



Teatro Comunale di Bologna - The Comunale Theatre in Bologna

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- Showcases the splendour of Teatro Comunale di Bologna through richly detailed images and comprehensive texts

The beautifully illustrated volume is an editorial tribute to the history of the Comunale Theatre in Bologna, a city institution of international fame. With previously unpublished and richly detailed images and complementary texts by Professor Piero Mioli, this publication celebrates the theatre's great and unique story. Also included is a rich photographic array from the theatre's historical archives featuring posters, stage photos, sketches, drawings and figurine plates, which have been hidden from public view, until now.

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