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Vernissage

Il signor Sindaco e la città futura (Mister Mayor and the City of the Future)

A photographic project of Gianfranco Ferraro

***Monday, 3 July 2017, 19.00
Italian Cultural Institute
Ungargasse 43, 1030 Vienna***

Free entrance upon registration at the link eventi.iicvienna@esteri.it

The exhibition - hosted at the 15th Venice Biennale in 2016 - tells the story of the Calabrian village of Riace that, thanks to the impetus of its mayor Domenico Lucano, has been welcoming and integrating thousands of migrants, counterbalancing its own depopulation and, thus, giving the local community new life and energy. A real experience that resembles to a fairy tale with a happy ending for children and adults: Riace is an inspiring model for the reception and integration of migrants and refugees.

In 2016, the magazine *Fortune* has inserted Lucano in the list of the 50 world's greatest leaders.

