

Medici Power Route



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Follow how the centres of Medici influence shifted through Florence: from a family palace and parish church to civic rule, the crossing of the Arno and the grand-ducal court at Palazzo Pitti.

Florence

Florence Icons

Full day

Medium to high

Free route

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Route steps

- Palazzo Medici Riccardi**
Family wealth and early political influence — the start of the Medici story.
- Basilica di San Lorenzo**
Religious patronage and dynastic identity — the Medici parish church.
- Medici Chapels**
Commemoration and monumental family memory — Michelangelo's New Sacristy.
- Palazzo Vecchio**
The transition into formal civic and ducal power — Piazza della Signoria.
- Ponte Vecchio**
The physical passage from the civic centre toward the grand-ducal court.
- Palazzo Pitti**
The later scale, ceremony and court life of the dynasty — Oltrarno.

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Version 1

Essential power line

Follow how the centres of Medici influence shifted, with two primary interiors and the rest as context.

Version 2

Full Medici day

The complete historical progression across all six Medici story locations, with two primary interiors and flexible shorter stops.

Google Maps route

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