



DISTILLO EXPO 2022

Micro Distilleries Suppliers and Equipment Expo

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Fairs, Italy restarts: on February “DISTILLO” is making its debut in Milan

*The first event dedicated to the rising phenomenon of micro distilleries,
marked by a mix between craftsmanship and new technologies*

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Two days to discover the world of craft distilling; this phenomenon is just beginning in Italy but it promises to repeat the boom experienced by craft beers in the last twenty years. “DISTILLO”, the first fair dedicated to the equipments for **micro distilleries**, is debuting in Milan on **February 1st (Tuesday) and February 2nd (Wednesday), 2022**. Its programme includes seminars about the innovations occurring in this field. The event, whose aim is putting craftsmanship in contact with new technologies, will be taking place at **Officine del Volo**, a post-industrial building located in Via Mecenate. The fair is addressed both to experts in the field of distillation, and to those who want to approach to the world of copper and stills. According to statistics, the number of the last ones is constantly increasing.

From education to raw materials, from production technologies to bottling, in the stalls of “DISTILLO” the exhibitors will be coming into contact with businessmen interested in opening or improving their own distilleries. The conference and the seminars will also represent a unique occasion to meet the greatest Italian and international experts. A real workshop characterised by experimentation and contamination, a meeting point, a place where developing new opportunities; the goal of “DISTILLO” is to think about the world of craft spirits and to launch also in Italy an interest that has already spread globally.



“**DISTILLO**” is organised by **Craft Distilling**, founded by the gurus **Claudio Riva** and **Davide Terziotti**. It is not just by chance that the fair debuts in such a difficult period for our country. As a matter of fact, the craft distilling movement has started in the USA, where there are more than 2000 operating businesses, but it is quickly developing in Europe too: as far as the number of distilleries is concerned, England has overcome Scotland (on average a distillery per week is opened), and at the moment in France there are more than a hundred distilleries. Also in Italy the first businesses have already opened; there is a lot of enthusiasm and, due to high growth rates, it is estimated that 20 new distilleries will open in 2021.

As Riva and Terziotti explain: *“The interest in the production of craft premium spirits is strengthened by the ability of this field to develop also in difficult times. Between 2008 and 2015, at the apex of the economical crisis, in the USA the craft spirits bucked the trend and scored an exponential market growth”.*

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