

DATE	PLATFORM	SOCIAL COPY
Monday, March 29	Twitter	<p>Did you know there have been over 30 #G20 meetings just since December?! Before #RomeSummit2021 in October, more than 100 meetings of engagement groups and working groups will take place virtually and throughout Italy.</p> <p>In advance of Italian Research Day, we're recognizing some of the Italian agencies leading the way on research and innovation. @mediainaf's groundbreaking techniques are helping us uncover mysteries about our universe and the planet we call home. 🌍 🧑🏫</p>
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Tuesday, March 30	Twitter	<p>🧑🏫</p> <p>When scientific discovery turns to solving the mysteries of some of the most famous artworks in our history, what can it teach us about our cultures—and ourselves? Learn more about the @INFN_ researchers working where physics and culture meet.</p>
Wednesday, March 31	Twitter	<p>#Diplomaziascientifica</p> <p>Journalist and writer @alanfriedmanit discusses the enduring love between American and Italian culture. Watch more guestbook entries and well wishes on our brand-new website: www.italyus160.org/guestbook #ItalyUS160</p>
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Friday, April 2	Twitter	<p>The Academics Informal Gathering is a newly established #G20 working group. The group focuses on research and higher education and will set the groundwork for the Research Ministerial to reach global consensus on issues within higher education. #G20Italy @G20org</p>
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Saturday, April 3	Twitter	<p>ICYMI: In recognition of 160 years of diplomatic relations between Italy and the United States, we recently launched our #ItalyUS160 website as a hub for events, stories, celebrations and more!</p>
Saturday, April 3	Twitter	<p>Collaboration among Italian agencies and industries is what #Diplomaziascientifica is all about. Watch to learn how @INFN_ is contributing to aerospace innovation, helping us safely explore more than ever before.</p>
Sunday, April 4	Twitter	<p>Buona Pasqua from all of us at the Embassy of Italy! 🇮🇹</p>
Monday, March 29	Instagram	<p><i>Hortensia's speech to the Roman forum was a success! The next day, the women who were subject to the tax was reduced from 1,400 to 400 and the city compensated for the loss of revenue by forcing male property-owners to lend money to the state and contribute to war expenses. That's some #GirlPower!</i></p>

Monday, March 29	Instagram	<p>To close out #WomensHistoryMonth, we're celebrating Italian women who were firsts in their field, paving the way for future women everywhere! 🇮🇹 Hortensia, daughter of famed Roman orator Quintus Hortensius, is often considered to be the first woman who ever "practiced" law. In 42 B.C., Hortensia argued before the Roman Forum to repeal a tax placed on the wealthiest Roman women to help pay for a war they had no choice in waging. Highlighting the hypocrisy of taxation without representation, Hortensia asked the forum, "Why should we pay taxes when we do not share in the offices, honours, military commands, nor, in short, the government for which you fight between yourselves with such harmful results?" #ItalianWomeninHistory #WomensHistoryMonth 🇮🇹 The angry matrons, led by Hortensia, address the triumvirs.</p> <p>Highly acclaimed American ballet dancer @juliekentofficial made an appearance in our virtual guestbook! 🇺🇸 DYK that not only is Julie the Artistic Director of @thewashingtonballet, but she's also the longest serving ballerina of @abtstudioco? To hear more from talented and acclaimed artists, business leaders, chefs and scientists (among many others), click the link in our bio to help us celebrate #ItalyUS160 🇮🇹 🇺🇸</p>
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Sunday, April 4	Instagram	<p>🇮🇹 Buona Pasqua! 🇺🇸 Happy Easter! Italy is always bustling with excitement on Easter, a day to celebrate rebirth and renewal alongside family and friends. Across Italy today, children will enjoy giant hollow chocolate eggs with surprises inside! 🍫🍫🍫</p>
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Sunday, April 4	Facebook	<p>Buona Pasqua! 🍷 Today, all around the world, people celebrate this day of renewal! In Italy, tables will be filled with lamb and Easter eggs, signifying youth and rebirth. Tell us your favorite traditional Italian Easter dish in the comments! 🍷</p>