



1st Portuguese-Italian Defense Industry Days
2 & 3 July 2025 | Rome

PROGRAM

Wednesday, July 02, 2025 - Rome

- 11h00: Arrival of Portuguese delegation to Rome Fiumicino airport and departure to Leonardo company
- 12h30 – 14h30: Portuguese delegation visit to Leonardo (including networking lunch)
- 15h30 – 17h30: Portuguese delegation visit to MBDA
- 19h30: Networking Cocktail at the Residence of Portugal in Rome
 - Welcome remarks by Bernardo Futscher Pereira – Ambassador of Portugal in Rome
 - Thanking remarks by Vice Admiral Giacinto Ottaviani - NAD and Giuseppe Cossiga – President of AIAD

Thursday, July 03, 2025 – Hotel Rome Cavalieri

- 08h15: Registration, coffee and networking
- 09h00: Welcome and introductory remarks
 - Ambassador of Portugal in Rome, Bernardo Futscher Pereira
 - National Armaments Director of Italy, Vice-Admiral Giacinto Ottaviani
 - Minister of Defence of Portugal, Nuno Melo
- 09h40: Presentation of the agenda for the day
 - Defence Attaché of Portugal to Rome, Captain (Navy) Sérgio da Silva Pinto
- 09h45: Presentation of Portuguese industries
 - Representative of AICEP / Ricardo Pinheiro Alves - idD / Rui Santos - AED (6 min each; 18 min total)
 - 25 Portuguese companies (1 min/company; 25 min total)
- 10h30: Presentation of Italian industries
 - Giuseppe Cossiga - AIAD (15 min)
 - 25 Italian companies (1 min/company; 25 min total)
- 11h15: Coffee break
- 11h45: PRT NAD presentation (1. Future Acquisition Programs; 2. Doing business with PRT MoD; 3. EDF priorities)
 - Captain (Navy) Jorge Correia
- 12h00: ITA NAD presentation (1. Future Acquisition Programs; 2. Doing business with ITA MoD; 3. EDF priorities)
 - Colonel Luca Parmeggiani
- 12h15: Q&A
- 12h30: Lunch (buffet) and networking
- 14h10: Welcome to speed dating
- 14h15: Speed dating (15 minutes/company – 15 slots)
- 18h00: Assessment survey / Closing