

## “DESIGNING THE FUTURE”

### POLITECNICA CONTINUES TO GROW AND INAUGURATES A NEW OFFICE IN ROME

**Rome, January 23, 2025** – Politecnica Building for Humans proudly announces the inauguration of its new office in Rome, located at Piazza Alessandria 24. This significant step further strengthens the presence of the integrated design cooperative in Italy and reaffirms its commitment to innovative and sustainable projects.

The new office, which joins the already operational locations in Modena, Florence, and Milan, is a crucial element of Politecnica's strategic vision. With a multidisciplinary team on-site, the facility will serve as a hub for coordinating and developing activities in Central and Southern Italy, with a focus on urban regeneration projects, enhancement of historical heritage, and a dedicated sector for large infrastructure projects. Rome thus becomes a true cutting-edge laboratory, symbolizing the ability to blend tradition with innovation.

For Politecnica, sustainability is not just a value but a concrete pursuit of new solutions that balance economic development with social well-being, technological progress with environmental protection, and safety with inclusion. The ability to understand the rapid changes shaping today's cities is key to promoting a design approach that responsibly and transparently addresses the challenges of the future.

*“The opening of this new office, in the year of the 25th Jubilee, is a truly significant milestone. – stated Francesca Federzoni, President of Politecnica – Not only Rome but the entire Central-Southern region is undergoing a phase of profound growth, partly linked to the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (PNRR) and subsequent investments in new infrastructure and the recovery and redevelopment of large 20th-century complexes. Our permanent presence in the Capital is a response to the need to actively oversee the numerous projects in which we are already involved in Rome and its surroundings. Our goal is to invest in new local talent ready to embrace an integrated and cooperative approach.”*

#### **The Announcement During the Assembly of Design Cooperatives**

The inauguration of Politecnica's new Rome office coincides with the Assembly of Design Cooperatives organized by Legacoop Produzione e Servizi.

The dialogue *“DESIGNING THE FUTURE: Engineering After the PNRR, Between Public-Private Partnerships and Artificial Intelligence”* will address crucial themes for the future of design and shaping a more innovative and sustainable Italy. Public and private sectors will intertwine to create a concrete and valuable vision for the benefit of future generations.

#### **A Commitment to Cultural Heritage**

*“For fifty years, Politecnica has been looking to the future, and we continue to do so with a clear and forward-thinking vision: managing growth through three fundamental strategic pillars – investing in human resources, committing to sustainability, and focusing strongly on technological innovation. We firmly believe in the role of engineering and architecture as drivers of sustainable development and social cohesion. – added Francesca Federzoni – It is with this vision that we aim to bring value to the territory and meet the challenges of tomorrow.”*

With the opening of the Rome office, Politecnica reaffirms its role as a leader in Italian engineering and architecture. This milestone represents not only the consolidation of its national presence but also a declaration of intent: to promote sustainable and innovative projects that harmonize tradition with modernity. Looking to the future with vision and determination, Politecnica continues to invest in people, technology, and sustainability to generate value and build a better tomorrow in harmony with the needs of the territory and its communities.

## **POLITECNICA**

Politecnica Building for Humans is one of Italy's leading integrated design firms, specializing in architecture, engineering, and urban planning. As an independent entity, it is owned by 46 partners – engineers and architects – who have completed projects in over 60 countries worldwide, with an annual revenue of approximately €29 million (2023). The company has four offices in Italy (Modena, Milan, Florence, and Rome) and an international presence in 10 countries across three continents (Angola, Belize, Denmark, Jamaica, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Guyana, Kenya, Romania, Sierra Leone, and Equatorial Guinea). Politecnica develops projects for both public and private sectors, including education, healthcare, industry, services, and infrastructure. Through its international division, the firm has delivered civil and infrastructure works in numerous developing countries, funded by international donors.

With over 300 professionals, including designers, planners, engineers, consultants, and specialized technicians, Politecnica integrates diverse expertise – from systems engineering to urban planning, structural to architectural design – thanks to teamwork and the complementarity of skills.

Politecnica places the well-being of communities and individuals at the center of its initiatives, contributing to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) outlined in the UN's 2030 Agenda, ratified by 193 countries. Politecnica is committed to creating infrastructure that connects people and communities more easily, enabling exchanges and relationships; inclusive and safe public buildings that foster social interaction; technologically advanced healthcare facilities for patients; and educational and learning-oriented buildings that promote sociability and exchange.

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