

Villa Galesano

Region: Puglia **Sleeps:** 14

Overview

Discover the extraordinary opulent, seven suite Villa Galesano nestled in the heart of the Puglian countryside, near the serene south coast of Italy. This recently renovated retreat spans four floors, set within a sprawling four hectare park, offering an unparalleled experience for up to eighteen guests.

Prepare to be Wowed! As you enter the villa at ground floor level you will be welcomed by a simply stunning marble hallway festooned with sparkling crystal chandeliers and a sweeping staircase. The super spacious living area comes complete with an original open hearth fireplace and minstrels gallery, and opens onto the panoramic view veranda. A fully stocked classic bar, with tall stools is the place to meet for sun downers at dusk. The fully equipped kitchen opens out onto the gardens, and a chef can be arranged to cook breakfast and celebratory dinners. The first of the seven exquisitely appointed bedrooms can be found on this floor, both with double beds, and ensuite marble bathrooms with walk-in showers, dual hand basins, bidets, and WCs.

Walk up the sweeping staircase to the first floor, where there are a further four additional ensuite bedrooms, each beautifully dressed, with ensuite shower rooms, and access to countryside view furnished balconies. On the top floor the seventh bedroom is home to a double bed, an ensuite shower room, and as far as the eye can see terrace.

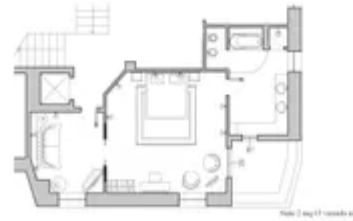
Descending to the lower ground floor, a private spa beckons with a Finnish style sauna, a massage/therapy room, hydro massage tubs, a hair room, and a state of the art, fully equipped gym. Enjoy a game of billiards, before taking a seat in the traditional rustic saloon bar and dining room.

Villa Galesano is set in eight thousand square metres of meticulously maintained park lands, with manicured lawns, and gardens. Take the path down to the impressive dual step entry swimming pool. Relax on the surrounding sun loungers positioned under shady parasols, take a nap in the soft seating spot, then cool down under the outdoor shower. A gazebo is home to an alfresco dining set for twenty guests, perfect for some fabulous feasting under a twinkling sky, with dishes fresh cooked on the barbeque.

The villa is perfectly located and offers unique amenities, nearby attractions and beautiful views.

Facilities

Air-Con • Wi-Fi/Internet • Gym/Fitness Room • Villa • Wow Factor • Lift • Private Pool • Ideal for Babies & Toddlers • Washing Machine • Dishwasher • Microwave • Safety Deposit Box • Hairdryer • Ideal for Xmas/NY •



Interior & Grounds

Villas Interior (1300m2)

Ground Floor

- Living area with fireplace and sofa that sits up to 10 people
- Dining table that sits up to 20 people
- Minstrels gallery
- Fully stocked bar
- 2 x equipped kitchens with access to the garden
- 2 x bedrooms with double bed, access to terrace, ensuite with WC, bidet, shower and double basin
- Bathroom
- Studio Solarium

First Floor

- 3 x Bedroom with double bed, ensuite bathroom and access to veranda
- Bedroom with double bed, and ensuite shower room
- Bedroom with double bed, ensuite shower room and access to terrace

Lower Ground Floor

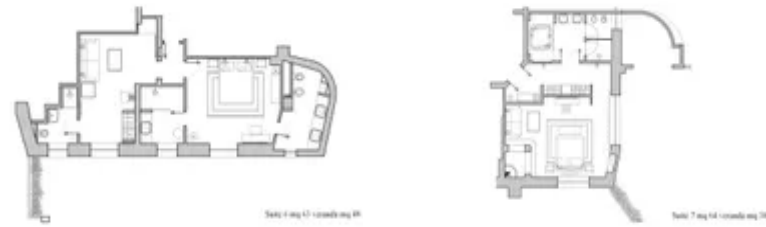
- Spa with sauna, massage/therapy room
- Hydro massage tub and lounge beds
- Fully equipped Gym
- Hair room
- Billiard room
- Rustic saloon bar and lounge
- Kitchen
- Dining Room

Outside Grounds (8000m2)

- Garden
- Dual step entry swimming pool (250sqm) open approximately from beginning of May to end-October
- Sun loungers
- Parasols
- Outdoor shower
- Covered soft seating
- Gazebo
- Alfresco dining set with seating for up to 20 people
- Brick BBQ
- Children's area

Facilities

- Air conditioning
- Wi-Fi
- Video surveillance system (CCTV)
- Private parking for 4 cars
- Heliport
- Elevator
- TVs in every room
- Sauna/Jacuzzi
- Washing machine



- Safes in every room
- Mosquito nets

Location & Local Information

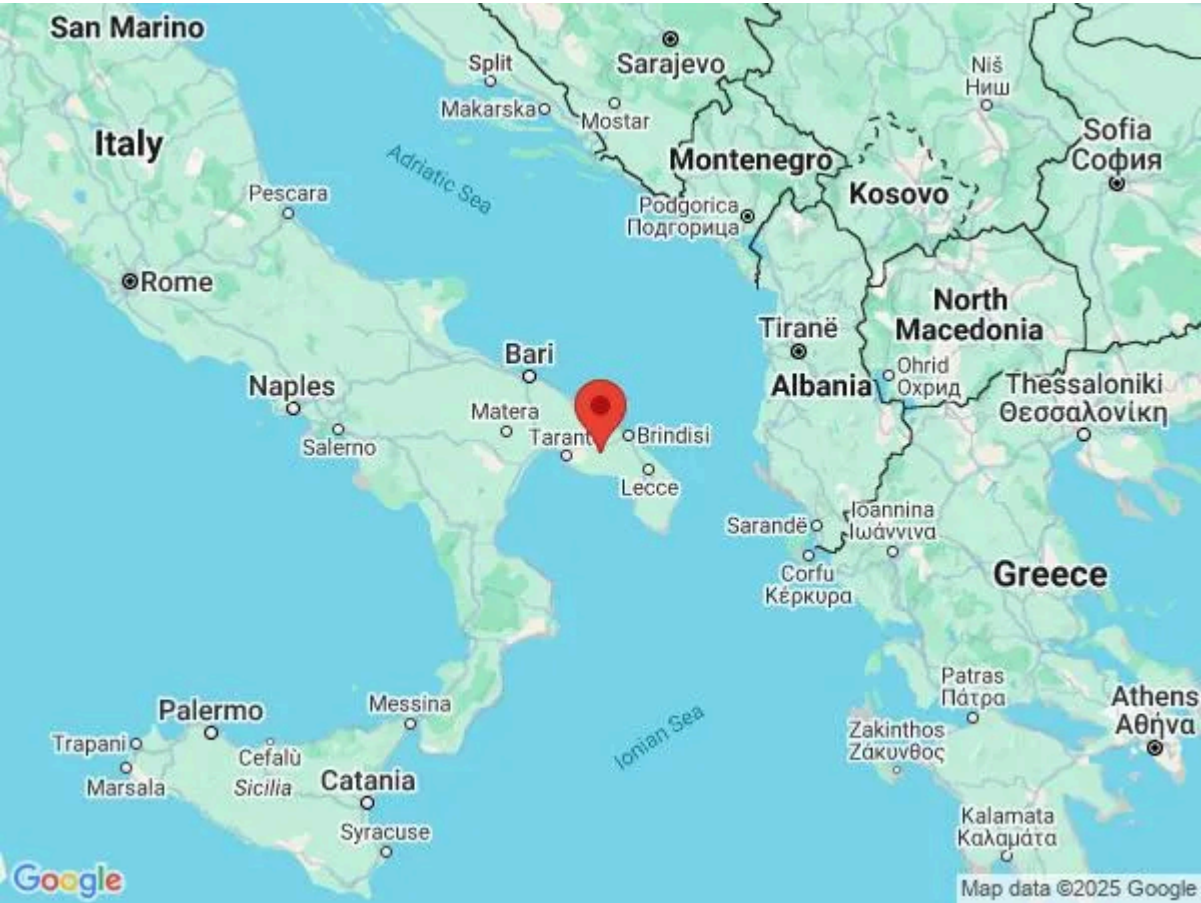
Villa Galesano is ideally located in the heart of the Puglian countryside, equidistant from the resort town of Taranto on the Ionian west coast, and bustling Brindisi on the Adriatic east coast of the heel of Italy. The nearest international airport is at Brindisi, a scenic thirty kilometre drive away. The villa is on the outskirts of the small town of Oria, with its narrow cobbled streets, and squares, where you will find welcoming bars and restaurants, and provisions for your stay. Take time to explore the Rococo cathedral, capped with a mosaic dome, and antique clock tower, and don't miss the annual medieval Palio horse race held every August.

The nearest beach is an 23 kilometres drive to the golden sands of Campomarino di Maruggio, and thirty kilometres to the crystal clear waters of Porto Cesareo. The area is renowned for its hiking and cycling trails, or take a walk around the local vineyards, and sample the renowned Primitivo.

Go west and spend the day in Taranto, walk the city walls, see the Aragonese castle, visit the Archeological Museum, marvel at the Romanesque cathedral, before enjoying some freshly caught sea food by the sea shore. Go east for a day in Brindisi, see the ancient Roman columns, admire the beauty of the cathedral, visit the archaeological site of San Pietro degli Schiavoni, then walk along the waterfront and enjoy an aperitivo as you watch the sun set.

Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Brindisi Airport (43 km)
Nearest Airport 2	Bari Airport (142 km)
Nearest Town	Oria
Nearest Train Station	Oria Train statio (>4 km)
Nearest Beach	Campomarino di Maruggio (23 km)
Nearest Supermarket	(>3 km)
Nearest Tennis	Circolo Tennis Smash (10 km)



What we love

- The sheer opulence and exquisite interiors of Villa Galesano are breathtakingly beautiful for a holiday of luxurious living.
- We love the drama of the sweeping staircase, festooned with sparkling crystal chandeliers, you can really make an exit when you retire to bed.
- The spa facilities are superb, massage rooms, hot tubs, saunas, hair salon, and if you must work out, there's a state of the art gym too.
- The alfresco living space at Villa Galesano is just as glamorous as the interiors, with a dual step entry swimming pool, surrounded by deep cushioned sun loungers.
- We love hosting a dinner party for twenty, and dining alfresco under a Puglian sky as the stars come out to shine.

What you should know...

- Villa Galesano can host up to eighteen guests in the seven double bedrooms, as two of the suites can accommodate up to four people.
- All the beds at Villa Galesano are doubles, no twin rooms, lots of space for a large family holiday, or a group of friends' sharing.
- The villa comes with lots of added value amenities, which may be subject to charge.
- Villa Galesano is snuggled in the heart of the Puglian countryside, we highly recommend hiring a car for the duration of your stay.
- Check-in outside of arrival time may be subject to an extra cost. Please enquire for more details.

Terms & Conditions

- **Security deposit:** The rental price includes compulsory insurance to cover damage to the property up to €5,000. Pending
- **Arrival time:** 17:00 - 20:00
- **Departure time:** 10:00
- **Energy costs included?:** Yes.
- **Linen & towels included?:** Yes.
- **Pets welcome?:** On request only and with prior agreement with the owner.
- **Other Ts and Cs:** Weddings, stag/hen parties and any special events are on request only and subject to prior arrangement with the owner and additional charges. Please note that published rates are only valid for the current year. Any bookings for subsequent years will be on request only and correct rates will be confirmed at the time of booking. Please note that your booking will only be confirmed once we have checked availability with the owner or their property manager. Please note that an high chair is available on request, at the time of booking, for extra €100.
- **Changeover day:** Flexible.
- **End of stay cleaning available?:** Yes. However, guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- **Smoking Allowed?:** Not allowed.
- **Minimum stay:** 1 night during low season, 7 nights during high season. All other duration on request.
- **Tax:** Italian Visitors Tax payable locally in cash (typically costs €1-€10 per adult per night - please enquire if exact amount is required).
- **Internet access?:** Wi-Fi internet access included.
- **Pool towels included?:** Yes.
- **Pool opening dates?:** The pool is open approximately beginning of May to end-October. Please note that pool opening dates are subject to local weather conditions and pool maintenance requirements and that cooler months may not be suitable for swimming.
- **Property Licence Number:** Pending