 x 20



**Regata in Giallo 2015** cm 80 x 140 **Regatta in Yellow 2015** inch 31 x 55



**Belle Vele 2015** cm 50 x 35/ 16 x 14 inch

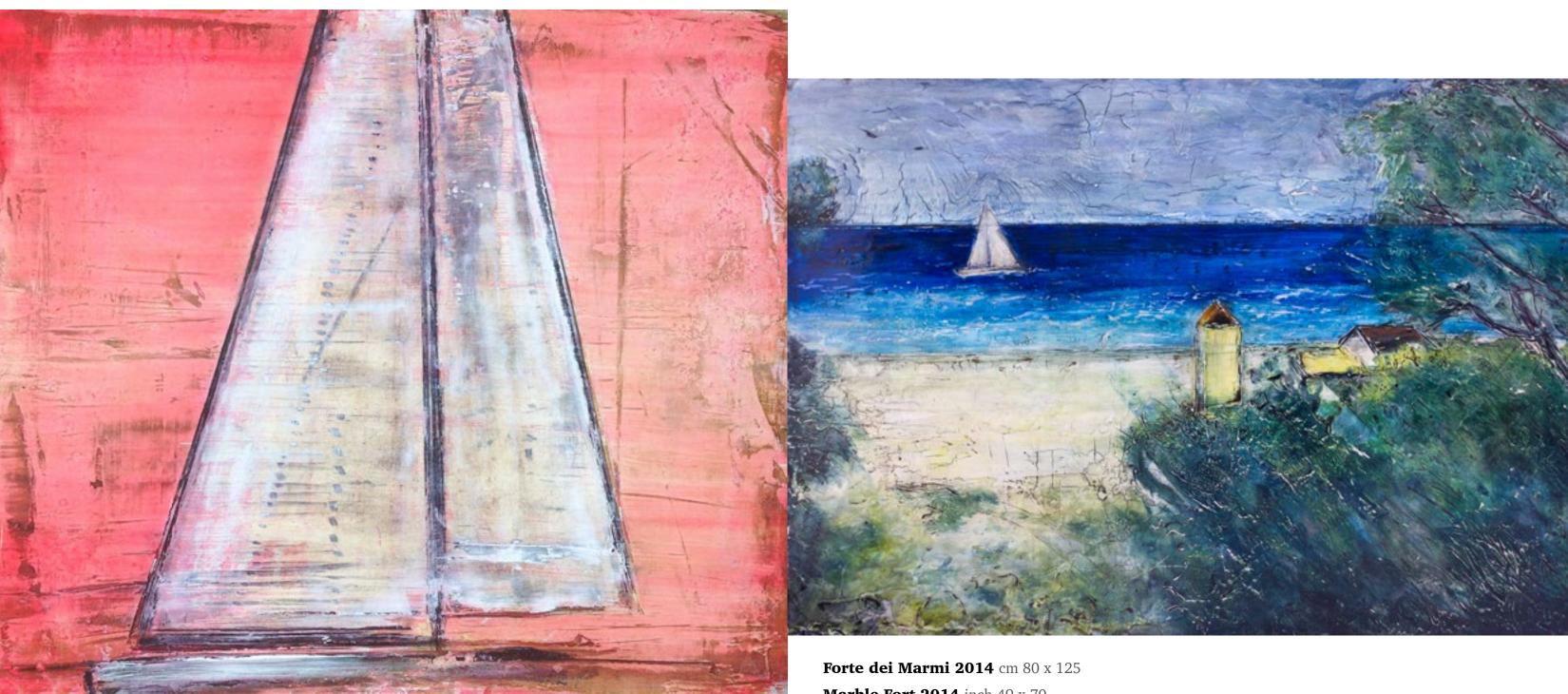


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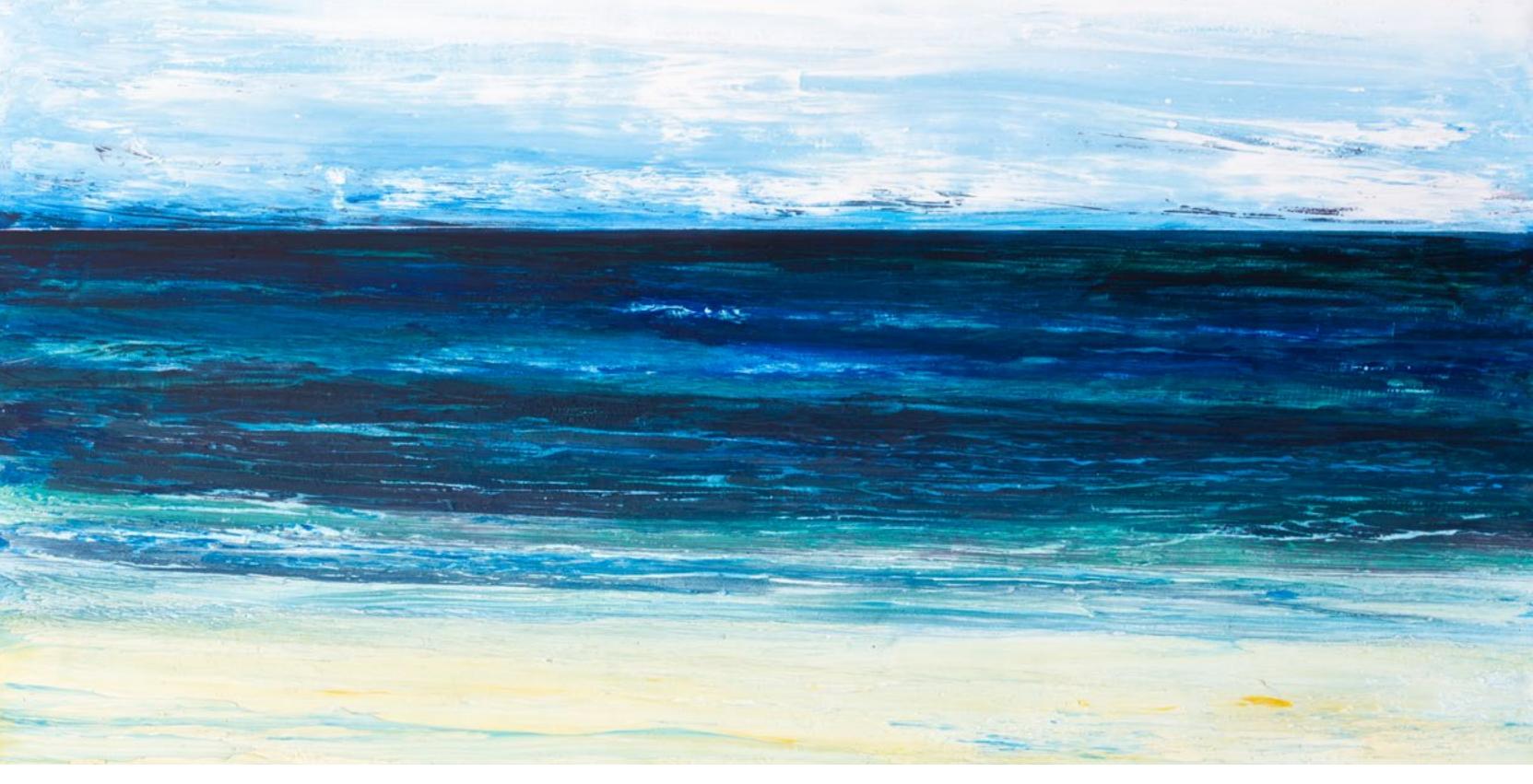
**Oceano 2014** cm 125 x 250

**Ocean 2014** inch 49 x 98



**Vela Rosa 2015** cm 50 x 43 **Pink Sail 2015** inch 19 x 16

**Marble Fort 2014** inch 49 x 70



**Mare Gennaio 2015** cm 80 x 140 **Sea January 2015** inch 31 x 55

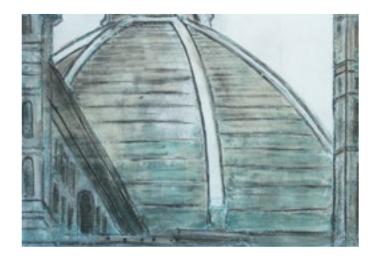
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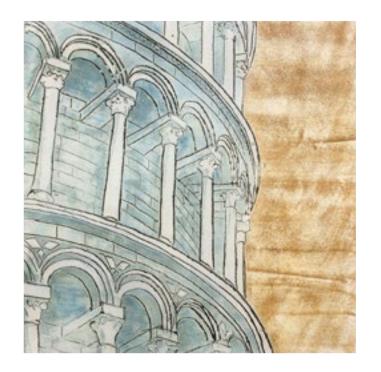
**Siena Buongoverno 2015** cm 100 x 180

**Siena Good Government 2015** inch 39 x 70

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Firenze Vista Cupola 2015 cm 80 x 110 | inch 31 x 43



**Pisa Torre 2015** cm 90 x 90 | inch 35 x 35



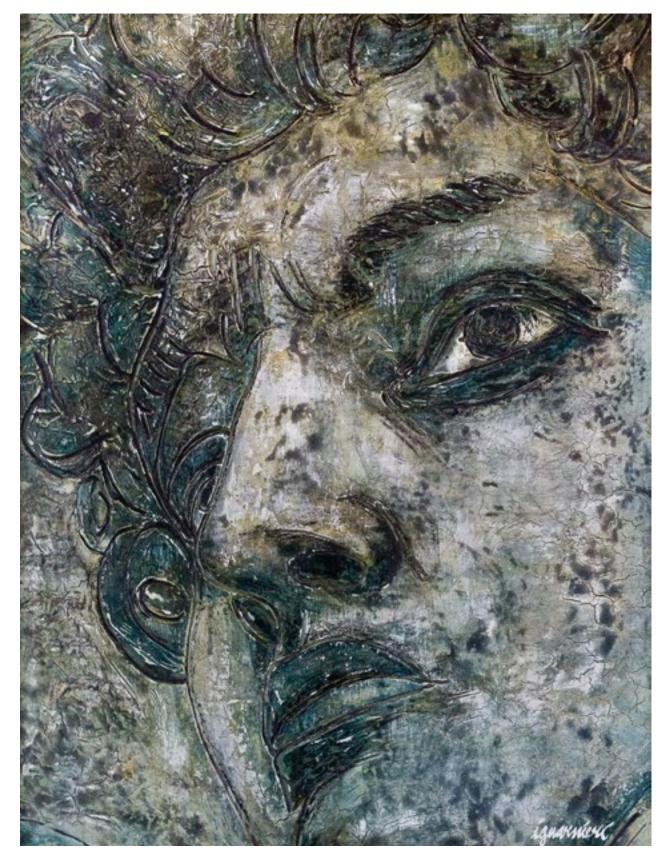
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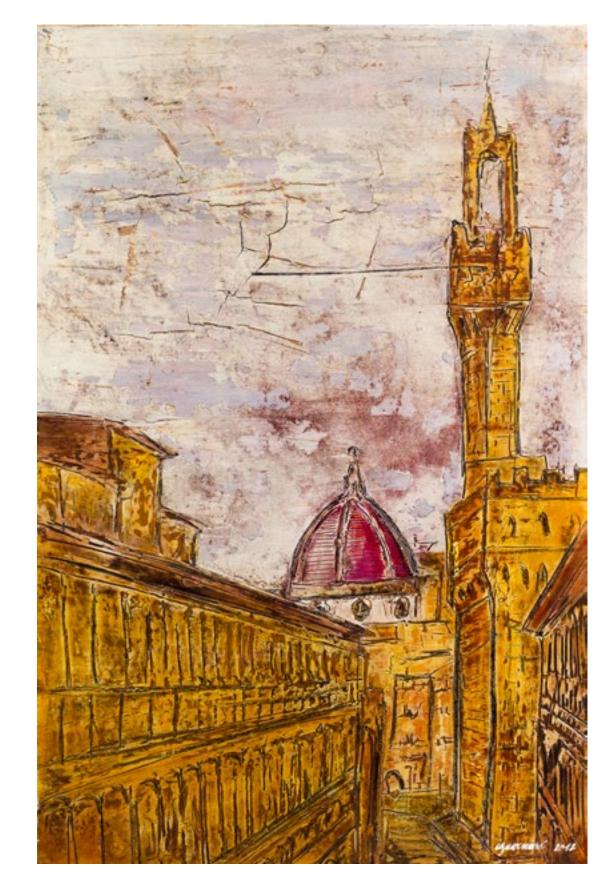
**Duomo Milano 2015** cm 90 x 106 | inch 35 x 41



**Buongoverno Contemporaneo 2016** cm 169 x 169 **Goodgovernment Contemporary 2016** inch 66 x 66



**David verde 2011** cm 85 x 65 | inch 33 x 25



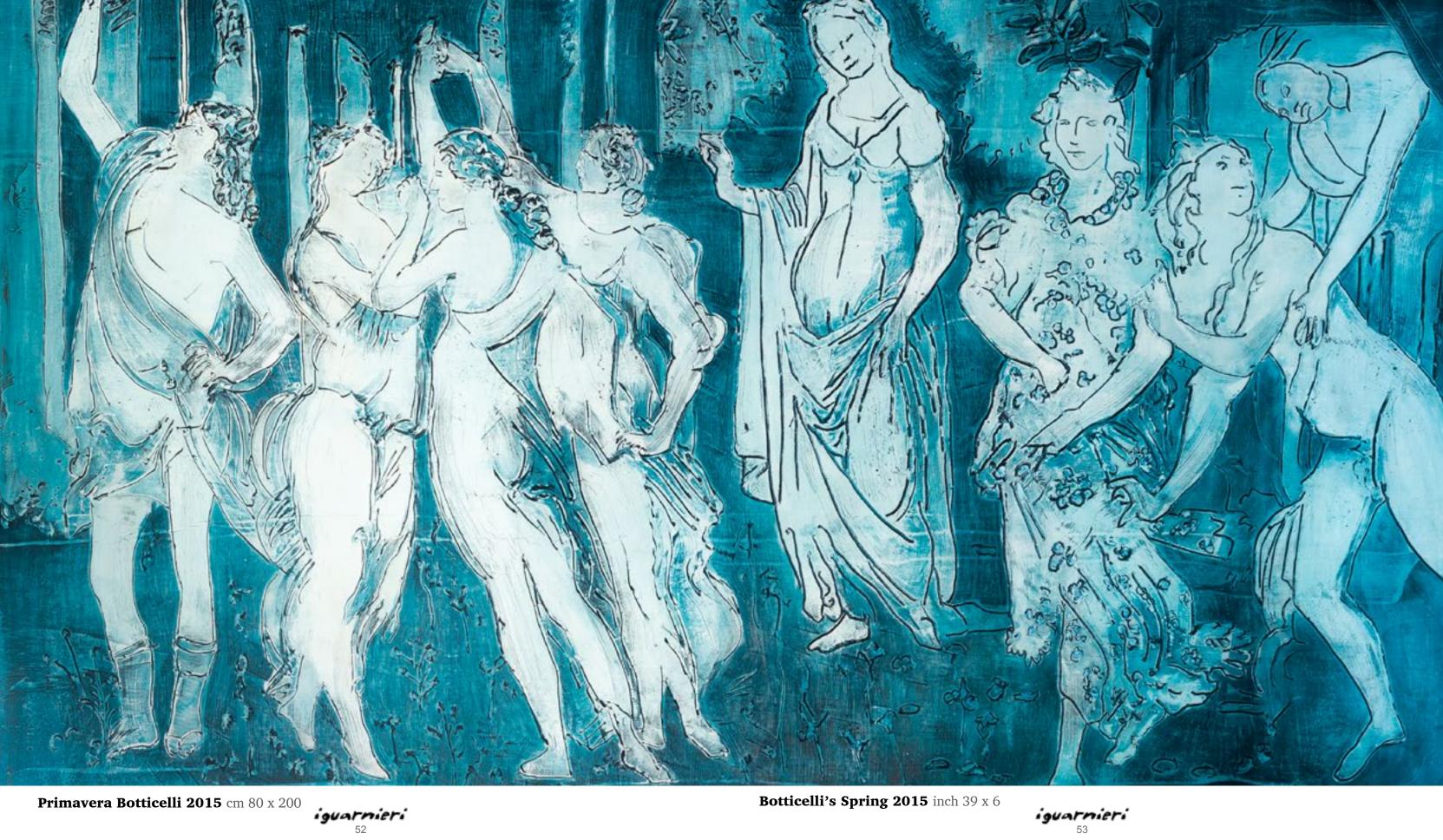
**Uffizi Grande 2012** cm 90 x 150 | inch 35 x 59



**Ponte vecchio al tramonto 2015** cm 80 x 180 Old Bridge at Sunset 2015 cm  $31 \times 55$ 



Filippo e Arnolfo 2014 cm  $80 \times 200$ Philip and Arnold 2014 cm  $80 \times 200$ 





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Firenze Panorama 2016 cm 144 x 81 | inch 56 x 31







**San Galgano 2015** cm 60 x 80 inch 23 x 31



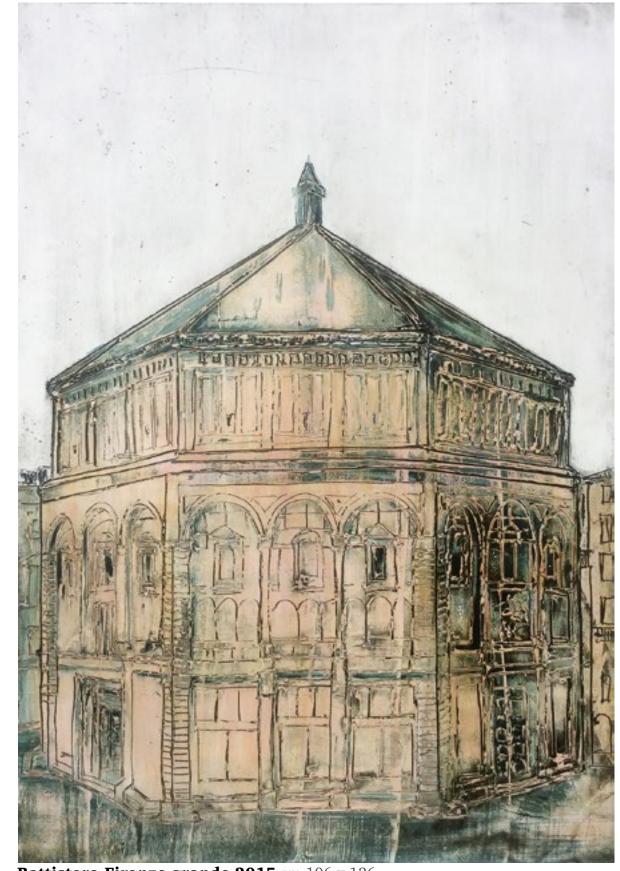
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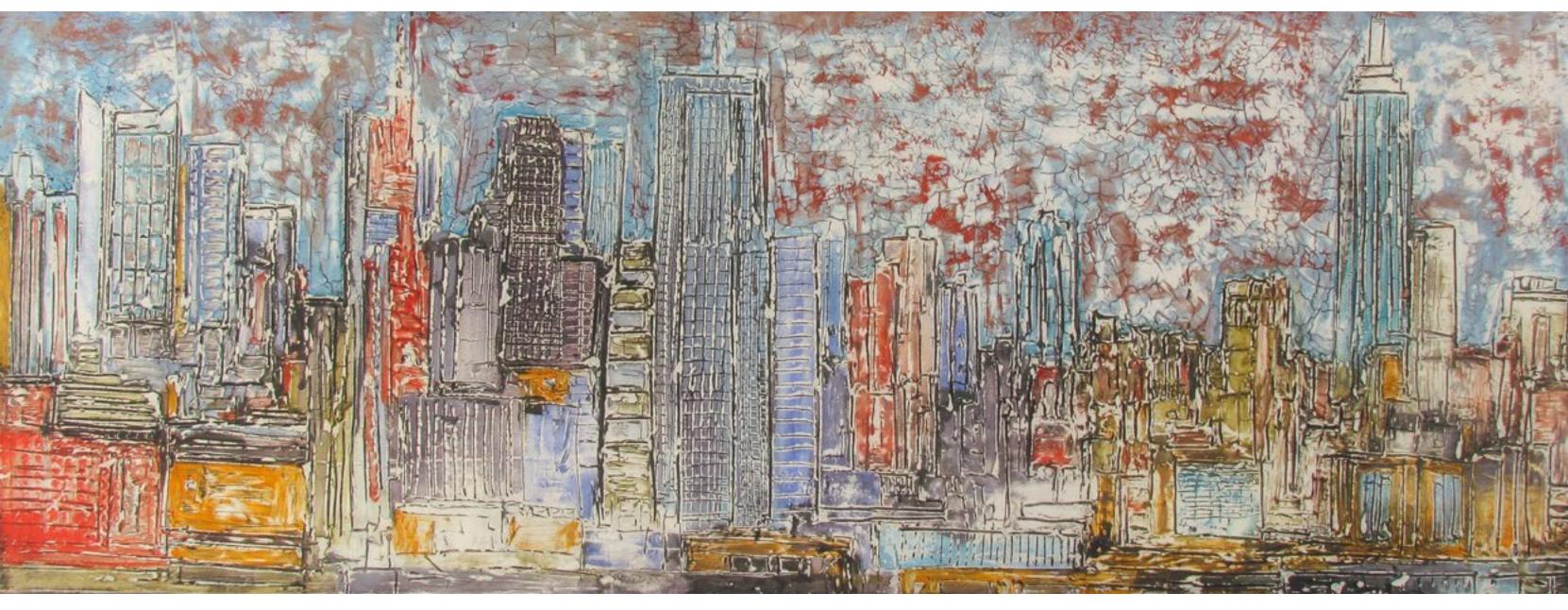
**Cipressi rosa 2015** cm 80 x 110 inch 31 x 43



**Cipressi grigi 2015** cm 60 x 80 inch 23 x 31



**Battistero Firenze grande 2015** cm 106 x 126 **Baptistery Florence big 2015** inch 41 x 49



New York Landscape 2016 cm 215 x 80 | inch 85 x 31



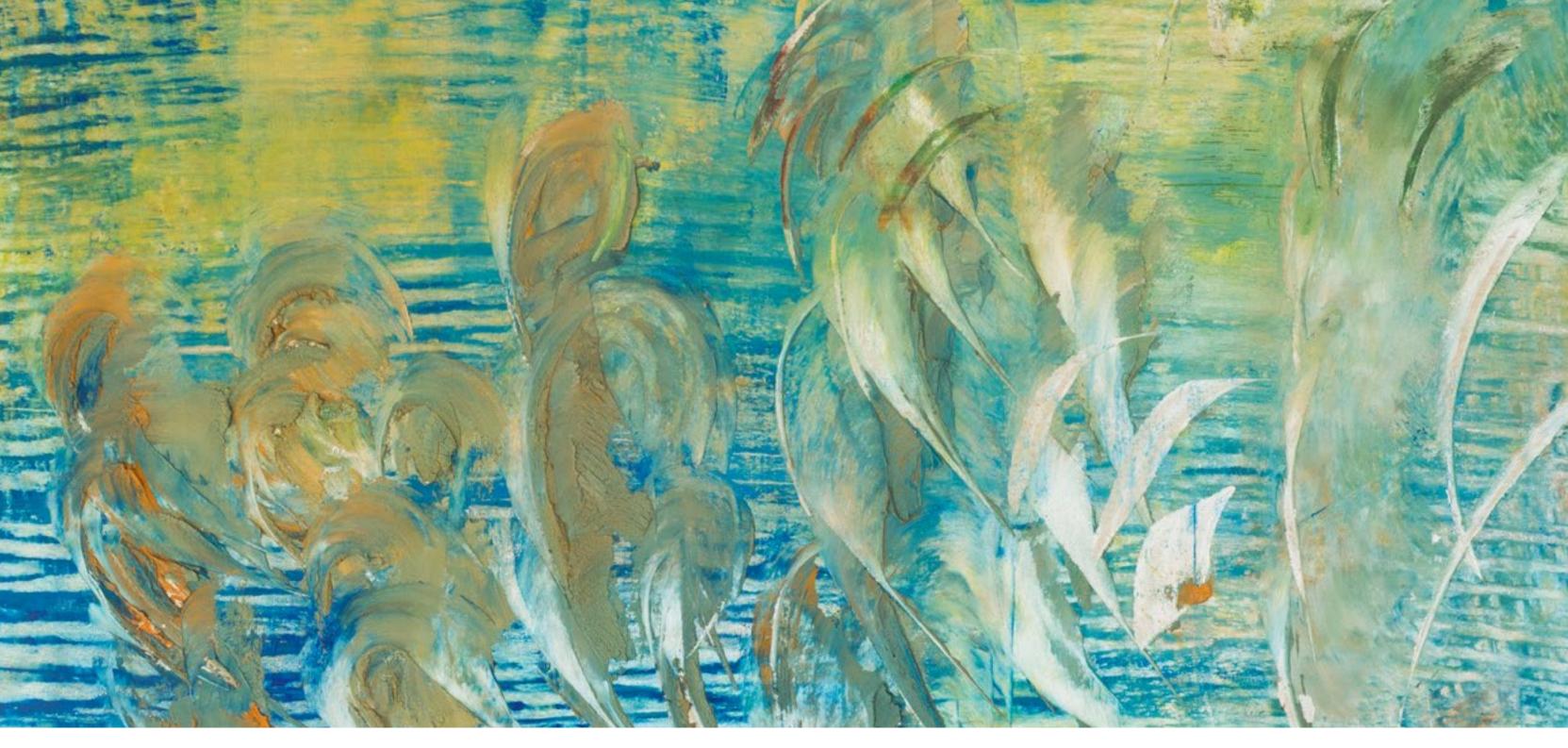
**Fiori D'Arancio 2015** cm 94 x 162 **Orange Flowers 2015** inch  $37 \times 63$ 



**Mazzolino 2015** cm 90 x 187 **Bouquet 2015** inch 35 x 73



**Papaveri Blu 2015** cm 90 x 187 **Poppies in Blue 2015** inch 35 x 73



**I Profughi 2016** cm 93 x 161 **Refugees 2016** inch 36 x 63

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**Campagna grande 2014** cm 125 x 250 | inch 49 x 98



**Settignano 2013** cm 84 x 184 | inch 33 x 72

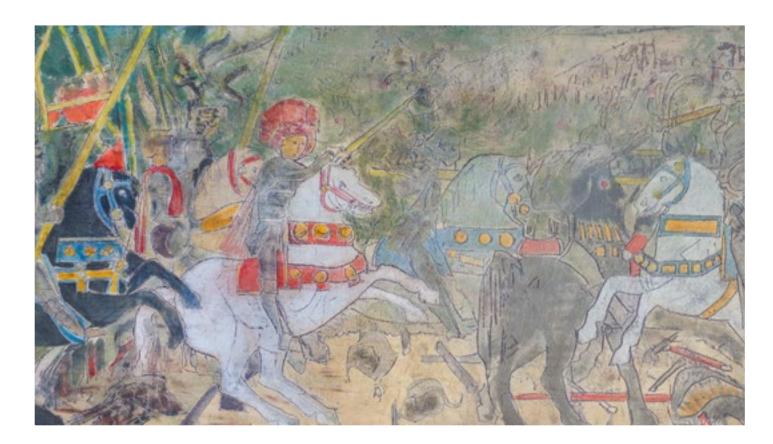


Cavalli bianchi 2015 cm 90 x 90 White Horses 2015 inch  $35 \times 35$ 

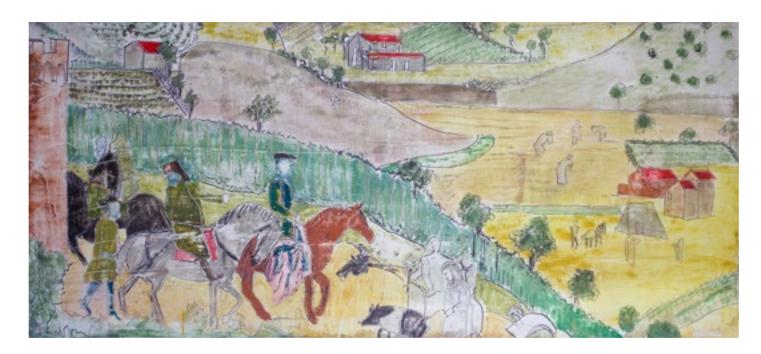




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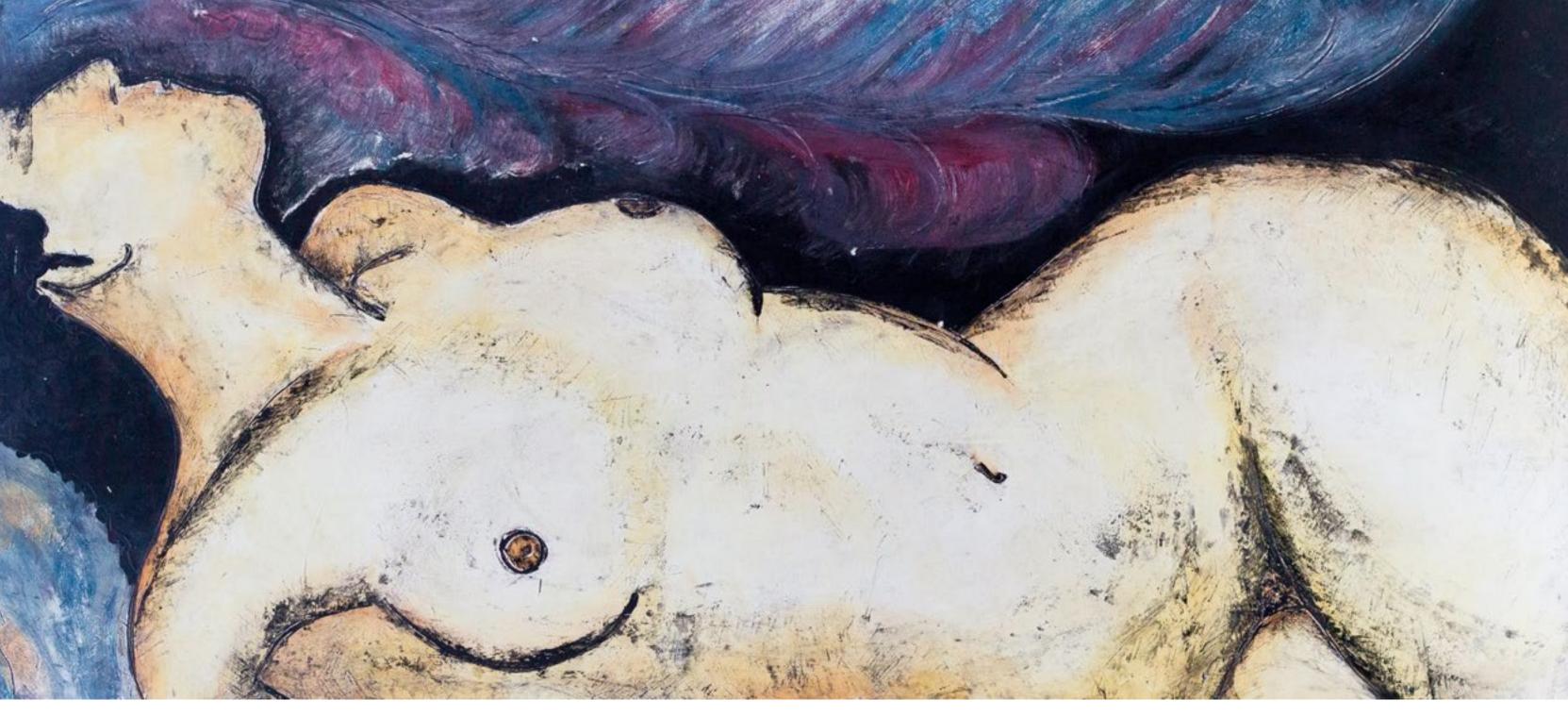
**Battaglia Paolo Uccello 2014** cm 80 x 140 | inch 31 x 55



**Buongoverno campagna 2014** cm 84 x 184 | inch 33 x 72



**Guidoriccio 2013** cm 60 x 80 | inch 23 x 31



**Nudo in bianco 2013** cm 83 x 184 **Nude in White 2013** inch 33 x 72



**Nudo nero 2010** cm 77 x 183 | inch 30 x 72

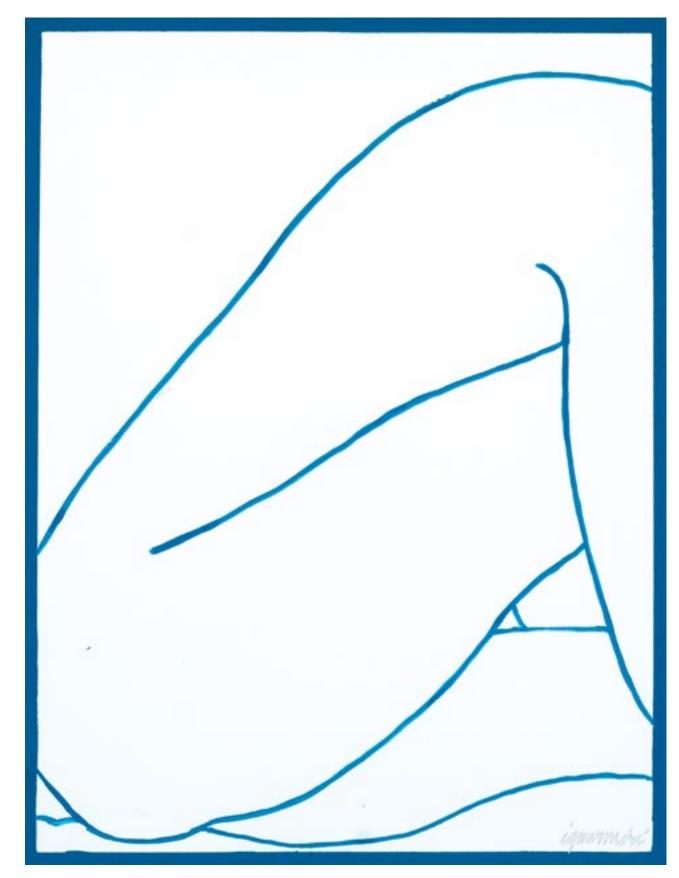




**Nudo sul letto viola 2010** cm 84 x 124 | inch 33 x 48



**Nudo sul letto blu 2014** cm 75 x 200 | inch 29 x 78



Nudo Ciao Matisse 2015 cm 70 x 90 | inch 27 x 35





**Nudo da Modi 2013** cm 64x94|inch 25x37



**Nudo Blu 2014** cm 58 x 79 | inch 22 x 31



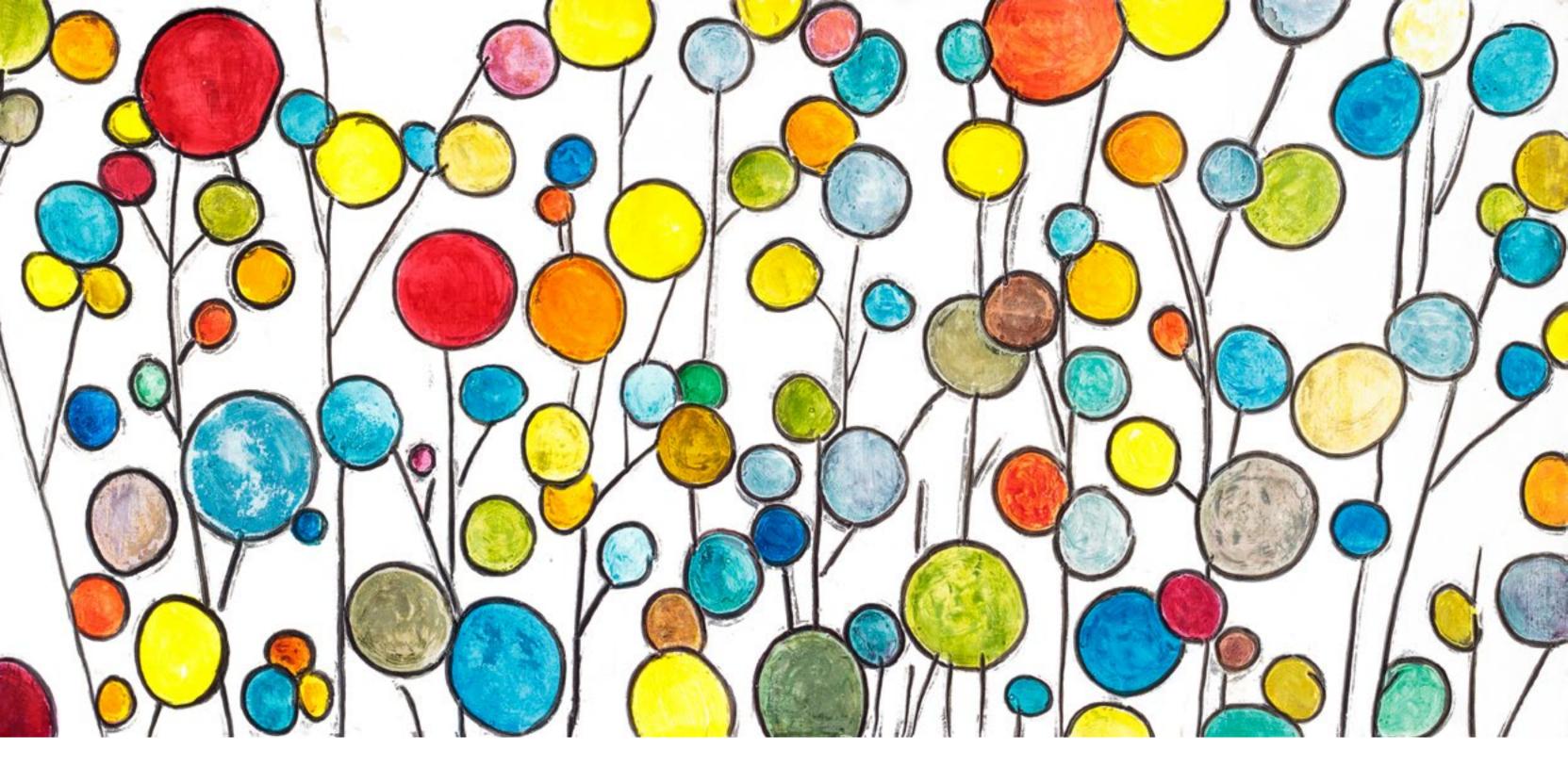
**Nudo Bordo 2011** cm 102 x 187 | inch 40 x 73



Nudo in Arancio 2016 cm  $84 \times 124$ Nude in Orange 2016 inch  $33 \times 49$ 



**Venere Botticelli 2016** cm 84 x 124 **Botticelli Venus 2016** inch 33 x 49



**Fiori di Salice 2016** cm 80 x 169 **Willow Flowers 2016** inch 31 x 66

## Once upon a time there was a Prince.

However, we are not writing a fairytale here. This is, on the contrary, a semi-scientific account of a phenomenon that traversed Florentine art from the Middle Ages and throughout the Renaissance, giving birth to an outburst of creativity that for both quantity and quality has no equal in the world. An experience which enlightened, contemporary painters such as Roberto and Rodolfo Guarnieri can bring back to life. And with horizons which stretch far further than the city of Florence itself. You don't have to go far to see them and to breathe the very atmosphere in which they were created. Your author had merely had to look in at the Guarnieri workshop at Lungarno Cellini 39. But let's go a step at a time.

The great artists of past centuries worked within a society in which the links, whether of content, form, religion or power, were greater by far than they are today. Yet they created deathless works without which the whole upheaval of the 19th century onwards, thanks – but not only – to revolution of Romanticism, would never have happened.

Let us call to mind that inspired 1974 monologue of Gaber-Lupoirini on "Giotto da Bondone". In fact we'll even read a fragment or two: "I am watching him drawing on rocks [...]. And he thinks [...] of the possibility of painting a sky different from the one so far depicted. Of renewing everything. And as we all know these are things we can only do by using our logic and reason [...]. As we know, in the pictures of those days the sky was always painted gold: fine gold, fixed and implacable! This didn't seem right to Giotto, and here began his struggle. He studied the malleability of gold in order to modify it, to change it, then he attempted a sky... and it turned out all gold. He studied the chemistry, the possible stratifications... a slightly lighter shade, a slightly darker one, but it was always gold! He realized that chemistry was not the way to solve his problem [...]. Then he cast a glance at the sky and exclaimed: "Why, to me it looks blue... Heavens alive, the sky is blue!"

It was a revolution. Like the one brought about by Galileo in 1632 with his "Dialogue Concerning the Two Chief World Systems".

The Florentine painters of the Middle Ages and Renaissance (and beyond) thus acquired a technical, wide-ranging creative capacity without equal, and created the open-air museum which is the city of Florence. Paintings, frescoes, portraits, scenes of religious and civil life; palaces, churches, and the walls and houses of the city of the fleur-de-lys became immersed in beauty.

The prince (nobleman, cardinal, or prosperous merchant) commissioned works of art, paid for them and freed the artist from mundane worries. The artist cashed in, and paid him back by creating the masterpieces we know. A relationship which, in its different way, we find on this level perhaps only in the world of the cinema. Yet much of contemporary architecture and town planning would

benefit from a return to this salutary type of patronage. Glass and metals, marbles and King Kong size structures are not sufficient for human welfare, be it at the level of the family, the public building or the workplace.

Hence, to return to our opening statements, the artistic proposal put forward by Roberto and Rodolfo Guarnieri, two Florentine masters whose works are displayed or else created the world over. We need only make an effort to look at them as if superimposing our eyes on theirs. Their eyes are such as scrutinize a kind of art that in Florence itself fails to move forward, eyes that receive the signals conveyed to them by the Earth, of new enlightened 'princes' who aspire to give the substance of beauty to the great open spaces of the architecture of the 20th century and the Third Millennium, perhaps by embodying some idea harboured in their personal empyrean in a fresco or cycle of frescoes which, by being represented, may seem endowed with eternity. Or nearly. The new dreams of a new era.

Yes, a tour of their workshop is quite enough to show you that Roberto and Rodolfo Guarnieri possess all the technical means, the artistic culture and the refined, comprehensive taste of the artists of the Middle Ages and the Renaissance; and that they have already how, combining their creativity with the fantasies and resources of some new patron, they can compensate for the architectonic nihilism that often rules the roost. And above all it will suffice to make you want to see more and know more about it.

Theirs is not a mere contract. It is also a contract, but of the sort which combines the forces of different minds and, in the bond designedly created by the pact between the new prince and the artist, bring about a new aesthetic culture of cities, public buildings, offices, museums, stadiums, hospitals, and all those places which people, entering them to work, to live, to receive treatment or to enjoy recreation, can breathe the air of their own humanity, or take in even a part of that of others, thanks to the work of the Guarnieri brothers. From their corner of Florence, this warm workshop full of colours, imagination, picture frames, smells and unconventional ways of viewing reality, we have looked over the threshold of a new humanism.

Enrico Zoi







**Bigallo Inciso 2015** 

cm 160 x 200

**Bigallo Engraved 2015** 

cm 160 x 200