

A colour Constitution. The first 47 illustrated articles and its history through satirical design

The exhibition is a tribute to the Italian Constitution. Promulgated on 27 December 1947 and come into force on 1 January 1948, it was immediately evident that it was not a boring list of laws but the multicoloured result of the work of very different political forces. However they were able to create a kind of rainbow of human values.

On show a series of satirical and humorous drawings taken from newspapers published in Italy from 1943 to 1948 on the theme of the promulgation of the Italian Constitution.

We can meet great artists like Giovannino Guareschi who, on the pages of *Candido*, was the spokesman of anti-communism. You can admire also a cartoon by Fellini, famous director and humorous cartoonist in youth.

The second section presents the first 47 articles of the Constitution illustrated by four contemporary cartoonists Sironi, De Angelis, Chiostrri and Contemori, focusing on rights and duties of citizens.

Palazzo Lascaris

Carla Spagnuolo Gallery

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Monday – Friday 9:00 – 17:00

Free entry

